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ESTABLISHED 1884. PLAINFIELD, N. J., "THE COLORADO OF THE EAST," MONDAY, MAY 2, 1892. PRICE TWO CENTS.

The Weather.

Generally cooler and from partly cloudy to fair.

BREVITIES

—The new patrol cart is being used on the streets of the city.

—The May term of the Union County Court will begin to-morrow.

—The McAll Auxiliary will meet in the Public Library to-morrow at 11 a. m.

—The Germans of this city will have their annual May walk next Sunday.

—New Jersey's representatives to the Minneapolis convention are a credit to the State.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Warren Mission chapel will hold a meeting to-morrow evening.

—The Metropolis Choral Society will give the last of the series of concerts at the Casino, Tuesday evening.

—Sugar plums made in the guise of glass scales and put up in little canvas bags are the latest confectioners' novelty.

—The firemen in the various companies will hold their annual election to-night. The polls will be open from seven until nine.

—The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the Public Library on Tuesday morning, May 3d at 11 o'clock.

—Thursday evening the Bicycle Club will entertain their friends by an exhibition of gymnastics in the gymnasium of the club.

—A new lodge of Knights of Honor, to be known as Tuscarora Lodge, is to be instituted at New Market next Wednesday evening.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Plainfield Republican Club will be held on Tuesday, May 3, at 8 p. m. at the Republican Headquarters.

—There will be to-night an entertainment at the Boys' Club, consisting of music, stereopticon, lectures, recitation, etc. All are cordially invited.

—The train due in this city at 1.15 a. m. met with an accident after it left Jersey City this morning and did not arrive here until about three o'clock.

—Mr. Beach, the agent for the Arnold steam cooker, has just received a large invoice of new goods, coffee cookers, oil stoves, etc. See his advertisement elsewhere.

—An exchange remarks that this is the time a man eats Spring onions for luncheon and spends the rest of the day removing his breath in sections to keep people from failing over it.

—The mountains were crowned with fire last night. Blazes like flames were five and ten feet high. A couple of bicyclists rode over Johnston's Drive about seven o'clock and they say that they passed many pedestrians who had walked up to enjoy the view of the mountain fire and the well-lighted city beneath.

—On account of the "Rending deal" the peach growers of Hunterdon county anticipate an increase in freight rates. Heretofore there has been active competition between the Central and Lehigh Valley roads. Now the growers are at the mercy of a gigantic combine, and fear they will be compelled to pay what ever is demanded.

—It is perhaps well to call attention to the fact that the destruction of song birds by shooting, trapping or in any manner, is prohibited by law and the penalty is very severe. Young men and boys will do well to bear this fact in mind, they may go on breaking the law in this matter, and not be brought up to account for it, and yet, again, they may. They will find it cheaper to let a whole flock of birds alone, than to be caught shooting one.

—Among the striking sights of New York are those to be seen at the docks. It is as interesting to look at a steamship load of Americans bound for Europe as to look at a steamship load of foreign immigrants coming into port. The outward-bound Americans are apt to be less picturesque in their garb than the incoming foreigners. It is estimated by the agents of the steamship companies that above them 100,000 Americans will visit Europe this year, and at least six times as many Europeans will come to the United States.

—Everything now is glorious Spring. The flowers are vieing with the trees in getting out their leaves and blossoms. Somerset street, with the aid of the street commissioner, is getting rid of the heavy over-coat of mud. The girls and boys are quite gay in their charming costumes. Yet in spite of all this "that tired feeling" has got at work. The doctorio field has it so bad that it can't make the rounds of the side-streets, which have to rely on the new moon for help. That seems to have Spring fever thing. A little dose of complaint applied personally might prove beneficial.

Painfully Injured.

Miss Delia O'Connor, a resident of North Plainfield, who was in the employ of Mrs. Huntington of Ninth street as a domestic, met with a painful accident Saturday. She was standing under a chair when it fell striking her on the head and also badly cutting her about the body. Dr. Long is attending her.

Advertised Letters.

Remaining in the Dunellen Post Office for the month ending April 30, 1892:

Brewer, Mrs. M. H. Randolph, Miss N. (2)
Donaldson, Emil Stiles, Mrs. Estes
Foster, Mrs. A. Smalley, Mrs. M. A.
Hill, J. A. Sebring, John H.
Montgomery, M. E. Wolverton, Thos. L.

Persons calling for the above please say advertised. James H. Harold, P. M.

THE ELECTRIC ROAD.

The Work on the Trolley System Began To-Day.

The work on the new electric street railway was begun this morning. The material with which to erect the road arrived last week. The Trolley system is the system to be used as a test. If it does not suit horse cars will be substituted.

The work on the road was commenced at Monroe avenue near the Irving school. The route is as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of West Sixth avenue with the southwesterly line of Park avenue and running thence through West Sixth street, Liberty to Plainfield avenue, thence through Plainfield avenue southerly to West Seventh street; thence through West Seventh street westerly to Monroe avenue; thence through Monroe avenue northerly to West Fourth street; thence through West Fourth street easterly to Grant avenue; thence through Grant avenue northerly to West Front street; thence through West Front street to the southwesterly side line of Park avenue, and also from Front street through Somerset street to the line of North Plainfield township.

Dr. Charles F. Stillman Dead.

Dr. Charles F. Stillman, who was brought from Chicago to the home of his brother-in-law, ex-Councilman J. K. Myers, of West Seventh street, a few days ago, suffering with pneumonia, is dead.

His death occurred at 6.30 o'clock this morning evening, and his funeral will be private.

During the past few days we have made our readers familiar with the incidents which led to the untimely end of this most brilliant young man, and it may be well, now that he is dead, to refer to some of the work of his life.

Three years ago he was one of the most respected and skillful physicians in this city, a man of brilliant reputation as an orthopedic surgeon, whose writings on the subject were accepted as standard, and works by the medical profession. He was medical examiner for the Mutual Life Insurance Company for the General Agency of New York, Examining Surgeon for the Travelers' Insurance Company of Hartford, Examiner of Physical Examination for Life Insurance in the University of Vermont, Orthopedic Surgeon to the New York Infant Asylum, Lecturer on Orthopedic Surgery in the Woman's Medical College of the New York Infirmary, member of the American Orthopedic Association, permanent member of the American Medical Association, Fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine and member of the County Medical Society and of the Medico-Legal Society. He was only thirty-eight years old. He was handsome, in fact, dashing, always courteous and an athlete. Socially he was popular. As a man about town he was known and a favorite. He belonged to the New York Yacht, the Union League, the Lotos, the Reunel and the Lenox Clubs. His father was the late Dr. C. H. Stillman, formerly Mayor and then President of the Board of Education of Plainfield.

Dr. Stillman's inventions in surgical appliances have been adopted in the Medical Departments of the United States and European armies. They are especially designed to relieve suffering from fractured limbs and hip diseases, and are made so that the patient may move about without extra pain. His patented these inventions merely to prevent any one else doing so and charging fancy prices for them. After patenting them he gave their free use to the medical profession.

The Public Library.

Monthly bulletin of new books added to the Public Library, April, 1892:

U. S. War Department Rebellion Record, 2 vols, gift.
Andersen—Last Fairy Tales.
Walford. Mr. Smith
U. S. Standard Steamship Association Register, 1890-91, 2 vols, gift.
Ireland—Jane Welsh Carlyle.
Hengler—Book of Games.
Dictionary of National Biography, 20 vols.
Lake—Discovery of America, 2 vols.
Grey—Enigmas of Life.
Morley, English writer, Surrey to Spenser.
Peep—The Workless, the Thriftless, and the Worthless.
Hennessan—Idle Hours.
Reid—Afloat in the Forest, gift.
" Boy Hunters, gift.
" Boy Slaves, gift.
" Cliff Climbers, gift.
" Giraffe Hunters, gift.
Verne—Five Weeks in a Balloon, gift.
Crelk—Christina's Mistake, gift.
Dixon—Witness Funds, gift.
Gisborne—Duties of Women, gift.
Murray—English Reader; gift.
" Introd. to Lecciles' Francais.
Montagu—Letters, gift.
Parsons—Rights of a Citizen of the United States, gift.
Tyrrell—Course of English Reading, gift.
Smith—Three Eras of a Woman's Life.
Stowe—Pink and White Tyranny.
Wood—Sabbath Lands, Gift.
Scott Bible Commentary, 6 v. Gift.
Georges—Condition of Labor. Gift.
N. J. 47th Senate Journal. Gift.
N. J. 115th General Assembly Minutes. Gift.
" 115th Legislature Documents, 8v. Gift.
Hughes—Loyola.
Knapp—Photographs of the world. Gift.
U. S. Interior Department—Indian Affairs, 1875-76, 2v. Gift.
U. S. Congress—House Journal, 1875-76, 2v. Gift.
U. S. Congress—Senate Journal, 1875-76, 1v. Gift.
Powell, J. W.—Lands of the arid region. Gift.
U. S. State papers—Public Lands, 8v. Gift.
U. S. State papers—Military Affairs, 5v. Gift.
U. S. State paper—Finance, 2v. Gift.
U. S. State papers—Naval Affairs.
American archives, 9v. Gift.
Scudder, S. H.—Entomology Insects of N. America. Gift.
U. S. Geological Survey. Mineral resources of U. S. 8v. Gift.
U. S. Int. Department—Statistics of 8th census. Gift.
U. S. Int. Department—Statistics of 8th census population. Gift.

—The City Common Council will meet in regular session this evening at eight o'clock.

BASE BALL SATURDAY.

The Crescents Defeat the Bi.-Club by a Score of 20 to 8.

The base ball season was opened in this city Saturday. The contesting teams were the Crescents and the Bicycle club. The day was quite chilly, but, notwithstanding that, there were about four hundred persons present. The teams were made up as follows: Crescents Keeler, s.c.; Murphy, 1.f.; Turner, 2d.b.; Daly 3d, b.; Jones, 1st.b.; Mayo, c.; Windisch, r.f.; Bonner, c.f.; Keenan, p. Bicycle Club—Walker, 3d.b.; Walz, s.s.; Shepherd, c.f.; McLaughlin, 1.f.; Shiod, c.; Lindy, p.; Mc Murray, r.f.; McMurray, 1st.b.; Ellis, 2d.b.

The game was a practice one and all the Crescents with the exception of Mays played well and the members of the Crescent League are very well satisfied with the team. The members of the Bicycle Club team also made a good showing, although the Crescents defeated them by a score of 20 to 8.

The score by innings was as follows:

Crescents.....	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	1	0	1	4	6	1	1	6	0—20
Bi. Club.....	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0—8

Mr. Berriman umpired the game.

Saturday evening Manager Koller released Mays, the catcher. Wednesday the team will play the Staten Island Athletics.

EXPRESS MESSENGERS STRIKE.

The Employes of the U. S. Company Object to Paying Premiums.

The following circular was received by the United States Express messengers Saturday evening:

UNITED STATES EXPRESS COMPANY.
Eastern Express Division.
Atlantic Division.

New York, March 24, 1892.

Dear Sir—The time of the beneficiary agreement ending March 31st, 1892, it has been necessary to renew your bond for another year from that date.

The premium on your bond of $1,000 to March 31st, 1893, is $6.00, for which amount I inclose you herewith receipt.

You will please see that the war-bill on which this expense is received, is reported in your Supt. Statement to the General Auditor, in order to prevent war-bill tourist being issued.

Yours truly,
C. H. Torrion, Asst. Supt.

Expense, $6.75.

Upon receiving it the messengers went on strike. They claim that the company owes them money to furnish bonds in the sum of $1,000 instead of $2000, the amount furnished last year, and that they are compelled to pay for everything broken, whether it is their fault or not. They also say that the company compels them to purchase two uniforms every year.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. George Deal of Bound Brook is visiting friends in this city.

Mayor Alexander Gilbert will address the members of the educational department of the Y. M. C. A. at a reception to be held on Tuesday evening, May 10th.

Mr. F. A. Dunham, our well known county engineer, has been recently called to the town of Cortlandt, N. Y., to consult with the local authorities there as expert in the inaugurating of a new sewerage system.

Saturday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of her mother on Emily street, North Plainfield, Miss Lizzie Condit and Mr. Frank Ebert of New Brunswick were united in marriage. The Rev. Mr. Schnellenbrecker performed the marriage ceremony. A reception was tendered them at their new home in New Brunswick after their return. Miss Ruby acted as best man and Miss Lizzie Frohsom and Miss Louise Carman were the bridesmaids. The presents were numerous and pretty. The bride wore a black silk dress. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Bulkley, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Condit, Mrs. Koller, Mr. R. Ebert, Mr. John Ebert, Mrs. S. DeCastro, Miss Katie Frosbom, Mrs. Jos. Cooney, Mrs. Carman, Miss Lostenberger, the Misses Mary and Theresa Right and others.

They Have Ready Work Now.

All of the engineers, conductors and trainmen on the coolers and drillers of the Lehigh Valley system struck for time last week, for the first time in a month. The men have had to be content with an average of four days' work a week since the Reading lease of the Central Railroad of New Jersey and the Lehigh Valley went into effect, and there were rumors of a strike on that account. There is now a general expression of good feeling among the men, and it is said they have the assurance that they will make full time hereafter.

The Editorial Excursion.

The Executive Committee of New Jersey Editorial Association has under consideration two propositions for the annual excursion—one to Richfield, New York, and the other to Bar Harbor, Maine. The latter will occupy about ten days, and appears to be favored the most. It will include the representatives to a section of country that will be novel to most of them.

Base Ball.

The Merits of the Pond Machine Tool Works went to Scotch Plains Saturday afternoon and played a game of ball with the Alerts. The score is as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Alerts.....	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	—7
Merits.....	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	—4

One Hundred and Forty Killed.

Edward Agar, the keeper of the dog pound, reports that in all one hundred and forty dogs caught by the dog catchers have been killed. He further states that there are still a number of worthless curs at large.

—Policeman Glass arrested a horse that he found wandering around the streets Saturday night. The prisoner was afterwards claimed by its owner.

ATLANTIC CITY.

A Booming Season Ahead for the Great Resort and the Reading's Hopes Realized.

The popularity of Atlantic City long since reached National proportions, and it continues to grow from year to year. The approaching season promises to be the greatest ever known at this the greatest of all Summer resorts. The Reading Railroad, whose superb equipment at line between Philadelphia and Atlantic City has become famous throughout the country as the "Royal Route to the Sea," will continue to be the principal and favorite means of getting to and from the City by the Sea. The Reading Railroad's superiority in equipment is generally conceded. Its chief advantage consists in the fact that it has the only double track line of railroad to Atlantic City. The importance of this cannot be overestimated. Not only does it insure the absolute safety of passengers, but it admits of quicker and more reliable transit. The Reading line is also several miles shorter than any other route to Atlantic City, and it runs almost as straight as the crow flies. The great "Seventy-five Minute Flyers" are the most talked of trains in America. For beauty, elegance and speed they are literally beyond rivalry and those of the readers who visit Atlantic City should not fail to experience the delight of a ride on one of these matchless trains. The Summer schedule will comprise a larger number of fast express trains than has ever heretofore been run on any line. Trains will start at each frequent intervals that they can generally fail to catch a "Flyer," at whatever time he may desire to go. The Spring time table now in effect shows week day trains leaving Philadelphia at 8.00 and 9.00 a. m., 2.00 and 4.00 and 5.00 p. m. Sunday morning express trains leave at 8.00, 8.40 and 10.00 a. m. Returning trains start from Atlantic City at 8.00 and 9.00 a. m., 4.00 and 5.30 p. m. week days, 4.00, 5.45 and 9.00 p. m. Sundays. The "Royal Route to" Philadelphia stations are at Chestnut and South street wharves, and all Reading Railroad ticket offices have through tickets and baggage checks for Atlantic City.

A MINUTE PARCEL OF REAL ESTATE.

A Transaction in a California Sale that did not Require Much Money.

"Talking about funny real estate transactions," said a real estate man the other day, "I guess the following will be considered the most unique. It took place in San Diego, Cal. It was not a big deal, but the principle which is involved on the principle of reducing bids. That is to say, the tax collector must accept the highest bid for taxes that is offered. Sometimes a man who is behind on taxes he would have to pay; but generally the consideration doesn't come in at all. Recently the property of one Hamilton, a prominent person of the late seventies, was sold for taxes. The property was offered at one dollar, which is the limit, and was bought in by the owner, but it proved to be miles above it.

"Among the bidders were Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Condie, Mrs. Koller, Mr. R. Ebert, Mr. John Ebert, Mrs. S. DeCastro, Miss Katie Frosbom, Mrs. Jos. Cooney, Mrs. Carman, Miss Lostenberger, the Misses Mary and Theresa Right and others.

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LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

RECRO UPRISING.

Three Whites Killed—The Wires Cut.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 2.—(Special.)—At 2.30 o'clock this morning the police learned that a band of negroes had organized and started for Goodlettsville to avenge Eph Grizzard's death. The people there were warned and armed themselves for an attack.

Shortly after this news came that the uprising was at Trusa, thirty miles from Nashville.

The report said that the negroes were in complete possession of the town, and had killed three of the whites.

The wires were reported cut.

His Life for an Illicit Kiss.

ANDERSON, Ind., May 2d. (Special.)—When Geo. Doyle went to the residence of Earl Dudding, a farmer near Anderson, he found Mrs. Dudding and her husband sitting on the porch. Doyle coolly walked up and kissed Mrs. Dudding, whereupon the husband drew his revolver and fired three times, shooting Doyle through the right elbow, thigh and right lung. Doyle will die. Dudding gave himself up. His conduct is regarded as justifiable.

A Woman's Murdered Body Found.

WESTERLY, R. I., May 2, (Special.)—This quiet town is all agog this morning over the discovery of a murder mystery. The body of a colored woman was found early this morning lying in a pond, about one-eighth of a mile up the track from the railroad station, with the throat cut from ear to ear. There is absolutely no clew as yet to the murderer.

One Woman and a Child Perish in the Flames.

LEADVILLE, Col., May 2, (Special.)—Last night a fire which started in Loeb's Variety Theatre spread and destroyed half the State street block. One woman and a little child were burned to death. The damage is estimated at $40,000, with about $10,000 insurance.

Three Men Killed in a Railroad Wreck.

VALPARAISO, Ind., May 2d. (Special.)—A big freight wreck occured at Hasklis this morning. Three men were killed. The train plunged into an open bridge.

Coal Advanced To-Day.

New York, May 2d. (Special.)—The price of coal was advanced 25 cents per ton to-day. This means $1,250,000 to the Reading combine.

UNION COUNTY ROAD HOUSES.

An Effort to Close them on Sundays and to Stop Fast Driving.

Judge McCormick's remarks in the Union County Court at Elizabeth a few days ago about the road houses around the county on Sunday, and his order to issued special instructions to be issued to the Elizabeth police yesterday to arrest all persons violating the excise law. The Railway, Westfield and Newark roads are fine speedways, and on Sunday afternoon and evening the roadsters and whose drivers are looking for a brush, and if the speed happens to be a mile or two beyond the city limit and occasionally beyond the jurisdiction of the police, they have found doing a thriving business for the past few Sundays.

Many, however, in addition to the Elizabeth police there were special deputies out on the roads, and as a result there were no arrests made. It is hinted that some of the proprietors of the road houses will be called before the Grand Jury which will sit to-morrow.

Pen Sketches from Life.

A very little boy, aged five, with an older companion went to the counter of the theatre to buy candy for the first time in his life that he had been inside a theatre. They were about half an hour ahead of time.

The situation of this the little fellow was very fully realized. The next one he ever treated on the occasion was the last.

Then he got tired. Turning to the boy-candy dispenser he said decidedly, "come on, let's go. I've been 'fo all," and then in an even more disgusted tone, repeated, "I've been 'fo all," and then, as if to himself, he added, "and the water don't move any how."

IT creates a miracle of energy at a still greater miracle of cost— H-O

Has same H-O for breakfast.

IF YOU WANT PURE ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER Cheese, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at NORTH AVENUE. Also on hand canned goods, pickles, etc. THOS. CAREY. 18 tue,

CARRIAGES! HARNESS

I have just received and will continue to receive car load lot consignment of Carriages and Harness of every description, from the Best Builders, which I will dispose of at manufacturer's prices for cash.

These carriages are all guaranteed by The Builders, under the National Carriage Makers Guarantee, of one year.

If you want to save 25 per cent. on the price of a Carriage or Harness call and see if we can please you. We think we can.

RYERSON, 33 Somerset St.

CARRIAGES! HARNESS

MATTINGS

In Carpet, Lace and Chenille Portieres, Lambrequins, Curtains, Poles, Etc.

We guarantee to save you money, and you always get the very best quality and lowest prices, at

EDSALL'S!

CAREY'S SALE POSTPONED

on account of weather not permitting, will sell on

Tuesday, May 3d, at 2 p. m. Sharp,

CORNER FRONT AND GROVE STREETS,

All New and Elegant Furniture.

Consists of very fine Oak Bedroom Suites, elegant Parlor Suites in Willow Rug, Diningroom Suites, Rockers, Chairs and Tables, Hall Racks, Folding Bed, Stoves, Willow Rug Couches Carpets, etc.

Terms Cash. T. J. CAREY, Auctioneer.

DON'T FORGET DAY AND DATE.

Cents-a-Word Column.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A YOUNG man, sober, industrious and honest, would like attention with painter. Remarried. Correspondence solicited. If there are boss painters in Plainfield wishing to hire a man, address "A. E. C." of EVENING NEWS. 30-3

WANTED—A situation as cook or gen'l and housework in country or town. Call No. 69 West Sixth street. 30-3

WANTED—Situation by young colored man with farmer. 21 College place. 30-3

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A young lady to play matches and sell confectionery. Address "Monie," care EVENING NEWS. 29

WANTED—A dressmaker to take work by the day. Wages $20. Mrs. E. J. Phillips, Park avenue, Dunellen.

WANTED—A girl, willing and experienced, for general housework. 22 East Front street. 5 tue

WANTED—Carpet weavers and carpet sewers for the season of 1892. References required. 13 La Grande avenue. 2 5

WANTED—Germen or Swede girl for general housework. Apply at 24 Carlton avenue. 2 2

WANTED—Two good girls to learn dress making. Call at 32 West Second street. 30-3

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A valuable breast pin—a shield of diamonds, emeralds and rubies. $10 reward. Return for owner care of EVENING NEWS. 30-3

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A four-room building on Rock street. No improvements. Inquire at News office. 29-tf

TO RENT—A seven-room dwelling, No. 116 South Second street; $19 per month. Apply at Power's store yard, corner of Somerset street and Power place. 4 29tf

FOR SALE.

CARRIAGES at manufacturer's prices for cash at Ryerson's 33 Somerset street. 30-3

1892 Psyche, diamond frame, brand new, only cost $140, will sell for $110, guaranteed for one year. Address "Psyche," care of EVENING NEWS. 29 6

FOR SALE—Good family horse 12½ hands high, sound and kind. Apply at 19 Park Place, or P. Jenner, New Market, N. J. 29-6

DESIRABLE building lots on two fine streets at Edgewood Park. Inquire of Edward A. F. D. Clark, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to C. C. Hubbard, Bound Brook, N. J., and on Clinton road, Dunellen. 29 tue

FOR SALE — Grass and Chester White grass seed. John Berry, 308. 4-6-2

MISCELLANEOUS.

DON'T forget Carey's auction sale to-morrow, at two and a quarter, Furniture, at corner, two p. m. sharp.

GERMAN lessons, conversation, reading and grammar taught. Address "G" care of EVENING NEWS. 30-6

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order, bought and sold. Call Plainfield Second-hand Store. 29-tf

PARTY who borrowed lay to look at house kindly return same. 30-3

ROOMS with board. No. 21 West Second street. 30 6

STABLE opposite vacated at 105 Broadway. 30-3

TEETH, artificial, from $5 per set. Teeth re-fitted or Remodeled. Dr. Hall, 7 Somerset street. 29-tf

WANTED—To buy a second-hand Singer sewing machine. Address "Singer," care EVENING NEWS. 29-6

PLAINFIELD BARGAIN HOUSE.

V. & W. Say:

Do you want Matting? If so, we guarantee to sell it to you at a lower price than any other house in the city. We have the largest, by far, the newest stock, and choicest styles and all new, fresh goods. No wrapper-stained matting among them.

For Ten Cents

You have your choice of any different styles of Fine Ingrain Carpet that we have been selling freely for 15 cents.

For Five Cents

You buy Fine Checked Matting.

For Twenty-five Cents

We will offer 500 Infants Swiss Hats. The 35c. kind.

For Sixteen Cents

We will sell you 40 inch All Wool Scotch Zephyr Gingham. Regular price 25c.

Try us on Matting, at your own price.

We will open out Fine Spring Jackets, Printed Satteens, Ginghams and Prints at regular price. These are not this season's goods, but you can get as many for less change.

For Eighty-five Cents

You buy a Nickel Cross Hammocket Table Cloth. Real value $1 cents.

Try us on matting.

For One Twenty

You buy one dozen all linen Shaver napkins. Regular price $1.50.

We are offering Navy Serpents throughout this week. Regular price 25 cents. Don't forget Lenten Trimmings, Fancy Braids, Gimpures, Ornaments, Buttons, Gimpures, etc., at prices we guarantee the lowest.

Van Emburgh & White.

MUSIC HALL!

Friday, May 6th,

Bessie Kate Cambron leading Concert & Grand's comedians, in the whirlwind of laughter,

"THE DAZZLER,"

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EDITORIAL NOTES

A New Moral Crusade.

Among the nondescript mass of immigrants now pouring into our land, those from Hungary, Russia, including Poland, and Italy are most objectionable. It is against these that it seems a bar of some kind must be set up. The czar has refused to allow any of his Jewish exiled subjects to return to him, so that the nations among which these are now being scattered must be careful how they admit them if they are not to stay permanently.

Looking into the ground of objection to the classes of immigrants mentioned above, we find that they are not generally criminals or paupers. They belong simply to the common working population of the lands whence they come, and are in fact a shade better than the ordinary laboring class of those countries, or they would not have pluck enough to pick up and leave home. The objection to the Italians, Poles, Russians, etc., is chiefly this, that they are filthy and breed disease. Typhus fever itself is a disease of uncleanliness.

If these poor wretches were only clean in their persons they would mostly make desirable citizens for any country. Here then let us inaugurate a great moral crusade. Let some practical reformer go from city to city, from land to land, cleaning up the poorer classes, educating them to the use of soap and water impressing the matter on them so powerfully that they will never again be comfortable unless they are clean. Then they will refuse to eat garbage or wear clothing more than ten years without renovation. They will also refuse to live in ratholes and foul dens. It will not be an easy task, this reform, for man when he does become thoroughly dirty is far more filthy than the beast.

Still the thing will not be by any means impossible. If, as some say, a thief or murderer can never be anything else, because of the conformation of his skull, then it is easy to see why moral progress is blocked in the direction of the grown up vicious. But in the cleaning up crusade there is no such anatomical obstacle. A human being is not filthy because of the configuration of his bumps, but simply because he has never found out the physical luxury of bodily cleanliness. Once he has found this out, even his bad bumps will yield to moral manipulation. Along this line there is good hope.

Statistics About Marriage.

If a girl wishes to know how long she may venture to remain single without destroying altogether her matrimonial prospect she should investigate a table prepared by a mathematician who had apparently run out of anything else to figure on. Taking 100 as a basis, the figurer finds that the most women are married between the ages of 20 and 25 fully 52 per cent. of them. Only 14½ per cent. wed between 15 and 20, which seems to show that sweet 16, and even sweet 18, are no longer so fashionable or desirable in brides as they used to be. Between 30 and 35 the chances are 15½ per cent., a little greater still than it was between 25 and 20. There is material for hope in this fact, certainly.

After 35, however, there is a tremendous drop. No more than from three to four girls out of a hundred marry between 35 and 40. The young woman who does not intend to finish her days single should therefore make haste to take a husband before she reaches the fatal age of 35. After a woman is 40 years old the chances are only one out of a thousand that she will ever marry.

To complete this analysis, one only needs the matrimonial temper tables prepared by Sir Francis Galton. One learns from them that among wives 53 per cent. are good tempered, while only 46 per cent. of all husbands are thus good natured. Among wives, moreover only 6 per cent. are found to be "masterful." So that it is still safe for a man to marry.

Democrats of Fremont, Neb., nominate Amos J. Cummings for president. Why not? We have had lawyers and soldiers in abundance for president, why not try a newspaper man? There are a hundred reasons in favor of it, but among the strongest is that we should never have to read any presidential message over a column and a half long, head lines included. The journalist president would know how to boil down everything, even congress.

Brazil received an accession to her population of 200,000 emigrants from Europe last year, just such people as she wanted to help develop her economy. But if Brazil continues to curl up as she has been doing lately she will get no more immigrants. She must settle down and behave herself, let politics alone and go to raising coffee and sugar, then she can get all the foreign population she wants and more too.

About this time of year read what Daniel Webster says: "America has furnished to the world the character of Washington. And if our American institutions had done nothing else, that alone would have entitled them to the respect of mankind. Thank God! I—I also—am an American!"

The new plate glass factory at Alexandria, Ind., will turn out 100,000 square feet of plate glass a week.

MAY DAY DISTURBANCES

They Are Conspicuous Abroad by Their Absence.

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP WOOLWICH.

Case of Dynamite, Gun Cotton and Cartridges Discovered in Time to Prevent an Explosion—Anarchists in Paris Overawed by a Large Force of Troops.

LONDON, May 2.—This city was on Sunday the greatest labor demonstration in its history. From early morning a continuous procession of labor unions and socialistic societies thronged the streets in the vicinity of Hyde park.

But one incident of the day betrayed the dangerous undercurrent of the demonstration. Shortly after noon a sentinel in the Woolwich arsenal discovered at the entrance of the gun factory a bag containing eight canisters loaded with dynamite, gun cotton and cartridges. He called in a policeman and the bag was removed. No fuse was attached to the canisters, but a detonator was found in the bottom of the bag. The plot was, undoubtedly, to destroy England's greatest arsenal, although thereby 17,000 men would have been thrown out of employment. It has been the boast of the war office that no anarchists or socialists could be found in the arsenal. The police, however, although exceedingly vigilant, acknowledge that the dynamite must have been placed by an arsenal workman, as the presence of a stranger would have been remarked by the guards. No arrests have been made.

An Anarchist Assaulted.

By 3 o'clock there were fully 250,000 people in the parks and open spaces and 2 o'clock the crowd swelled to half a million. Scores of meetings were held. Among the speakers were County Councillor John Burns, Engineer Burt, Secretary Tillett, Aveling, Karl Marx's son-in-law. All of the meetings were closed with resolutions in favor of political agitation for the eight hour day. Of the sixteen great platforms but one was devoted to anarchism, and here the only disturbance of the day occurred. An anarchist started in at the close of his speech:

"You are worse than slaves, worse than African slaves. You let your employers suck your blood and seduce your wives and daughters."

The crowd began to yell, and a sailor near the platform caught the anarchist by the leg and pulled him to the ground. There the anarchist was hustled around until his coat, waistcoat and shirt were gone. Then he was driven away from the meeting.

Paris on the Qui Vive.

PARIS, May 2.—Paris was uneasy in the shoes all day Sunday. In the barracks, at the police stations, and in the districts around the public buildings, thousands of armed men stood ready to march out at a moment's notice and shoot to kill. Every public building was surrounded with fifty or sixty infantry with ball cartridges in their rifles. Outside sentinels at intervals of ten yards patrolled the streets. No civilian was allowed to approach within 100 yards of any national or municipal building. No attempt was made by workingmen to hold street meetings. Only one outdoor meeting. They held, however several monster indoor meetings with a total attendance of 100,000. The principal meeting was in the Salle Favie at Belleville. All the great socialist orators were present.

The speeches were fiery and often incendiary. Ravachol was deified by one speaker amid hisses and cheers. In general, however, the socialists had matters their own way to the exclusion of the anarchists. The rich were denounced as robbers who must be deprived of their plunder. Demands were made that the bourgeoisie should be compelled to give up houses and land to be divided among the poor. There was a heated debate over resolutions that the laborer owned the earth and all he helped it produce, but the resolutions eventually went through.

Bomb Explosions in Liege.

LIEGE, May 2.—This city was panic stricken last evening, and collisions between the crowds of workingmen and the national militia occurred hourly. A body of militia came upon a crowd of workingmen and tried to march through. Instantly there were cries of "Down with the police!" and "Long live anarchy!"

The militia dispersed the crowd, but hardly a minute later a bomb was exploded in front of a shop about fifty yards away. The pavement was shattered and all the windows of near by buildings were blown out. Nobody was injured. Within ten minutes two more bombs were exploded in the same district. The damage was trifling but the excitement was intense. Fifty arrests were made.

They Only Sang in Berlin.

BERLIN, May 2.—Most of the trouble here was caused by a revolutionary song printed by the Socialists. It is a letter of the Carmagnole adapted to the Marseillaise and the title is "The German Workingman's Marseillaise." The police seized Der Sozialist and arrested the editor for attempting to disturb the public peace, but the singing continued all over the city. The military were under arms all day.

All Quiet in Rome.

ROME, May 2.—This city was quiet Sunday. Every public building was almost surrounded by policemen or military. Bodies of infantry and cavalry passed through the city at intervals and a ballon ascension several violent speeches against the government were made, but there was no effort at disorder outside.

For the Eight Hour Day.

GLASGOW, May 2.—About 25,000 laboring men participated in the eight hour demonstration here. There were no disorders. The speakers advised the men to elect laborers to parliament instructed to devote all their time to agitation in favor of the eight hour day.

The Queen Was on Parade.

MADRID, May 2.—The queen drove through the principal streets of the city May Day. There were no disturbances. A special effort was made to keep the streets clear of military, so as to offer no provocation to anarchists.

A Priest Finds a Bomb.

SEVILLE, May 2.—A priest upon entering the confessional here found a metal tube with a burning fuse attached. He extinguished the fuse and took the tube to the police, who found that it was filled with dynamite.

No Public Parades Permitted.

AMSTERDAM, May 2.—Public processions were prohibited here as in other European cities. The meetings were orderly. No disturbances are reported.

THE WEEK IN CONGRESS.

The Session Adds Many Cases Up to the Docket.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Congress may be a very interesting body this week. The most interesting topic of national concern, that is one of the probabilities on the week's programme, is connected with the Ninth Defiance Indian incident, and a number of nice things will be said about Daly if the matter is brought forward. It is in the form of a bill to carry out the treaty stipulations in the case of the Indians who fled to the United States courts, but only in the courts of the state of Louisiana. The Italian government formally complained that this government was violating its treaty agreement in not taking into its own hands the punishment of the culpable persons. Secretary Blaine explained to Italy that jurisdiction could be had only through the state courts of Louisiana, the jurisdiction over murder in the several states being given to them.

In order to avert in the future any difficulty of this nature, the bill referred to was brought in by the committee on foreign relations and it is probable that it will be passed.

Another matter of interest likely to be debated in the senate is the resolution introduced by Mr. Kyle to instruct the commissioner of labor to investigate the causes of cities having a population of more than 200,000.

The naval appropriation bill, making appropriations for a number of new ships in addition to those allowed by the house, has been reported from the appropriations committee and may be called up during the week.

Appropriation bills will occupy the attention of the house most of the week. The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill will be taken up and probably be disposed of. The chief items for discussion are appropriations of $65,000 for the survey of the International Continental railway and of $25,000 for the bureau of American republics and Mr. Chipman's movement to prohibit the payment from the contingent fund of any claim by a government against the United States.

FASHIONS

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Here is a very graceful gown made in any pretty light fabric suitable for spring and summer. It looks particularly well in pale grey woolen cloth, with a narrow band of darker grey velvet by way of trimming, headed with a narrow grey silk gimp. This gimp is placed half round the hem of the skirt with excellent effect. It also edges the bodice in a long point in front, and borders the sash and sleeves.

Expelled by Tooth Followers.

PITTSBURG, May 2.—Henry E. Feicht, a prominent member of the Knights of Economy, has been expelled by the Dunfaction, who are followers of Dr. Tood, of Chicago. Mr. Feicht has appealed to the Denver convention and the question now is right promises to swamp the economites.

A $6,000 Turing and Feathering.

LA SALLE CENTER, Miss., May 2.—The sensational case of Mrs. Katie Boyd against Cornelius Hendon and his three sons ended in a verdict of $6,000 in favor of Mrs. Boyd. The Hendons were in the habit of visiting Mrs. Boyd at midnight and because of some fancied wrong tarred and feathered her.

Harrison Did Not Profit by It.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Russell B. Harrison's name was connected with the securing of the lease of the Yerkes property by Jay Gould, testimony given before the house committee on public lands, but it was not shown that he profited by the transaction.

Millbank Did Not Fight He Money.

PARIS, May 2.—Harry Vane Millbank, who is still in Canada, repudiates the following letter: "Pinero, London, on my authority the rumor published in Paris and London that my adversary at Ostend was the Duc de Morny."

Reciprocity with Honduras.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—President Harrison has issued his proclamation announcing the establishment, under the provisions of section 3 of the McKinley tariff law, of reciprocal relations with Honduras.

Threw Her Into a Cesspool.

CAMDEN, N. J., May 2.—Mrs. Chenoweth, a seven-year-old Polo living in Camden, threw two-year-old Mary Dangerfield into a cesspool. The girl was rescued almost dead.

For the Murder of Hayden.

NEWARK, N. J., May 2.—The police have arrested Judge Long and George Hall on suspicion of being implicated in the murder of Thomas Hayden in the Union building.

NOT A LEG TO STAND ON

How Blaine Worsted Canada's Reciprocity Commission.

THE TIME HAS COME TO RETALIATE.

The Canadians Evidently Came on a Prospecting Tour, but Their Visit Resulted in President Harrison's Message Against the Wolfoed Canal System of Toll.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The message which President Harrison is expected to send to congress this week concerning the second subject of reciprocity with Canada. It will convey to congress the report of the conference upon the subject of reciprocity between the two countries held by Messrs. Thompson and Tupper with Secretary Foster, Commissioner of U. W. Foster, in February last, in this city. This conference was self invited by the Canadian visitors, and as they came without authority and possibly without inclination to propose anything definite or substantial to counteract the move to cripple Canada. It was even charged at the time that they only came on a prospecting tour to see what the United States would do, and without any idea of doing much of anything themselves.

In the message transmitting the report, it is understood the president makes some suggestions to congress, the principal one of which is that this government impose tolls upon Canadian vessels passing through the Sault St. Marie, in retaliation for the discriminating tolls imposed upon United States vessels passing through the Welland and St. Lawrence canals. The course of the Canadian commissioners, Messrs. Thompson and Tupper, in addition to this matter of discrimination by their government against United States vessels demonstrated that their errand was a foolish one, and that they have been powerless to carry out promises which they were understood to have made before leaving Washington.

Secretary Blaine's Protest.

At one of their meetings it is said Secretary Blaine made a most vigorous protest in behalf of the United States against the practice of charging discriminating tolls against United States vessels passing through the Welland and St. Lawrence canals. His account of the trade is said to have been most complete, showing a thorough familiarity with all the facts and to have left no array of statistics that could not be witnessed. The statement was so convincing that the visitors practically could make no defense, and promised, according to the understanding of Secretary Blaine and General Foster, to have the practice discontinued with the opening of the season this year. So far as the officials here have been able to ascertain this has been by the Canadian authorities, and it is felt that the time has come for the United States to retaliate.

BARONESS WAS SHADOWED.

But She Did Not Like It and Had a Detective Arrested.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The Baroness Elizabeth L. Blanc is again involved in a quarrel with her husband. The pair have several times heretofore figured in the public prints, but this is the first time they have been in the courts. The baron is reputed to be rich, but very little is known of his history. He has been a conspicuous figure at Belle Favie at Belleville. All the great socialist orators were present.

The baroness appeared in the Yorkville court recently and complained against Count Rigel, a handsome looking man of forty, whom she accuses of following and annoying her in the streets.

Leonard said he was a private detective directly engaged by Baron Blanc to shadow his wife. The court issued a subpœna summoning the baron to appear in court. Leonard was held to appear in $500 bonds. Before coming to this city Mrs. Riegel attempted to become an actress and appeared at the Temple theater in Philadelphia as prima donna in the comic opera "The Little Tycoon." She was a sheriling failure. Her notoriety failed to draw and she ended her theatrical career in less than a week.

Reciprocity with Austria.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The negotiations between Austria and the United States for the establishment of reciprocal trade relations to a limited extent, it is understood, are nearly completed. The correspondence and the proclamation of President Harrison announcing that fact is expected to be promulgated within a short time, probably.

Move Food for Russia.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The British steamship Tynehead sailed at noon with her previous cargo of breadstuffs, contributed by the people of Iowa for Riga, Russia, on her errand of mercy to the starving peasants of the famine stricken districts of the great empire. In round numbers she carries 7,000,000 pounds of food.

New York Was Not "Dry."

NEW YORK, May 2.—It was an easy matter to get a drink in New York yesterday, as all saloons had their side doors open, in accordance with the excise rules of Sunday, and that of the two preceding Sundays caused much comment.

Rev. McKelvey Against a Reduction.

JERSEY CITY, May 2.—Rev. Alexander McKelvey, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, was surprised his congregation by announcing that a reduction would be made in the pastor's salary. The trustees were about to reduce his salary.

Boilermakers on Strike.

CHICAGO, May 2.—Eight hundred boilermakers and iron shipbuilders of Chicago and South Chicago went out on a strike at midnight because they were refused nine hours a day and increased wages.

Miss Conley the Victor.

ST. PAUL, May 2.—Miss Conley, the Ithaca giant, and C. F. Fisher, of El Paso, met at Moyer's Opera house for a purse of $300. Fisher was badly pulled, and the referee gave the fight to Conley.

Fatal Wreck Near Coatesville.

COATESVILLE, Pa., May 2.—The limited express west was thrown down an embankment here. Henry Shultz, engineer of the express, was fatally scalded. His fireman, H. R. Martin, was killed.

Winnipeg's Big Fire.

WINNIPEG, Man., May 2.—Fire destroyed the Princess Opera house, the Salvation Army barracks, four stores and ten dwelling houses. The loss is about $75,000.

Paderewski to Come Again.

LONDON, May 2.—Paderewski, the pianist, will arrive America this fall. He will give 80 concerts and play 200 compositions which Americans have not yet heard.

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Three Hundred Delegates on the President's List.

SENATOR GRAY IS IN THE FIELD.

It Is Said That Ex-Secretary Bayard's Claims to the Presidential Nomination May Be Pushed by Cleveland's Friends if the Ex-President Does Not Run.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—An interesting story in politics is found in the official tab which is kept at administration headquarters here for the purpose of keeping track of the result of the district and state conventions which select delegates to the Minneapolis convention. The states which have instructed delegates as a body to vote for the renomination of President Harrison will send to the Minneapolis convention 154 delegates, as follows: Florida 8, North Carolina 22, South Carolina 18, Georgia 28, Indiana 30, Missouri 24, Nebraska 16.

In the states which have failed to instruct the delegates at large to vote for renomination are some delegates who have voluntarily indicated their determination to vote for President Harrison.

New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio.

New York is relied upon to give the president under the existing circumstances, even though there is nothing done to wheel around the entire seventy-two delegates, at least twenty-three votes on the first ballot. Out of Pennsylvania's sixty-four delegates at least eighteen have already indicated that they intend to support the president on the first ballot. Although no effort was made to secure instructions in the Ohio convention last week twenty of the total forty-six delegates are expected to vote for renomination, even though nothing is done to capture Blackburn delegates. Three-fourths of the Michigan delegates have been instructed by their districts to vote for a renomination.

It will be seen by these figures that 225 delegates have already been placed upon the Harrison roster, either by instructions from state or district conventions or upon the voluntary motion of the delegates themselves. This is just one over half of the number required to renominate President Harrison upon the first ballot. There will be in the convention 856 delegates; necessary to a choice, 449.

Conventions This Month.

In the current month Republicans will hold state conventions in California, Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Kansas, Maryland, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia, and probably some other states and territories in which the dates of conventions have not yet been fixed.

The states named will select 182 delegates, and it is estimated that out of this number sixty will be instructed in state conventions to vote for the renomination of President Harrison. And at least fifteen more will either receive instructions through their districts or will, upon their own motion, announce in favor of renomination, making 90 all seventy-five delegates in eight.

The President Claims 300.

Added to the 225 already mentioned, the Harrison column swells up to exactly 300 in positive figures. The possibilities beyond those figures are very great. It is expected that the eight delegates from the territories will all be for renomination, and it is confidently believed that New York and Ohio, as a whole, will ultimately determine to vote for renomination upon the first ballot, insuring success by acclamation.

The opponents of renomination in figuring that the states with uninstructed delegations will solidly oppose the president have neglected to take into consideration the fact that the unit rule does not apply in Republican conventions, and that it is quite the custom for state delegations to divide in national conventions. Thus, while Mr. Reed may have succeeded in instructing instructions to the Maine delegation, and has an ardent friend or two upon it, there are those who will be in the convention who will support the president from the first ballot.

Senator Gray for President.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The Recorder says that a new Democratic presidential possibility has come forward within the last week in the person of Senator Gray, of Delaware, and that the Cleveland leaders are seriously considering the feasibility of springing him upon the Chicago convention as the legatee of ex-President Cleveland, in case the latter does not run. Senator Gray is one of Cleveland's most trusted advisers during the last administration and would be entirely acceptable to the ex-president now in case his renomination should be out of the question. He is an ardent tariff reformer and an opponent of free silver, and has not had occasion to antagonize the anti-Cleveland wing of his party.

The Tippecanoe Club Wants Harrison.

CHICAGO, May 2.—The old Tippecanoe club adopted resolutions urging the renomination of President Harrison and made preliminary arrangements for a convention of all the Tippecanoe clubs in the United States. The national gathering of the men who voted for William Henry Harrison in 1840 will be held here next October, at the opening of the Columbian exposition, when it will be possible to secure the presence of President Harrison. Clubs from Washington, Worcester, Mass.; Cincinnati, Des Moines and Chicago will attend.

Connecticut's Republican Convention.

HARTFORD, May 2.—Monday the Republican state convention will meet here. It is said that Joseph L. Barbour, of Hartford, will be temporary chairman and General Hawley, of Hartford, permanent chairman. The delegates at large will probably be Governor Bulkeley, James P. Platt, of Meriden; Thomas Lake, of Windsor, and Lieutenant Governor James M. Crosby, of Brooklyn. They will in all probability go to Minneapolis uninstructed.

Jones Sure of Renomination.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 2.—Governor Jones has secured more than enough delegates to insure his renomination. Kolb, the Alliance candidate, will withdraw.

Professor Dana Made President.

HARTFORD, May 2.—The Connecticut Society for University Extension is affiliated with the American University Extension society was formed here with Professor E. S. Dana, of Yale, as President.

Three Hundred Were Vaccinated.

BOSTON, May 2.—The Cunarder Pavonia has arrived from Liverpool, with 1,102 steerage passengers. Three hundred of the immigrants were vaccinated by the port physician.

Mrs. Osborne Released.

LONDON, May 2.—Mrs. Osborne has been released from prison.

A PRIEST WITH A PISTOL.

Father Treacy Drives a Man from His Burlington Church.

BURLINGTON, N. J., May 2.—A remarkable scene occurred in St. Paul's Roman Catholic church here during the morning services Sunday, when the Rev. Father Treacy, the pastor, forced one of his parishioners from the edifice at the point of a revolver. Matthew Gaynor was the victim of the priest's act and the cause of it was the attention being paid by Charles Massey, a Protestant, to Gaynor's eighteen-year-old daughter Nettie. Father Treacy has noted with displeasure the intimacy of the young couple and finally told the father of the girl that Massey's visits must cease or he must consider his church relations severed. Mr. Gaynor did not appear to take kindly to this advice and did nothing in the matter.

Sunday morning when he entered the church Father Treacy rushed down the aisle and ordered him to leave. Mr. Gaynor refused, whereupon the infuriated priest hurried to the chancel and getting a revolver threatened the life unless he complied with his request. Mr. Gaynor fearing he would be killed beat a retreat.

Gaynor at once left for Trenton to present his case to Bishop Odenheimer, with a view to securing his own reinstatement and the removal of Father Treacy.

Methodists Meet at Omaha.

OMAHA, May 2.—The great quadrennial Methodist conference was inaugurated Sunday afternoon by a monster mass meeting held at the Exposition hall. It was presided over by Bishop Bowman, of St. Louis, the oldest bishop in the church. Mrs. Newman, wife of Bishop Newman, of Omaha, made the opening prayer. The mission question was thoroughly discussed. The first business session was begun in Boyd's Opera house today.

Struck by a Train but Uninjured.

MONTVALE, N. J., May 2.—A train on the New Jersey and New York railroad struck a carriage containing Leonard Gurnee and his granddaughter near the Montvale station. The train was going forty miles an hour. The occupants of the carriage were hurled out and the carriage smashed, but neither was hurt.

Lizzie Farrell is Dead.

RED BANK, N. J., May 2.—Lizzie Farrell, the servant girl who was assaulted, is dead. The case still remains a mystery. The evidence against Charles H. Cooper, the colored man, has grown weak, although Prosecutor Ivans thinks he can prove him guilty, and had him committed to the county jail.

Went to Slay and Was Killed.

PITTSBURG, May 2.—Paul Ladieur was shot and killed by Ernest Redores at Calamity. Ladieur was formerly a boarder at Redores' house. Ladieur threatened to kill Redores for attaching his wages, and went to the latter's house to carry out his threat when Redores killed him.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Congressman Cummings will bring the question of cruelty to animals at once, aroused by Miss Minna Bates, to the attention of the house.

C. W. Newman whipped Professor M. Leahy in the yard of the public high school building at Cairo, Ills., for chastising his son.

The big Church of Notre Dame at Chicago was dedicated with services in French and Latin.

Two men at Camden, Texas, accused Henry Hall, a wealthy storekeeper, held him up and obtained $1,500 from the safe.

Seven frame houses were destroyed by a cyclone at Barnes, Kan.

The Unitarians of Rochester celebrated their fiftieth anniversary.

The Saloon Keepers' Protective association of Detroit will begin a campaign against the local druggists for selling liquor.

J. J. Maddox, Republican nominee for the Indiana assembly from Blackford county, was dangerously shot by William Randolph, an ex-convict.

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This one about an East End youngster just beginning to talk: He is cutting some teeth and amuses his parents by hearing almost daily bulletins of the pushing ivories. One day he announced the arrival of a tooth in the upper jaw by saying:

"Mamma, super tooth tuming upstairs."—Pittsburg Post.

THE SPRITE OF THE GOO-GOO-GEE.

A Poem Written By William J. Flinnane for His Children Friends.

A fairy came from her opal cave
In the depth of the Ouyz Sea,
And brought a babe with golden hair
And eyes like diamonds rare
And lips like rose and skin so fair,
And little fat hands with dimples deep,
To rob his eyes when he wanted to sleep
And short plump legs with which to creep.

The fairy stopped at a farmer's gate.
And said, "I'll enter here,
For a little mischief, like as a babe,
With bright blue eyes that sparkle clear
And cheeks as pink as the conch shell's ear,
And curls on its tiny pate."

Now behind this fairy, kind and true,
Came another sprite called Bug-a-boo,
From the land of the (coo-goo-gee.
Oh, he was a nasty pop-eyed elf
That thought too much of his ugly self,
And, between both you and me,
He was after the babe that the fairy brought
From the depths of the Ouyz Sea.

When the babe was laid on its mother's lap,
It stopped his hands with glee,
And the fairy said, "I'll leave you here
If you will promise me
Never to pout or fret,
But be a sweet and darling pet,
And act good as good can be.

"If ever you are a naughty child
And cause your mamma pain,
The sprite from the land of the Goo-goo-gee
Will come some night down the chim-ney
And take you away from your mamma's knee
To his cave in the black molasses sea,
And you can't come back again."

But this lovely child was very good,
And Bug-a-boo, you see,
Grew very mad because he could
Not get his be-lov-ed,
And he's running around the country yet,
As wild as he can be,
Watching for this pet,
To see if it'll cry or pout or fret,
For, he says, "A child I'm bound to get,
For my home on the Goo-goo-gee."
—W. J. Flinnane

WHAT BABY DID IN ONE HOUR.

Mrs Uncle Bottover, However, Thot He Was Still Housebreaking Yet.

Uncle Will, the good-natured bachelor of the family, was left in charge of the baby one day w ile every one else was out, and out of curiosity he made a list of what the baby did in one hour. Here it is:

1. Yelled fifteen minutes without taking breath. (Uncle Will declares solemnly that this is a true statement.)
2. Pulled out enough hair from his uncle's head and whiskers to stuff a sofa-pillow.
3. Crocked the wall-paper as high as he could reach with the poker.
4. Broke a stereoscope by sitting down on it.
5. Swallowed six buttons and a good part of a spool of thread.
6. Emptied the contents of his mother's work-basket down the furnace register.
7. Tried to squeeze the head of the cat into a tin cup, and was scratched badly in the attempt.
8. Knocked the head off of a fine wax doll belonging to his older sister by trying to drive a tack into it with a wagon with it.
9. Fell off the edge of the whetnot, and brought down with him two costly vases, which were ruined.
10. Broke two panes of window glass with a cane which he had never seen before.
11. Pulled the cat-bird and spoiled his new white dress.
12. Set fire to the carpet while uncle was out of the room hunting up something to amuse him.
13. Crawled under the bed and refused to come out unless uncle would give him the necktie on his leg.
14. Got twisted into the rungs of a chair which had to be broken to get him out.
15. Poured a pitcher of water into his mother's best piano.
16. Finally, when he saw his mother coming, he ran out to the porch, and tumbled off the steps, making his nose bleed, and tearing a hole a foot square in his dress.

And yet Uncle Will thinks that boy will make something yet!

ADVICE TO OUR GIRLS.

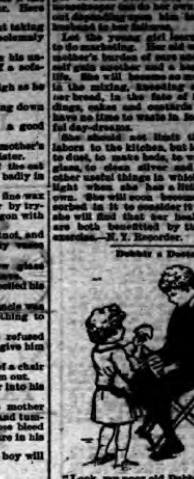
The Connection Between Good House-keeping and Matrimony.

There is a saying that a woman who can keep a floor, make bread and cook a beefsteak need never remain an old maid—unless she prefers it.

Whether a girl contemplates matrimony or desires to be in the honorable estate of single blessedness, a knowledge of housework will be useful to her. If she is never to be a cook, woman who will need all the experience she can get, while if she is to be wealthy and have plenty of servants at her beck and call, her house will be all the better kept if she can direct her maids intelligently.

A school-girl usually has little leisure for acquiring housewifery accomplishments. Yet she may devote her Saturday mornings and her vacations to study of the mysteries of bread and cake making and baking, to the cooking of meats and vegetables, to the preparation of soups and the concoction of dainty desserts. Many a young gentlewoman has been ready to barter her entire stock of ornamental accomplishments for enough skilled education to know why the bread turned out heavy and sour instead of sweet and light; or how to cook a beefsteak without having it consisted of half fat. In the interstate condition of domestic service in this country a woman never knows when she may be thrown upon her own resources and obliged to cook for herself and family.

Will the love that you are rich in
Make's fire in the kitchen.
Or the little god of love turn the spit, spit, spit?



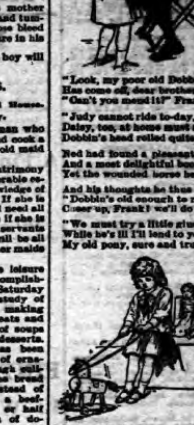
"Look, my poor old Dobbin's dead
Has come off, dear brother Red!"
"Can't you mend it?" Frankie said.

"Judy cannot ride to-day,
Daisy, too, at home must stay;
Dobbin's head rolled quite away."

Red had found a pleasant nook,
And a most delightful book;
Yet the wounded horse he took.

And his thoughts he thus expressed:
"Dobbin's old enough to rest.
Closer up, Frank! we'll do our best.

"We must try a little glue.
While he's ill I'll lend to you
My old pony, sure and true."



Judy, with the head so wide,
Daisy, seated at her side,
Quickly then set out to ride.

The convent girl's feet never obtrude themselves—she has been taught to dispose of them gracefully.

HIS SORROWFUL STORY.

It Was a Pretty Fair Story, All but the Ending.

"Before you turn me away from your door, sir," began the battered specimen of humanity on the back porch, "I ask as a favor that you hear my story."

"Is it a long story?" asked the man of the house.

"To narrate it in detail would require something like an hour and a half, but I can give the principal points of it in a few minutes."

"Yes, may give it to me in its abbreviated form."

"I was born in Ohio"—

"How old are you now?"

"Forty-seven, sir."

"Please skip about forty-two years and eleven months."

"Across the face of the rickety looking tourist flashed a spasm of pain, but he resolutely brought his narrative down to modern times.

"Inventing a row of stars," he said, "to represent that portion of my history which may be described as my childhood, growth, maturity"—

"Avoid decay," suggested the listener.

"And decay," asserted the cheerful wanderer. "I will come to the events that have shaped my career for the last few days."

"If you find that the recital of the facts agitate you too much," said the master of the house feelingly, "you can lean up against the side of the house."

"Thanks," replied the man, drawing himself up with dignity. "I am accustomed to sit in the lap of luxury. Your sympathy is not lost upon me, sir, but I am inured to hardships of this description. Shafts of satire do not penetrate, if I may so express myself, the armor of the—the"—

"The incrustation," said the other, coming to his relief.

"The incrustation of mail that protects my inner self from hurt and injury," proceeded the traveler, ignoring the suggestion. "They do not pierce it. It may interest you and it may not to learn that I am a refugee."

"From Russia?"

"No, sir. From Mississippi. I am a flood sufferer."

"So soon?"

The refugee coughed a deprecating cough.

"I could easily explain the celerity of my movements," he replied, "but at your request I have drawn a veil over my history almost up to the present moment. Suffice it to say I was a flood sufferer a few days ago. Today I am here. A few days ago I was a happy, contented dweller in Mississippi. Today I am a homeless wanderer. Unprepared for disaster, not dreaming of the horrors to come, I walked about my little plantation in the valley of the Ohi-hockeney"—

"It was the Tombigbee, wasn't it?"

"You are right. It was the Tombigbee. Life was a dream. Care was free. I roamed the woodland, the meadow, the cultivated field, possessed of sufficient means to enjoy life without the depressing necessity of engaging in manual labor. It was too bright to last. The enchanting dream was followed by a swift awakening. The rains descended, the floods came and the lovely Tallahatchie—I mistake—became a roaring flood. It swept away the accumulation of years. It reduced me to penury and rags. Yet I did not abandon my home until driven to the last extremity. As the roaring waters assumed I climbed to the roof of my dwelling. I realized there until the topmost brick in the highest chimney was submerged, and then I finally somewhat myself to the water. I swam"—

"Hold on! You inadvertently committed yourself to the water, did you?"

"I did, sir. I swam myself"—

"That will do, my friend. Leave Ishmael pathetic to your story. I have accepted without argument your assertion that you were forced to swim. Proceed briefly and without repetition."

I was afraid she would think I had interested it to entertain her, yet I dared not stop for his face was within inches of mine more pointed. So on I read to the end, and, pretty soon that my reading would cost me a client worth a thousand dollars I quit, and, as I closed the book and laid it aside, I said:

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"By the way, pop, can I have a few stamps to-day?"

"Stamps, stamps!" inquired the father innocently.

"No, sir," was the impatient reply; "I mean 'scads.'"

"Scads, my son?" inquired the old gentleman in mild astonishment.

"I mean the 'tin,' of course."

"And what is the tin, may I ask?"

"Oh, the 'readly,' don't you know?"

"No, I don't know."

"Don't you know 'spondulix?'"

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"What stuff?"

"Why, the 'soap,' of course."

"The soap? Are you in need of a bath?" and the father looked over his specs inquiringly.

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"Oh; sugar and soap? Going to make a plaster, are you?"

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"Why, it's 'dust.' Anybody knows that."

"Oh, you excuse me. Get the brush over there."

"Then that kind I want. It's 'rocks.'"

"Well, there's dust in rocks, isn't there?"

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"Oh," exclaimed the father, in a greatly relieved tone: "here's a quarter." And that's all the young man got.—Detroit Free Press.

A Great Insurance Scheme.

"I wish, sir," said the young man, as he entered Gazzam's private office, "to call your attention to a new insurance company I am"—

"Property is insured as high as the companies will carry it," replied Gazzam briskly.

"But this, sir"—the young man began again, not dismayed by Gazzam's discouraging manner.

The latter replied, not waiting for him to finish his sentence: "My life is insured to its full value. Don't want any more, sir."

"But this is not"—

"Oh, yes. Yours is a company which insures one's rent in case his houses burn down or his tenants skip. Mine are all provided for."

"You misapprehend me, sir. The company I represent insures"—

"I see. It insures a business man against loss from defaulting bookkeepers and unfaithful employes. Well, mine sir all looked after and secured."

"No, sir. This is different"—

"Oh, well, I've got all sorts of insurance. Accident policies, plate glass whose I protected, cyclone insurance on my house in the country—every sort of insurance one can possibly think of."

"Still, sir, I offer you security which is not among all the different and very praiseworthy objects of insurance you have mentioned."

"Indeed! Wel., I'd like to know what it is."

"Well, sir, I can write you a policy which shall insure all your other insurance, guaranteeing you against loses through the failure, from any cause whatever, of any other insurance company, to pay you the indemnity to which you may become entitled under its policy. What do you say to doing business with me?"

Gazzam told the young man to call again next year, and in the meantime he would think it over.—Harper's Bazar.

Not Absolute.

Thoroughly censorious people are commonly oblivious to their failing and particularly given to rebuking evil speaking. An eminent Canadian lawyer practicing in Toronto tells this story in illustration of the foregoing truth:

When I was young my best client was a wealthy old lady noted for saying caustic things about her acquaintances. On a Sunday morning, when I was staying at her house, I found myself one of the neighborhood flagellated, without stint.

By way of changing the subject I proposed to read to her from a volume of sermons I had happened to bring with me. She assented. I started at random, found a misleading text, and when too late, discovered that I was in the middle of a sermon for the occasion on the duty of charity.

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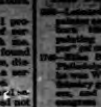
1813—Ralph Waldo Emerson born in Philadelphia. Died 1882.

1814—Washington Irving sailed for Liverpool to enter upon his career as a writer. Born in New York, April 3, 1783.

1863—Second day of the battle of Chancellorsville. Stonewall Jackson struck Hooker's right and broke the line. Jackson was wounded by his own men.

1871—Thomas Jefferson Rogers, La., defaulter for many years and much property.

1886—John Henry Hobart Brown, bishop of the diocese of Central Pa. Died 4th Lec. Wis., died in that city; born 1818.



DA VINCI.

No Great Difference.

Mr. Prince and Mr. Smith were standing near the pond watching the skaters. They were both past sixty years of age, but the expression of Mr. Smith's face showed that he was half inclined to be the younger people in their sports. "How long since you had skates on?" he asked, turning toward Mr. Prince.

"Well, I should say 'twas about twenty years," responded that gentleman slowly, "but I believe I could skate as well now as ever I could."

Mr. Smith looked at his companion with ill concealed surprise.

"Oh, come, James," he answered, "you're a smart enough man for your years, but you can't really believe that you could put on skates and skate as well as you could twenty years ago."

"I think I could," responded Mr. Prince.

"Will you bet?" said Mr. Smith, with something like annoyance. "It's ridiculous for you to say such a thing. You can't expect to be striking around like a boy at your time of life."

"Well," said Mr. Prince, "I wasn't exactly a boy at forty, but I guess I could skate now as well as I could then, for I wouldn't skate any then."—Youth's Companion.

Brown Got There.

"Brown got his last article in a magazine."

"Impossible! It was written and spelled so badly no man could make it out."

"All the same, he got there. They advertised it as an article by a new author, written in twenty different languages, and sent him a check for fifty dollars."—Atlanta Constitution.

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By virtue of an order to me directed in the above stated matter on the fifteenth day of April, A. D. 1892, I will expose to sale at public vendue, on Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of May, A. D. 1892, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Elizabeth, in the county of Union, the same mentioned in said order, that is to say:

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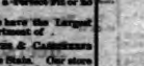

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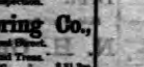

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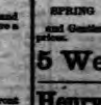

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CITY COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING FOR MAY.

Bills Ordered Paid.—Progress on the Sewerage Matter.—Hotel Licenses Granted.—Ex-Chief Carey Ordered Paid $500 and Policeman Lynch $60 in Settlement of Their Claims.—A New City Grade Map Ordered.—The Street Railway.—New Water Supply Contract.—The Sum of $3000 Voted to Improve Streets During May, etc.

The city Common Council held its regular May meeting last evening. The meeting was called to order at 8.10 o'clock. President Gunna and Councilmen Bird, Case, Erickson, Fisk, Gallup, Johnston, Marsh, Seo and Weber were present. Councilman Frazee was absent.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association petitioned for permission to erect a small frame building in the rear of their store at No. 20 West Front street. The matter was referred to the Fire and Buildings Committee with power.

Hugh McDonnell and other residents of West Sixth street and Arlington avenue reported that the contractors in grading the street had left a bad hollow in the road bed.

Mr. Fisk explained that it was the city's fault and not the contractor's, and that the matter would be remedied.

In accordance with R. S. Baker agreed to number the city by the Block system for $95. The matter was referred to the Street Committee.

In a communication the President of the W. C. T. U. stated that the members were arranging for an all day meeting to be held on the Fourth of July and asked permission to use the city park for that purpose. Permission was granted.

A communication for a crosswalk across Madison avenue at Fifth street was referred to the Committee on Fire and Buildings with power.

Mr. Ja. Closson and others petitioned Council to change the name of North Richmond street to Norwood avenue. The matter was referred to the Committee on Streets.

The following bills were presented:

POLICE.

Geo. W. Grant	$108 75
J. W. Frisby	45 00
Edwin Appleby	112 50
Frank Conde	60 00
J. H. Saunders	60 00
C. Fredrickson	60 00
Thomas McCue	60 00
Patrick Lynch	60 00
Geo. W. Hoekteller	14 98
Charles Giese	60 00
J. Fitzgerald	60 00
James E. Clark	3 50
Patrick Kiely	60 00
Thos. Dwyer	112 50
Joseph Cooney	60 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

T. O. Doane	$ 63 32
Willett S. Marsh	15 00
W. F. Townley	30 00
A. M. Griffen	108 01
Generali per Harte Telegraph Co	14 60
George H. Uzley	30 00
Mr. Mary Worth	30 72
Robt. J. Wood	36 00
H. Sender	30 00
Thomas Cantwell	12 75
Plainfield Gas & Electric Light Co	29 80
Plainfield Produce Co	30 76
L. B. Coddington	35 00

POOR FUND.

Lucy A. Connett	$ 6 00
William Cartright	12 00
Mary Moran	13 80
Mrs. Catherine Peterson	4 00
S. Gunnman	4 00
J. Vanderbeek	100 00
E. Boyd	2 24
Helen Pierson	10 00
J. W. Haviland (April)	45 00
Mrs. Jane L. Tobin	5 00
Ladies' Relief Association	60 16
J. W. Haviland (March)	60 00

GENERAL FUND.

Plainfield Gas & Elect. Light Co	$775 00
J. W. Morrison	31 35
J. W. Runyon	60 80
John Johnson	138 00
S. E. Allis	102 00
J. B. Coward	30 00
L. M. Griffen	97 88
M. C. Smith	397 50
Thomas Flynn	34 97
Jon McCarty	25 87
John Henry	34 50
John Hoffner	30 00
John O'Brien	34 50
J. J. Adams	34 12
Lowe & Co	3 00
John Freeman	3 90
Patrick Bray	33 75
John Croner	10 80
Charles Harris	34 50
James McFadden	34 12
Gerald Bystman	28 00
Joseph White	15 00
L. B. Coddington	33 00
J. Conway	31 50
John Lundon	15 00
James Burdick	30 63
Relief Bell	6 83
James Carey	33 00
Mary Tiedeman	34 12
Thomas Welsh	125 00
Robt. A. Meeker	30 00
Wm. Daywell	4 75
C. Thorwarth	33 00
Michael Welch	161 00
J. A. Marsh	250 00
J. A. Marsh	74 00
Patrick Lynch (old bill)	60 00

In a communication Mayor Gilbert nominated Nicholas Myers as a special policeman. The nomination was confirmed.

The monthly statements of the City Collector and Treasurer were read and referred to the Finance Committee.

The quarterly report of the Overseer of the Poor was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Case reported progress in the sewerage matter.

On motion of Mr. Fisk the City Treasurer was instructed to transfer $500 from the general fund to the fire department fund.

Mr. Weber from the License Committee reported that W. V. Miller's application for a liquor license conformed with the law. The application was granted by a vote of 7 to 5, Councilmen Gunna, Case and Marsh voting no.

The application of Frank E. Miller for a license to sell liquor in Hotel Nethenwood was next taken up and granted by a vote of 8 to 3, Messrs. Case and Marsh voting against it.

Bancroft & Bullock and W. G. Elston asked permission to withdraw their applications for peddlers' licenses. Permission was granted.

Mr. Marsh, from the Committee on Laws and Ordinances, reported in favor of settling the claim of Tunis J. Carey in full by paying over to him $500. He said that Mr. Carey had been illegally suspended from the force. So ordered.

The claim of Policeman Patrick Lynch for $60 was also ordered paid. This was for the time he also had been wrongfully suspended by that detestable committee, which the city is now happily rid of.

The Street Committee was instructed to have a map of the streets of the city drawn and submitted to Corporation Counsel Marsh to enable him to draw up an ordinance in reference to grading.

The same committee was, by resolution, instructed to employ an engineer to examine the grade and report at the next meeting.

On motion of Mr. Johnston the request of the street laborers that nine hours constitute a day's work was not granted.

Mr. Case from the Committee on Water and Sewerage reported progress. He said they were progressing favorably and that the committee expected to have something definite to report within a month or two.

An ordinance to regulate the use of bicycles, tricycles, etc., was read for the first and second time, ordered engrossed and advertised.

A. D. Thompson petitioned Council to rescind his auctioneer's license.

The license was rescinded and his license fee ordered returned.

A. R. Sebring applied for an auctioneer's license. The application was referred to the Committee on Licenses and subsequently granted.

The matter in reference to the opening and widening of Peace street was taken from the table.

Mr. Erickson offered a resolution authorizing the Chief Engineer to purchase 1,500 feet of new hose, the cost not to exceed 70 cents per foot. The resolution was adopted.

The new contract of the Water Supply Company was read and accepted and the Mayor and Clerk were instructed to sign it.

The new bond of the contract for $10,000, was also approved and ordered recorded.

On motion of Mr. Fisk the Street Committee was instructed to spend $3,000 in the improvement of the streets during May.

The Auditing Committee reported all claims correct and they were ordered paid.

The meeting then adjourned.

FIREMEN ELECT OFFICERS.

The Annual Meeting Held Last Evening.

The various fire companies of this city held their annual election last night. The following officers were elected.

GARFIELD ENGINE CO., NO. 1.

Foreman—Charles Johnson.
First Assistant—William T. Newman.
Second " —Charles Graves.
Secretary—Theodore A. Sofield.
Assistant—David Dunavan.
Treasurer—Vincent L. Frazee.
Financial Secretary—Frank Putnam.
Engineer—Wm. B. Grannett.
First Assistant—John Albert.
Second Assistant—David Dunavan.
Third Assistant—David Bell.
Rep. to Relief Association—Joseph A. Hubbard, Lorenzo J. Spicer.

EMPIRE HOOK AND LADDER CO., NO. 1.

Foreman—E. I. Vroom.
First Assistant—George Bell.
Second Assistant—George Mebl, Jr.
Financial Secretary—Joseph G. Bimm.
Financial Secretary—Samuel L. Miller.
Treasurer—Jacob Bimm.
Auditing Committees—Ed. Wolff, F. D. Fine, M. Seadet.
Rep. to Relief Association — Jacob Bimm, F. A. Glenstorr.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Theodore Mason, formerly of Richmond street, has removed to No. 29 East Front street.

Mr. Jacob Schultheis, formerly of this city but who is now located in the West, paid a flying visit to friends here yesterday.

The Grand Jury.

The Union County Grand Jury met today. Those from Plainfield are Messrs. Jas. E. Martine, A. W. Rand and John B. Brown. Mr. Martine is the foreman.

—The borough Council will meet in regular session Friday night.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING LAST EVENING.

Prof. H. M. Maxson Appointed Principal to Succeed Miss Bailey, Resigned.—The High School Granted a Half Holiday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening. Messrs. Babcock, Finch and Dr. Probasco were present. The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and approved.

Prof. H. M. Maxson sent in a communication accepting the appointment as Superintendent of Schools and supervising Principal for one year, commencing August 1, 1892, succeeding Miss Bailey, who will on that date resign to accept the Presidency of the Women's College in Chicago, Ill., at the highest salary ever paid a woman.

The members of the Plainfield High School petitioned the Board to make Friday, May 27th, a half-holiday in the schools as they wished to indulge in some athletic games and that they could not procure suitable grounds on any Saturday or holiday this month. After some discussion the request was granted.

The following bills were presented and ordered paid:

Vanderbeek & Sellers	$ 10 00
J. L. Fargo	2 00
F. H. Wilson	15 12
Thos. Peterson	1 00
Thos. Peterson	2 00
E. M. Thorn	25 00
Henry Leadenhurst	2 00
Plainfield Courier-News	16 00
Plainfield Gas and Electric Light Co	21 60

Report from Collector of Taxes showing collections for month of April $763.78 was received and ordered filed. The Committee on Repairs were authorized to have crushed stone spread around the street at Washington school.

The Principal reported tuition for third and fourth quarter $68. The Board then adjourned.

BREVITIES

—Manager Keller of the Crescents has signed Hafford as catcher. He will report for duty to-night.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Hillside Tennis Club will be held tomorrow evening May 4th.

—The Union county Board of Freeholders will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday afternoon.

—The regular meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club will be held at the rooms, Tuesday, May 3, at eight p. m.

—At the rehearsal of the Melopois in the Casino last evening it was announced that the Society will continue next year.

—The members of the Plainfield Reform Club will hold their regular mid-week meeting Thursday evening at eight o'clock.

—The Germans of this city with their families will go on their annual May walk next Sunday. The day is spent in playing games, feasting, etc.

—The Crescent base ball team will visit Staten Island to-morrow and play a game of base ball with a team chosen from members of the Staten Island Athletic Club.

—A flock of twenty-seven high-flying birds passed over this city Sunday evening. They were going in an Easterly direction and were supposed to be wild geese or wild ducks.

—The Young Ladies' Missionary Circle of the Methodist church will hold their regular monthly business meeting in the Vincent chapel, Thursday afternoon, May 5th, at four o'clock.

—Boys and girls of the Loyal Temperance Legion are requested to meet Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock in their new rooms, corner of Fourth street and Broadway, (rink building.)

—The Creche or Day Nursery is open to receive the children of mothers who wish to go out by the day. The charge will be five cents a day, which includes care of children from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m., and lunch. All particulars can be had from the matron at the rooms, corner Broadway and Fourth streets. A. P.

The Union County Press Club's Menu of Talent.

Monday evening, May 16th, at the Temple Opera house has been set by the newspaper writers and publishers of papers in Elizabeth and Union county as a night when they will appear to their friends, political, religious, business and social, in a double duty role. Wit, humor, sense, common sense and foolery. Talent of a sublime ridiculous and histrionic character has been volunteered to add the journalists, who have organized into a club, to raise means to furnish parlors for the use of the members and their cohorts. The brain and sinew, which will appear, double quartettes, Elizabeth Glee Club, Alfred E. Emmons, humorist, Third Regiment, Gov. Abbett band. Captain Bisley, Drake's full band. Orchestra, cornet, solo, triangle solo, Paul Kearney Guard, Mayor W. H. De Hart in exhibition one-round club boxing, boy soloist and boy quartette second, pantomime; J. M. Hoffstetter, piano accompanist.

Miss Jean Stewart Brown of Newark, will read; violin solo, "Old Folks at Home," with variations. Miss Ida Pascal, story teller and facial artist, concert solo, "If the Snow Banks Sing," Brown Brothers, Mr. Will P. Cook and his manager. Other devices to make the audience feel regular, and that they belong to the club, will be presented. The tickets will cost 75 and 50 cents each, children at half price, and will be on sale on Monday, 9th inst., at which time the donation list will come down in order that all may be accommodated.

The Weather.

Generally fair to partly cloudy and warmer, followed by cloudiness and rain.

THE BOYS' CLUB.

ENTERTAINED BY THE T'S LAST EVENING.

Nearly 200 of them Fairly Roar with Delight at the Programme of Fun Provided.—Recitations, Music, Stereoscopic Views, and Peanuts.

There was a joyous time at the Boys' Club last night.

It was Mrs. W. L. Patton's night.

Mrs. Patton placed the matter of entertainment for the occasion in the hands of the T's, who selected Miss Morrison to represent them and prepare a programme.

The programme as prepared was as follows:

Recitation.....Miss Lois Lewis
Piano Selection.....Miss Bessie Sutphen
Recitation.....Miss Mabel Carey
Stereoscopic Views.....Mr. and Mrs. Pollock and Mr. Pardy
Assisted with reading by Mrs. Tait.
Peanuts for boys.

Mr. Saltonstall, who is the captain of the Elizabeth Athletic Club, met with an accident resulting from a fall, which injured him so badly that he was unable to be present, and sent a telegram to that effect previous to the entertainment. A substitute was provided, who proved acceptable.

For the piano, violin and flute, it required that the Club's piano should be tuned to a high pitch. As it has been so long tuned to a low pitch, the tuner feared that the change might cause the strings to snap apart, and it became necessary, therefore, to omit this part of the programme.

The boys, and in fact the adults who had taken so much interest in them, seemed to enjoy the programme thoroughly.

Mr. Tafts' numerous humorous views with which the affair closed made the boys fairly roar with laughter.

One lady remarked that it was as delightful as anything in the "Old Homestead" to see the boys, and listen to their witty sallies.

As the lads were dispersing—there were nearly 200 of them, ranging in age from seven to sixteen years—each one was presented with a bag of peanuts provided by the T's.

President W. B. Wadsworth, Secretary Dexter O. Wright and ex-Superintendent Miner assisted Superintendent Bond in taking care of the youngsters, and found their task a very pleasant one.

Altogether the boys showed themselves to be well-worthy the efforts being put forth in their behalf.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

Secretary Hamilton of the Union county Christian Endeavor Union has sent out a letter of information concerning the annual meeting to be held on May 27th. The place of meeting will be the Second Presbyterian church, of Elizabeth. The afternoon session will begin at 2.30 o'clock and last until five o'clock. The evening session will commence at 7.30 o'clock.

Rev. H. T. McEwen, chairman of the committee of '92, will be present in the afternoon, and tell the Endeavorers about the great convention to be held in July, in Madison Square Garden. Mr. Robert E. Speer, so prominent in the students' volunteer movement, will speak in the afternoon on the subject, "What a Christian Endeavorer can do for Missions, and Why."

There will also be an excellent address on junior societies, and probably a brief conference on that important feature of Christian Endeavor, in the afternoon.

A prominent speaker will address the evening session.

Another feature of the afternoon session will be a "free parliament" for one half hour, subject "How to Develop the Latent Talent in our Societies."

Gospel Hymns No. 6 will be used in the convention, and the singing will be under the lead of John M. Dudley, president of the Union County Society.

The handsome banner in which the county is interested will be presented at the next convention.

The Elizabeth Local Union will provide a tea from five until 6.30 o'clock to all out-of-town visitors, and for those who cannot reach home that night, accommodations until the next day.

Citizens of Edgewater and all along the Hudson and river front south of Fort Lee, in Bergen county, are in a condition of mighty excitement over a notice to the effect that the property is in the possession of the Receivers of the Reading and Navigation Company. The property embraces 32 acres of land on the river front and extends back a distance of 1,000 feet of water front, the price paid being stated at $2,500 an acre. Nobody seems to know what it is for, but it is generally believed that it is for a grand railroad terminus, the Reading company and the Lehigh Valley and the Ontario and Western Railroads, which are in control the bill at Palavlow.

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THE AFTERNOON CLUB.

HELD ITS ANNUAL MEETING YESTERDAY AND ELECTED OFFICERS.

The Former Officers Nearly All Re-Elected—A Large Number Present and Much Interest Manifested.

At the annual meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club, held yesterday in the Casino, the choice for president went back to its first love, and Miss Kenyon was elected.

This selection is a suitable one, no one could for a moment doubt, for Miss Kenyon served the club as its first president most acceptably to all for two terms. The other officers elected are almost identical with those, who officered the January club upon society four years ago, and much is due to their efforts.

The vote for president, however, was very close. The successful candidate having only four votes in excess of the defeated one. That the vote was not unanimous is due to the spirit of progression rife in the club. A large element is in favor of rotation and of not only infusing new blood into the executive board, but also of carrying out the idea of women's clubs, namely, to give all a chance, and to bring out latent powers. It might seem to outsiders that there was not talent enough among those one hundred women to find another equal to the situation, but that, of course, is not the case.

There are many able and parliamentary women who could fill the position with dignity and acceptability.

The resolution to accept the wishes of the majority pleasantly and cordially is good one to make, and probably the defeated party will be warmest in their support of the excellent lady now at the head of this enjoyable club. The following ticket was elected, eighty-two members being present.

President—Miss E. E. Kenyon.
First Vice-President—Mrs. H. B. Opdyke.
Second Vice President—Miss A. P. Newton.
Third Vice President—Mrs. C. Wadsworth.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. F. Harmon.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. J. K. Myers.
Recording Secretary—Miss C. E. Clark.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework; good reference. 18 Cook place. 2 6*

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WANTED—A young lady to play machine and do collecting. Address "Music," care EVENING NEWS. 2 2

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A Prisoner's Successful and Unique Suicide.

New York, May 3.—(Special.)—Joseph Silberg, aged 39, who was confined in the Queen's County Jail at Long Island City for debt, committed suicide early this morning under peculiar circumstances.

Silberg, who was not locked in a cell like the ordinary prisoners, had the privilege of the corridor, and at about 1.30 o'clock he went to the bathroom, where he first tied his hands with a handkerchief and strapped his feet at the ankles with a strap.

He then managed to stuff his mouth full of smoked beef while sitting on the floor in an upright position. In this way he choked himself to death.

It was some time afterward when he was found dead by the jailer.

Coroner Meiners was summoned and he had to use a penknife to remove the smoked beef from the man's mouth.

His Wrists Ironed.

Masonoma, May 3d. (Special.)—After Deeming was conveyed last night from the court-room in which sentence of death had just been passed upon him and returned to the jail, his clothing was taken from him and he was compelled to don the attire worn by convicts in the prison. He was then placed in the condemned cell and heavy irons were locked upon his wrist to prevent him from committing suicide.

The Edison Telephone Patent.

Washington, May 3d. (Special.)—Patent Commissioner Simonds to-day issued a patent for the Edison Telephone Company, which was assigned to the Western Union Telegraph Company.

The Bell telephone patent expires in May, 1893, and the patent issued to-day will run for seventeen years. The action of to-day ends a long-standing contest.

Threatens Dr. Keeley's Life.

Chicago, May 3, (Special.)—A morning paper says that Dr. Keeley, of oil-chloride fame, is in danger of death at the hands of a woman who claims that the Doctor is responsible for her husband's death.

—The Plainfield Reform Club will hold its regular mid-week meeting Thursday evening.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

American Humor.

The humor of the stage Yankee has passed away. The next phase of American humor was that developed in the west. All our later humorists have *been of this western type. Bill Nye, M.* Quad and Mark Twain are notable examples. But this school, too, seems to be passing away. It is not apparent that any new type of humor is appearing to take the place of that exemplified by writers now in the field. Are we to *have no more fun?*

But the exquisite humor of this type now passing is incomparable. Lincoln had it and Tom Corwin had it. It bubbles over from the thoughts of men less known but equally humorists in their way. Of these the late Emory Storrs, *of Chicago, was a marked example.* Jolly, careless, gifted, he was a typical American of the west. He was, besides, nearly always in pecuniary difficulties. When Lord Chief Justice Coleridge visited America, Mr. Storrs gave him a banquet in Chicago that a president might have felt honored to attend. As usual, Storrs was deep in debt, but little did that trouble his light heart.

Just as the distinguished party were to sit down to the banquet, however, came a thunderclap. The sheriff levied on the feast itself. At the dining room door he and his minions stood like a flaming sword guarding the entrance to paradise. What was to be done? His high mightiness, Coleridge, could not be insulted. The sheriff was implacable. Finally some of the millionaire guests were obliged to go down into their own pockets and hand forth the money to satisfy the man of the law. Then he departed peaceably and let the merry feast go on.

Nothing daunted though was the merry soul of Emory Storrs. In the very midst of the dismay and confusion *he remarked coolly: "The sheriff has* no reverence for anybody or anything. He has even levied on the Lord's supper."

The Rights of a Pastor.

An unusual question came up recently before the officers of a Methodist congregation in Rochester, Ind. The pastor of the church was opposed to spiritualism. He attacked it from his pulpit with, as it were, both the sword of the Lord and of Gideon, according to the report. He censured spiritualism in no measured terms, and hinted of dark doing in dark circles. The spiritualists of Rochester felt outraged. There are now a million spiritualists in the world, and a considerable number of them are found in every town and village. Often they are among prominent citizens, as happened in the Rochester case. The editor of the Rochester paper is an outspoken spiritualist, and his fellow believers naturally found their spokesman in him through the columns of his paper. The result was a fight. It culminated finally in the pastor publicly announcing that certain Methodist ladies who were spiritualists would be dropped henceforth from the roll of membership in his church. The outcry was then greater than ever.

May spiritualists, for the reason that they are spiritualists, be dismissed from Christian church membership? Further, has the pastor the right to expel members from a church for this reason? Here are two important questions.

The Pleasantest Life.

Probably real happiness is too much to expect in this life. At any rate the only happy individual is the one who has his happiness in himself, then nothing can make him miserable. But for ordinary mortals a little let up from misery is all that can be expected, and this can be obtained nowhere so effectually as in country life.

One may be either on the farm or in a small town, but in any case here is the most healthful, restful life that can be lived. It is a fact that those among us who read most and think most are the country people. In the fevered rush and scramble of the city there is no time for working out problems of thought. There is no time even for reading. The city man skims his paper to catch the local news and that which concerns his particular business, whatever it is. In the country the man really thinks. On greatest, most gifted men and women in every walk of life have been almost without exception born and bred in the country. There, too, they retire to think out their noblest thoughts, to do the best work for mankind.

Apart from greatness, however, when we consider the mere pleasure of living it is outside of the great city that most of it is to be found.

In the famine districts of Russia 24,000,000 people are without food. The stupendousness of the problem before the czar and the world thus become apparent. It is a number of people greater than one-third of the whole population of the United States. The czar is doing all he can to feed them, but what can he or anybody do? Still more gloomy is the fact that the famine is caused largely by impoverishment of the soil, so that there is little hope for the future.

Rosa Bonheur, turning into her seventy-first year, doing some of the strongest, finest work of her life, is pleasant to think about.

ITALY MUST SETTLE NOW!

She Must Pay for Imprisoning Nicolo Milo.

THE CASE IS BEFORE THE SENATE

King Humbert's Government Will Be Asked to Explain Why an American Citizen Was So Harshly Treated at Italian Soil—News from the Capitol.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Nicolo Milo, a naturalized citizen of the United States, is likely to become a national celebrity and his case is calculated not to improve the present strained relations between this country and Italy growing out of the New Orleans affair. Milo came from Italy to New York when about ten years old and resided there continuously until he was twenty-nine years of age, having meanwhile been admitted to United States citizenship. On his return to Italy he was arrested and confined in an underground cell of a military prison and afterward forced to serve in the Italian army, although he exhibited his certificate of naturalization and appealed to the civil and military authorities of the Italian government as a United States citizen for leniency and protection.

Italy Must Settle Up Now.

Senator Manderson has introduced a joint resolution setting forth the facts in the case as transmitted to congress in a message from the president, requesting the president to take such steps as may be deemed *from the Italian government a suitable in* demnity for the injuries inflicted on Milo and satisfactory assurances that citizens of the United States residing in Italy for peaceful purposes shall not hereafter be imprisoned or pressed into the army of Italy for failure to perform military service, which was not done, and could not be exacted of a citizen at the time of their original immigration from that country.

World's Fair Money Dissipated.

Mr. York, of Missouri, presented a petition which he characterized as a blackmailing one. It stated that the signers would vote against any congressman who failed to vote for shutting up the World's fair on Sundays. He stated that a more important question was what had Chicago done with the $5,000,000 which Chicago had received and squandered. He said the committee found that of the $5,000,000 expended by the city of Chicago $90,000 had been expended for the location of the fair. He wanted to know why this expenditure had been made, and who got the money.

Mr. Call, of Florida, offered a remarkable *financial resolution, which provided that* a special committee of nine should be appointed to consider and report some legislation to accomplish three three important points:

First—To relieve the scarcity of money among farmers; to reduce the rate of interest and to enable them to obtain such money the security of their lands and crops.

Second—To establish some depository, subtreasury or banking system in which, by the aid of the government, money should be kept on hand with which to meet any emergency, in sum sufficient for their needs, to be loaned to them at low rates of interest.

Third—To devise some system by which the perpetual flow of money to the centers of commerce could be limited and restrained, so as to enable a sufficient sum of money for the needs of the people of all sections of the country to be kept in their respective communities.

For Free Binding Twine.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Several important bills were passed by the senate under suspension of the rules, including the bill to place binding twines on the free list, which was called up by Mr. Bryan, of Nebraska, who rather surprised the Republicans by bringing the bill before the house in this way. Among the other measures passed were the following: Senate bill providing, which authorizes a register to vessels of the United States to such foreign built steamships of 5,000 tons and over sailing in an established line from a port in the United States, of which not less than *it per cent. of the foreign capital was owned* by citizens of the United States; granting a pension of eight dollars a month to the survivors of the Black Hawk, Creek, Cherokee and Seminole wars; to ratify and confirm an agreement with the Indians residing on the Colville reservation in the state of Washington; appropriating $150,000 to carry out the stipulations regarding the Behring sea treaty; appropriating $100,000 to establish a military post at or near Helena; to provide for the permanent preservation and custody of the records of the volunteer armies and authorizing the president to appoint a proper person as chief of the record and pension division with the rank of colonel.

The Chinese Exclusion Compromise.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The conferees of the senate and house on the Chinese exclusion bills reached an agreement, and their reports were submitted to their respective bodies today. The matter was sent in conference by the senate on the Geary bill substituting for the Geary or house bill, which absolutely prohibited the coming of Chinese persons (with the exception of the minister and his servants) into the United States. The bill reported from the committee on foreign relations extending the provisions of the present law, which expires May 6, for ten years from that date. The conferees agreed that the provisions of the compromise bill drafted by them should extend for ten years the provisions of the current law, but several of the most stringent provisions contained in the house bill were incorporated.

Mrs. Jeff Davis' Suit.

NEW YORK, May 3.—In the suit brought by Mrs. Varina Jefferson Davis against the Belford company the latter filed its answer, alleging that Robert Belford personally is responsible to Mrs. Davis.

Martin Named by Governor Pattison.

HARRISBURG, May 3.—Governor Pattison has appointed J. Norman Martin as judge of the Butler-Lawrence (Seventeenth) District to succeed the late Judge John Mc Michael.

Samuel Barlow Dead.

LAWRENCE, Mass., May 3.—Samuel Barlow, sixty years old, agent of the Pacific Mills in Prince's Point, one of the best known printers in the United States, is dead.

Bishop McDonnell Installed.

BROOKLYN, May 3.—Bishop Charles E. McDonnell was installed with imposing ceremonies as bishop of the diocese of Brooklyn and Long Island.

Killed by a Gamecock.

CINCINNATI, May 3.—Edward Merker, of Covington, Ky., was gaffed by a gamecock. Blood poisoning set in, from which he died.

Another Chess Match Arranged.

LONDON, May 3.—Blackburne and Lasker still start a chess match "seven games up" on May 17.

IN THE SPORTING ARENA.

Pittsburg Will "Play" Monday—The Olympic Club's $47,500 Trade Proposition.

NEW ORLEANS, May 3.—The Olympic club has received a cable dispatch from Ted Pritchard, the English middleweight, in which he agrees to fight Jake Gaudaur, Hall and Light Bob Fitzsimmons on Sept. 5. As Fitzsimmons has approved of the club's negotiations with Pritchard the latter can be considered as definitely settled. Hall is out of the negotiations now. The Olympic club's programme for what will prove an eventful week in pugilistic circles is: Jack McAuliffe and Billy Myer, lightweights, Sept. 5, for $10,000; Ted Pritchard and Bob Fitzsimmons, middleweights, Sept. 6, for $12,000, and Sullivan and Corbett, Sept. 7, for $25,000, making the total of purses hung up $47,000.

Fitzsimmons Is Angry.

NEWARK, N. J., May 3.—Bob Fitzsimmons, who exhibited in this city, said that he would make Hall fight him at the Olympic club on the date set, or denounce him as a coward and refuse to deal with him any further.

The Harvard Class Race.

BOSTON, May 3.—The annual Harvard class race over the Charles river course was won by the sophomore crew in 11m. 8s., two and a half lengths ahead of the freshmen, with juniors third and seniors last.

Dropped by the War Department.

HARTFORD, May 3.—The case of Michael Duprey, of this city, charged with the town constables the East Hartford bridge, to compel them to open the draw for his sloop, has been dropped by the war department.

Adopted by Yale Athletes.

NEW HAVEN, May 3.—A mass meeting of Yale students adopted the constitution proposed for the new general athletic association into which all branches of Yale athletics are combined.

Corrigan's Joe Murphy Wins.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 3.—On the Old Kentucky association course Corrigan's youngster, Joe Murphy, won the rich Melbourne Stud stakes for 3-year-olds, worth $6,550.

FASHIONS

YOUNG WOMEN SHOULD WEAR.

The Pretty Blouses and Fancy Waists so Fashionable this Summer.

The ever fashionable blouses and fancy waists, which are an indispensable article of every woman's summer outfit, are in a greater variety of styles than ever before, and are made of any light material to be had, be silk, wool or cotton. Such pretty effects can be attained with so little expense, and they are so easily made, that those who are quite unenlightened in the art of dressmaking can produce very satisfactory results.

BLOUSES IN COTTON GOODS.

We show here two pretty patterns for blouses, the first is a smocked cotton blouse, the smocked yoke being edged and finished at sleeve, ball down front. The other is a cotton blouse, with embroidered yoke and basque. Perfect fitting, in white cotton.

A pretty and dressy jacket is made of the palest mauve silk, the sleeves and yoke being arranged in a series of narrow tucks. The front is draped in a novel and most becoming way, and the basque is gathered in a frill.

A cheap and more simple waist is made of flannel or other draped flannly, and is very dainty and cool for warm summer mornings.

The effective blouse is of pink and white striped cambric. It is caught up underneath and falls loosely over the skirt.

Another serviceable jacket for both winter and summer is of soft black silk, prettily smocked with steel beads. The turned down collar and cuffs are edged with beads to match.

The Big Electric Combine.

ALBANY, May 3.—During the session of the legislature Senator Cantor had passed a bill to incorporate the Consolidated Electric company with a capital of $100,000, and the privilege of increasing it to $150,000,000. The bill became a law and the company was formed, paying $10,000 down. Monday the company filed with the secretary of state a certificate of increase to $150,000,000, and the payment of twenty-five per cent., making up the total of one-twentieth of 1 per cent. tax imposed by Cantor's bill. It is believed that the company intends to absorb all of the small companies in the state.

Important Charters Granted.

HARRISBURG, May 3.—Charters were granted today to The First United States Excelsior Building and Loan association, of New Castle, with a capital stock of $201,000; the Mahoning Building and Loan association, of Reading, with a capital of $600,000, and the Mahoning Building and Loan association of PUNXSUTAWNEY, with a capital of $100,000.

Electric Light for the Pope.

ROME, May 3.—Work on the introduction of the electric light in the Vatican has begun. The grand staircase is to be splendidly illuminated. Signor Cossa, of this city, is already an elevator in the Vatican, and the pope has a telephone convenient for use.

No Habeas Corpus for Post.

ALBANY, May 3.—The application of George W. Post, the pal of Tom Dillon in the confidence game which relieved John M. Peck of a goodly portion of his wealth, was denied by Judge Edwards. Post's counsel will appeal to the court of appeals.

The Poisoning of Orme.

LONDON, May 3.—The belief of the Duke of Westminster that his racehorse Orme was poisoned has not been affected by the fact that the horse is rapidly recovering. He does not believe that the intention was to kill, but only to disable the animal.

THE POLITICAL WORLD.

Connecticut's Republican State Convention at Hartford.

STILL TALKING ABOUT MR. BLAINE.

One of His Intimate Friends Said to Have Stated That the Secretary Will Accept the Presidential Nomination If It Is Offered Him at Minneapolis.

HARTFORD, May 3.—The Republican state convention will meet in this city at 8 o'clock this evening, when the delegates will present their credentials. Joseph L. Barbour will act as temporary chairman. On Wednesday the convention will reassemble. Senator Hawley will be permanent chairman. Delegates and alternates to Minneapolis will be chosen and a state central committee elected. The delegates at large will probably be Governor Bulkeley, James P. Platt, Timothy Hopkins and Lorrin A. Cook.

More Talk About Blaine.

DENVER, May 3.—Captain W. A. Garrett said, on arrival in this city: "Blaine is done with apparent authority on the attitude of his friend toward a presidential nomination. "Blaine will accept the nomination for president," said the captain, "if the convention at Minneapolis in its wisdom sees fit to offer it to him. I have private assurances to that effect from excellent sources, but I am not at liberty to name any one.

"Mr. Blaine, at the request of President Harrison, stepped aside and has honestly kept out of the race for political reasons in order that the president-elect need not see if the Republican party would not flock to him if no one else was in the way.

"Well, the party hasn't flocked to Mr. Harrison in any great numbers. I keep a very close watch on the delegates already chosen, and he assures me that less than 25 per cent. of them are for Harrison. That is the best he can do. Blaine will be nominated on the first ballot if he will accept. He is doing nothing to influence the decision, there is not the slightest question about his accepting.

"All this talk about his health is nonsense. The last time I was in Washington Mr. Blaine told me that he had not felt better in ten years. He walks two miles every day and never uses his carriage."

New Hampshire Prohibitionists.

CONCORD, N. H., May 3.—The call for the Prohibition state convention for the nomination of a candidate for governor and presidential electors, to appoint a number of delegates to the national convention names Concord as the place and June 1 as the date for the convention.

Republican Gains in Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 3.—Reports to The Journal from Democratic sources, holding elections show Republican victories in each and large Republican gains. West Indianapolis elected five Republican candidates for the first time in four years.

Anti-Cleveland Men Named.

HARTFORD, May 3.—The Hartford Democratic convention elected fourteen delegates to the state convention, headed by ex-United States Senator Eaton. The delegates are considered anti-Cleveland.

ANNA DICKINSON DYING.

Slight Hopes Entertained of Her Recovery at New York.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Anna Dickinson, reformer, politician, lecturer and pioneer in the woman's rights movement, is reported to be dying at the Fifth Avenue hotel. She is attended by Dr. Goldthwait, the hotel physician. She has slight hopes of the patient's recovery.

Anna Dickinson has long been prominent in this country in the advance ranks of public events. A little more than a year ago she was committed to a public asylum, poor, broken and demented, it was said. She managed to secure her release, and although her mental disorder is very much abated themselves since, she has remained free.

Her last appearance in this city some time since was pathetic in its evidence of decline, and the end does not come in the nature of a great surprise to those who know her.

A Tramp Steamer in Trouble.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Secretary Foster has directed that the forty-eight immigrants brought to Providence by the tramp vessel Mellie May from the Cape Verde islands must be kept at the Rhode Island state farm at the expense of the owners of the vessel, and that a bond be required and that prosecution be commenced against her master and owners for violation of the immigration law.

Young Raum Accused.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—At the Raum investigation Captain J. D. Rhodes said he wanted $175 on one occasion for a home. Young Raum offered $75 cash and $100 worth of pension influence. The witness was astonished at the offer. He said he believed that the step was taken through personal spite of the Raums.

The Seal Pirates' Alleged Scheme.

OTTAWA, May 3.—Nothing is known at the customs department of the alleged design of British Columbia sealers to register under foreign flags in order to evade the modus vivendi concerning Behring sea.

Says He Is 144 Years Old.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 3.—Jesus Cam pacho says he has just celebrated his 134th birthday. He was born, he says, in 1758. To prove his great age he has a copy of a church register of Valladolid, Spain.

New York State's Convicts.

ALBANY, May 3.—According to the latest statistics given out relating to the number of prisoners confined in the state's various prisons: Sing Sing, 1,733; Auburn, 355; Clinton, 811; total, 2,919.

The Pope Says "Tolerari Possum."

ROME, May 3.—The pope has decided that the attitude "tolerari possum" may be assumed by Archbishop Ireland's system of teaching in the American Roman Catholic schools.

A Skeleton in His Barnyard.

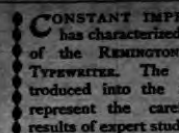
OLD LYME, Conn., May 3.—Alfred P. Beckwith, an Old Lyme farmer, excavated the skeleton of a man in his barnyard. The skull was perfect and bore no marks of violence.

Confessed to Embezzlement.

NEWARK, N. J., May 3.—Samuel Perkins, of 868 Summer avenue, has confessed to embezzling $280 from the Heller File Cutters' association, of which he is treasurer.

No Municipal Suffrage for Women.

BOSTON, May 3.—In the senate the bill granting municipal suffrage to women was refused a third reading by a vote of 21 to 19.



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OMAHA, May 3.—The twenty-fourth quadrennial conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was called to order at Boyd's Opera house. Bishop Bowman and Dr. S. Monroe were elected permanent secretaries. The entire morning session was devoted to a discussion of the proposition to seat the lay delegates separate from the clergy. During the discussion Dr. John Lanahan said he wished to congratulate the laymen upon the demand. He believed that the laymen would have more influence and power in the conference by being seated separately.

The Appearance of Antagonism.

Mr. Sinkle, of Kentucky, vigorously contested the idea of separate seating. "I do not congratulate the laymen upon this demand for separate seating," said Mr. Sinkle. "I know that we had the meetings the other night, and 71 out of about 100 laymen voted for the separate seating. They wanted the sheep and the goats separated. Some thought they should be called sheep and lambs. I want to plead for the lambs. I want the laymen and ministers seated together. I want the advice of the ministers, and I want the ministers to get advice occasionally from the laymen. If we are seated separately it will have the appearance of antagonism."

Lost Their Individuality.

Mr. Murray, of central Pennsylvania, a lay delegate, said that they were glad to do honor to the ministers, but they wanted to be seated by themselves for the influence it would give in the conference. They had lost their individuality heretofore, as nineteen laymen had been interspersed between over 300 ministers. One advantage the proposed order of things would give would be the possibility of conferring together. They merely wanted to be placed on an equality with the ministers.

Mr. Field, of Pennsylvania, said that there was no thought of arousing antagonism between the laymen and the ministers. The desire was to create a closer union by placing the laymen where they could do the most for the interests they represented.

Dr. J. M. Buckley, of New York city, then took the floor. He said the object of giving laymen representation in the conference was to secure the assistance of the laymen in the framing of the laws of the church. Had the laymen been given a fair chance to exercise equal power with the ministers? Dr. Buckley thought not. He recounted the history of the conference legislation upon the subject, and held that the laymen had been handicapped by failing to get a separate vote in the conference when they had demanded it.

The Laymen Victorious.

"Nine-tenths of the laymen," said Dr. Buckley, "attend but one general conference, but the ministerial delegates usually go to conference after conference, and the bishops who preside know them. The bishops are not acquainted with the laymen, and when they arise on the floor of the conference, along with half a dozen ministers, what is the result?

"The presiding officer usually recognizes some ministerial delegate, and the layman sits down."

Dr. Lewis C. Curtis, of Chicago, said that it was simply a question of privilege for the laymen and not of compulsion. If they wanted to sit by themselves the ministers could not do less than to grant their request.

After a long wrangle the conference decided to allow lay delegates who so desired to select seats separate from the ministerial delegates.

The Actors' Fund Fair.

NEW YORK, May 3.—The Actors' Fund fair was opened last evening by Edwin Booth and Joseph Jefferson. Madison Square Garden was packed to its very doors. The Garden resembled a veritable fairyland with its myriads of flashing electric lamps and Chinese lanterns and numerous pretty booths, which were well known and charming actresses presided.

Baron and Baroness Part.

NEW YORK, May 3.—"Baron" and "Baroness" Blanc, who have been conspicuous figures on Broadway for some years, have separated. The "Baron" announces that he will no longer be responsible for his wife's debts, and the "Baroness" announces that she never wishes to see his "detective" face again.

Women Desire to Be Delegates.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 3.—Miss Emma Schulte and Mrs. F. Elliott are candidates for the position of delegates to the Republican national convention at Minneapolis, and it is considered probable that both will be chosen by the state convention Wednesday.

To Fight Monmouth Park.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 3.—The Monmouth county Law and Order league was organized at Freehold, with a membership of 1,000, to enforce the criminal laws and stop gambling at Monmouth park. Major James P. Yard was elected president.

Anarchists Want Their Flags.

CHICAGO, May 3.—A deputation from the May Day parade called on Chief McClaughry and demanded the return of the red banners confiscated by the police. They will ask the courts to decide what flags may be permitted in a parade.

Mrs. Mallory's Gift to Mystic.

MYSTIC, Conn., May 3.—Mrs. C. H. Mallory, of New York, will shortly give to Elm Grove cemetery a handsome arched entrance of granite, costing $30,000, as memorial of her late husband, C. H. Mallory, of the Mallory line of steamers.

Page Pleads Guilty.

CLEVELAND, May 3.—Ralph K. Page, treasurer of the Painesville bank, that failed recently, pleaded guilty to the charge of forgery. He will be sentenced to the penitentiary in a few days.

Baron Fava Returning.

ROME, May 3.—Baron de Fava, the Italian minister, recalled from the Washington embassy at the time of the New Orleans massacre, has left Rome for Washington.

Reciprocity with France.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The French commercial reciprocity arrangement, negotiated by Minister Reid and signed just before he left Paris, will be promulgated shortly.

Not a Satisfactory Way.

A man in a restaurant the other day, when he received his check from his waiter, opened his pocketbook to pay the amount, and then got into a final conversation with a friend on the other side of the table. A few minutes later he got up to go, when the waiter touched him respectfully on the shoulder.

"The check, please," said the waiter.

"What?" said the diner. "I paid it, didn't I?"

"No, sir. I think you forgot it."

"Well, that's funny," said the other. "I remember taking out a bill, placing it on the check, and afterward handling the change back in my pocketbook."

"I did not see it, sir," said the waiter.

"Well," answered the diner, "make out another check. "I'm in a hurry," and he went down into his pocket again. Opening his pocketbook he pulled out a bit of paper.

"Why, what's this?" he said. "If it isn't that check!" and he gave the waiter an extra "tip."

Only another case of the absentminded man.—New York Tribune.

Reading.

Tramp—Sorry I have to tear myself away.—Life.

MAY LABOR TROUBLES.

Two Thousand Granite Cutters Idle in Massachusetts.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 3.—The general strike of granite cutters in the Cape Ann quarries has been inaugurated. A general notice was sent out and the workmen at Rockport and Pigeon Cove joined in the strike and now 2,000 men and boys are idle. The men want twenty-five cents per hour and nine hours instead of ten. The officers believe the men will soon resume work.

Scranton Trade Circles Excited.

SCRANTON, May 3.—Trade circles in this city are on the brink of a panic because of the threatening attitude of carpenters, plasterers, masons, bricklayers and helpers. They are demanding a nine hour day with ten hour pay. The painters have been on strike for the same thing nearly a month. These trades paraded 3,000 men Monday afternoon. The builders will fight every demand.

Five Hundred Are Out.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 3.—About 500 quarrymen and stonecutters employed at Stony Creek and Leete Island have struck because their demand for an increase of one cent an hour was refused by the bosses. The men were receiving twenty-two cents an hour.

Boston Plumbers Win.

BOSTON, May 3.—The demand of the Plumbers' union for four dollars a day has been granted by Tucker & Titus, William Mills & Co. and William A. Johnson, who employ 125 men, or nearly half the journeymen in Boston.

A World's Fair Strike.

CHICAGO, May 3.—About 150 staff carpenters and 100 iron workers at the World's fair grounds have struck. The former work eight hours and forty cents an hour. The iron workers want eight hours and thirty five cents per hour.

Express Drivers on Strike.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., May 3.—The drivers in the employ of the United States Express company are on strike. Their special grievance is the increase of the annual bond expense from $3.40 to $6.75 per $1,000.

Maine Quarrymen Out.

AUGUSTA, Me., May 3.—About 100 quarrymen employed by the Hallowell Granite company are on strike. The cutters and helpers will join them and make the number out about 300.

Carpenters Want Reduced Hours.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 3.—Upward of a hundred carpenters are on strike. They demand nine hours instead of ten. There is a prospect of a general strike being ordered.

Plumbers on Strike.

PROVIDENCE, May 3.—The journeymen plumbers of this city have struck. They demand nine hours instead of ten and ask $3.50 a day. About 125 men are out.

For the Nine Hour Day.

NORWALK, Conn., May 3.—The Norwalk union carpenters have struck for nine hours work and ten hours' pay per day. The bosses will fight.

Twelve Hundred Are Out.

CHICAGO, May 3.—The strike of the boilermakers of this city for a reduction in working hours has begun and about 1,200 men are idle.

Coal Handlers Strike.

CLEVELAND, May 3.—Eight hundred coal handlers on the docks here struck for an advance of from twelve to fourteen cents per ton.

For the Eight Hour Day.

ST. PAUL, May 3.—Two hundred plumbers have gone out on strike for the adoption of an eight hour day.

Lipschutz Wins Again.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Lipschutz won Monday's championship chess game against Showalter after thirty-three moves. Following is the present score: Lipschutz, 3 Showalter, 0; drawn, 3.

Troops to Move the Intruders.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Secretary Noble has requested the secretary of war to send troops to the Colville Indian reservation in Washington to move intruders.

To Look the Field Over.

ALBANY, May 3.—The New York state World's fair commission will meet in Chicago on May 11 to become familiar with the situation.

The Pennsylvania's May Dividend.

PHILADELPHIA, May 3.—The directors of the Pennsylvania railroad declared a May dividend of 3 per cent. in cash, payable May 31.

Yale's Horse Polo Team.

NEW HAVEN, May 3.—A horse polo team is to be formed at Yale to play the club which has existed for several years at Harvard.

The Baker Ballot Law Sustained.

PHILADELPHIA, May 3.—The supreme court of Pennsylvania has affirmed the constitutionality of the Baker ballot law.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Robert E. Fraser, of Detroit, will be appointed to succeed Judge Montgomery, of the district supreme court, who resigned last week.

Yates Carrington, the well known actual painter, is dead.

A cavern of locusts six miles wide recently passed near Graham's Town, Cape colony, flying seaward.

The returns from the municipal election held in Prince Sunday show that the Republicans have gained every seat but one in the department of the north.

Two slight earthquake shocks were felt throughout New Hampshire.

Daniel O'Sullivan was shot and killed in the saloon of Wolf & Bernstein, Chicago.

Sheriff Luse, of Searcy county, Ark., has been locked up for spending the county's money on himself.

The schooner Sophia Milch, with nine men on board, is supposed to have gone down in Lake Superior.

The Quebec government proposes to reduce the pay of members of the legislature from $600 to $600 a session.

The Illinois Steel company will erect a new mill at Joliet, Ill., which will cost $1,500,000 and employ 1,000 men.

Rev. M. L. Weakley, the oldest Methodist minister in the United States, died at his home in Berlin, Pa., Sunday, aged ninety-five.

It is rumored that the Marquis de Morès has challenged the municipal councillor of Paris, who referred to him insultingly.

The celebrated Fairhaven stables and nineteen horses, the property of Smith McCann, at Lexington, Ky., were destroyed by fire.

David H. Ames, of Jerseyville, Ills., celebrated his 100th birthday. He has voted for every Republican president since the birth of the party.

At Brooklyn, Judge Osborne fixed the amount of Mrs. Tilton's alimony and counsel fees in the suit of William H. Platt against her for divorce at $230 for counsel fee and $25 a month alimony.

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"Yes, that is partly why I have taken up this occupation," said Miss Wilkins. "My father has been a raiser of horses for many years, and from the time I was a little girl I was always around with him among the horses and on his selling trips, and so when I grew up I got drifted gradually into the work of selling the horses, until now I have entire charge of that branch of our business."

Miss Wilkins is equal partner with her father and two brothers in the big Wilkins horse and cattle ranch in southwestern Idaho. The father and brothers devote themselves to the cattle side of the business, while into the sister's hands have been put for the last six years the outside work, and she has attended to the sales and shipments of both cattle and horses. She doesn't care for cattle, and her work with them is perfunctory, but all through the week she is busy, for her thorough knowledge of horses, her quick and excellent judgment upon them and her skill in their management.

Miss Wilkins has made a business trip to New York. Heretofore she has made her sales in Chicago and the large cities west of the Mississippi, and in all the big stock yards of that region her annual visit and her consignment of big ranch horses are expected with interest. For her horses are always big, healthy and salable, and she is a handsome and interesting young woman. Although she goes about her business in as businesslike a way as if she were a man, she is like a refreshing breeze from her own far away prairie.

"My success in New York has been very good," said Miss Wilkins, "and I intend hereafter to make a business trip to your city every year.

"Yes, I enjoy the business very much, and its fascination grows upon me constantly. Do I consider it my profession for life? Why, yes, certainly; just as much as my brothers consider it theirs. Why not? I devote as much time and energy to learning all I can about horses, their breeding, care and management. And the more I learn the more I find out there is left to be learned. It's the most fascinating occupation I know of, and I am thoroughly happy in it."

"Did I ever find any obstacles and did anybody ever hint that they thought it was unwomanly? Well, those are queer questions. Do you know, it never occurred to me before that anybody might think it was an unwomanly business for a woman to be engaged in. Even the most disagreeable person I ever saw never hinted it. But it's my choice of occupation, I enjoy it and the success of it, and my father and brothers trust my judgment and capacity in the business just as they do their own. And if we are satisfied what affair is it of any one on the outside? As for obstacles, why, bless you, no, I never found a single one. On the contrary, every one has always been kindly and courteous, and I have never met with any thing that was in the least bit unpleasant."

Miss Wilkins is a thorough western woman, and has lived all her life in California, Oregon and Idaho. She has the frank, cordial, straightforward manners of a western woman, and her body well rounded, clear eyes and self control of a woman of refinement. There is nothing that is in the least mannish in her bearing or appearance of the horse market about her manners or her conversation. She is healthful and wholesome looking, and when she is animated in conversation her appearance is very pleasant to look upon. Her frame is rather large and her body well rounded, and that gives her a look of great physical health and vitality. Her hair is as yellow as her own prairies in August and her eyes are clear and steady and blue, and look straight at you with frankness and sincerity. And the expression of her face indicates that when she has set a price on a horse it doesn't leave her hands for a cent less.

"Our ranch," Miss Wilkins went on in answer to a question, "is in Owyhu county, and we have on it, after this season's sales, about 2,500 head of horses and 1,500 of cattle. No, our horses have no mustang blood in them, but are descended from Clydesdale and Percheron stallions, with occasionally some trotting blood, and American mares brought from the east. We breed first for size and strength and with long power that we think cannot be produced except by range breeding at a considerable altitude.

"Our ranch is at a height of about 3,000 feet above sea level, and our horses are never housed or fed until we round them up to send them east."

Miss Wilkins has been satisfied with studying the horse of the present, but has dived into geologic records, and can tell you about the five toed and three toed horses, no bigger than sheep, that roamed the plains of Idaho ages and ages and ages ago as fluently as she can expound the superiority of open air breathing.

"Of course," she admitted, "the baby treatment is all right if you want to produce phenomenal and fancy priced trotters and race horses. But if you want a hardy stock with the lung power that is one of the first essentials of all round usefulness, then the range system is the one to employ."—New York Herald.

Power of a Woman's Laugh.

Women very generally neglect a powerful weapon of offense and defense placed at their command by nature. A woman's laugh, if intelligently and skillfully used, is a greater aid in his tracks or elevate him to the seventh heaven of happiness.

Several causes have contributed to the decadence of woman's laughter. The chief one perhaps is the modern fad of dressing. Full, free laughter depends upon a perfect development and exercise of the respiratory muscles. Confined as these are by steel and whalebone, laughter becomes an impossibility.

With a loss of the art of laughing comes a loss of the sense of humor. When the expression of any of the senses become difficult the sense itself dwindles. Don't mistake giggling for laughter.—St. Louis Magazine.

Rudeness to Strangers.

The progress of science is not without its disagreeable features. Here is one of that kind. The employment of a preparation of solidified gun cotton as a substitute for ivory, and, when colored, for tortoise shell, jet, etc., is said to have given so far extended with a certain amount of risk. Under some conditions the compound is even explosive, and may be regarded generally as inflammable. Mr. C. V. Boys, of the Royal College of Science, has published a letter, recounting a singular accident which occurred to a lady who was standing near a fire. She found herself suddenly enveloped in smoke, and a gentleman who crushed the ignited portion of her dress had his hand badly burned. The fire originated where a large fancy button had been, which had disappeared.

The following test of the inflammability of one of the buttons shows the danger of this style of ornament: A phosphorus match and a piece of a button were placed on a piece of iron heated by a gas flame. In five minutes the button ignited, and in twelve minutes another piece double the distance from the flame, while the match remained unignited. Fire was also a specimen of an hour. Another button, attached to a dress and placed before the fire in a position a lady's dress might occupy, took fire and ignited the dress in a few minutes. Mr. Boys points out the obvious moral, and cautions persons not to use articles made to imitate horn, ivory or tortoise shell, without adopting the precautions not to expose them to heat.—London Queen.

Hawthorne's Literary Daughter.

Now and then one sees in New York the only surviving daughter of Nathaniel Hawthorne. She is Mrs. Lathrop, the wife of George Parsons Lathrop. The Lathrop home is in New London, Conn., and here the entire year is spent by the literary pair. They live comfortably in a pretty home, and for instances are there which so thoroughly shatter the accusation that literary marriages are unhappy. Mrs. Lathrop may be called a pretty woman. She is a blond, with a perfect wealth of hair and a profile of head that is especially attractive. Her beauty is vivacious and has about it all the freshness of a youthful disposition. Her face is a laughing one that is seldom in repose.

Mrs. Lathrop was in New York for a few days to "shop" or perfect some liter ary arrangement. Her literary talent is perfectly developed, and she possesses enough to drop with ease into prose, fiction or verse. She does not overwrite, and her contributions when she does write are deftly sold. The best magazines publish her wares, and she commands excellent prices. She depends in nowise upon her father's name to help her, her own talents carry her work successfully into the leading editorial offices. The daughter of Hawthorne is a bright woman in her work and a charming woman in her personality. —Edward W. Bok in Brooklyn Standard-Union.

Inventions by Women.

Among inventions by women is one credited to Victoria Quarre Wakefield for an improvement for engraving on copper; to Emeline Roberts, improvement in bee hives; to Sarah Ruth, sunshade for horses; to Mary A. E. Whitner, improvement in stereoscopes; to Mary F. Sallade, improvement in plaiting machine; to Louise F. Sleeper, improvement in detaching horses; to Ella I. Haller, a patent on a self lighting lamp, and to Lillie Tubbs, a cut off for hydraulic and other engines.

Emily E. Searey, of Pittsburg, is the patentee of an improved fly trap; Mary Miller passes Elizabeth Hale, improvement in package for piece goods; Ella Marsten, coal vault grating, while Amelia J. Delaney has patented a coloring process. Betsy Ann Worden, of Scranton, has an improvement in car couplings; Saville H. Crump, of Reading, has patented a thing to go grocers' as a corpse member; Emily E. Tansey, of McKeesport, improvement in apparatus for raising sunken vessels; Elizabeth Dalessio, of Newark, N. J., patents on steam and fume boxes; Dora Hirsh, of Lancaster, a car coupling device, while Annie K. Penix, of Clearfield, has invented and patented a corset. Hannah J. Armstrong has invented a machine for feeding cattle on trains.—New York Evening Sun.

Woman's Sphere.

A State street doctor, who has made women a study and whose practice is confined to that sex, said: "Woman may in the course of human events get the right of suffrage, she may be elected to office, she may attain heights as lofty as those climbed by man, but there is something about a woman that will always keep her a woman still and which will preclude her from competing with men as she may like. There are certain fields of skilled labor which she cannot enter successfully, and simply because her anatomical makeup will prevent.

"The female foot is not so constructed as to permit her to sustain any heavy weight. She cannot stand every day many hours consecutively without injuring herself, permanently. Women have less purchase in the leverage existing between the trunk and the extremities than a man. The anatomical construction of a woman's knee is such that she cannot perform many of the pursuits of her brother. Women can never be soldiers or sailors.

"I am the last man to say that women should have an equal show with men in all that pertains to elevating the world, but the more I study woman the more am I convinced that her place is in home. I think that her construction was built with that view."—Chicago Tribune.

Mary Washington.

Those who remember Mary Washington's appearance in the later years of her life describe her person as being of medium size and well proportioned, the dignity of bearing, the erect carriage giving something of stateliness to her presence, while her features were regular and strongly marked, her brow fine and her eyes a clear blue.

No authentic portrait of Mary Washington is known; it is a family tradition that in the destruction of Wakefield by fire the family portraits were lost. Colonel G. W. P. Custis was questioned as to his knowledge of the subject, and replied by letter to Colonel Lewis W. Washington that "there was no picture preserved of the mother of the chief," and this has been always the belief of her descendants.—Mrs. R. B. Washington in Century.

A New Way of Giving Medicine.

A French doctor is credited with claiming that he has discovered a method of introducing medicines into the body through the mucous membrane by means of electricity.

Mix Pastry Flour with a Knife.

The flour for pastry should be of the whitest and finest quality. It should be mixed with a broad knife, as the moisture and warmth of the hand makes it heavy

FOIBLES OF MEN AND WOMEN.

The Lord bears lots about the faults of husbands from over-religious wives.

The trouble in love affairs is that the parties to it love too much to love long.

A man can't love a woman he does not want; woman love men every day they can't trust.

The best loved man is he who gives the most; he is also the one least regarded when he stops giving.

One two year old reason why a man should tell the truth is that it is not the tax on his memory that a lie would be.

Some people give their confidence as others give pennies, for the sake of what sources they will be told in return.

Men judge a man's religion by his actions outside the church, and the women judge it by the brilliancy of his prayers within.

A woman who has everything to lose and nothing to gain is always more reckless than a man who has everything to gain and nothing to lose.

Men are brutes; they have better times occasionally without their wives, and tell them so. Women are hypocrites; they enjoy life without their husbands now and awhile, but they will never admit that they were not miserable without them.—Atchison Globe.

SCIENTIFIC SKETCHES.

Each cubic inch of soil contains from 40,000 to 1,200,000 microbes organisms.

To make one pound of honey the bee must visit from 20,000 to 200,000 flowers.

The great telescope of Lord Rosse has a speculum six feet diameter, fifty-five feet focus.

A fly-wheel weighing over twenty tons and twenty feet in diameter, with a forty-two inch face, is a casting of no mean importance. Such a one was recently cast in Massachusetts.

Molds for casting iron can only be made in sand. Iron or other metallic molds chill the iron and it does not fill well. The great heat at which iron melts will burn any other material or will stick so as to break the mold.

Liquid oxygen turns out to be blue. Hitherto it has been described as colorless. M. Olszewsk, of Moscow, who has just made the discovery, suggests that the color of the sky may be due to the atmospheric oxygen.

A new pianoforte keyboard, having six rows of keys, has recently been exhibited in Manchester, England. An octave is formed by six keys in two contiguous rows. All the keys are on the same level, and each note is separated from the next by an interval of two semi-tones.

INTERESTING FACTS.

An acre of bananas will support twenty-five times as many persons as an acre of wheat.

The annual sales crop of the world is estimated at over 11,000,000,000 pounds, worth in first hands over $330,000,000.

There are now 3,000 Japanese in San Francisco. At the present rate of arrival they will number over 30,000 within five years.

The Roman Catholic Church in the United States has 12,000 priests anytown with 10,879 inmates; thirty-nine theological seminaries and 3,377 parochial schools, with 665,000 children in attendance.

A couple of Pennsylvania men made a ball of wood while riding isolated from stripe of American fir. They play on it with leather gloves covered with rosin, and the tune is described as wonderfully pure.

The biggest Danish hound now living is thought to belong to the Czar. The dog is generally found in the hall leading to the Czar's private apartments, and the Emperor places great confidence in the moral effect of his presence.

THE NOXIOUS WEED.

Secretary Proctor detests tobacco.

Oscar Wilde has a weakness for white kid gloves and Turkish cigarettes.

There are considerably over a hundred thousand nerves devoted to tobacco in Virginia.

Jules Simon, the celebrated French economist, detests tobacco, and says that he has an instinctive contempt of alcohol.

A trio of celebrated Kentuckians who always found an especial solace in corncob pipes were Beckham, Knott and Pettigrew.

"Mark Twain consumes 300 cigars a month, besides drawing much consolation from his pipe." He does? Well, it may be suspected that he is as violent an assault on truth as any he ever committed himself. It implies that he does not inhale but smoke.

SIFTINGS.

An Oregon man wants to trade a mule for a wife. The mule can never know when they are well off.

A Japanese dentist never uses forceps. When he draws a tooth he has to dig it out with his fingers.

If you want to know just how small a man is, give him an office or let him become suddenly wealthy.

A little learning is a fool, like scanty powder in a large gun, will sometimes make considerable noise.

Vital statistics show that men bear pain with less fortitude than woman, that they die earlier and oftener, and are a very scurvy lot anyhow.

The Prince of Wales is a colonel in forty-one different regiments. What would he do if his mamma should order them all out at once?—Texas Siftings.

IT IS WELL TO REMEMBER.

That every promise is a debt.

That newspaper criticisms are not always gospel.

That it's no disgrace to be poor, but mighty inconvenient.

That the man who smokes cigarettes is not necessarily brainless.

That children hear more than grown people give them credit for.

That the average man about town is a huge bore.—Music and Drama.

This Date in History—May 3.

1469—Nicolo Machiavelli, statesman and political writer, who gave a name to bribery as a science, born in Florence. Died there 1527.

1808—Benjamin Silliman, professional founder of the practical science of chemistry in America, born in Wilkinsville, Conn. Died, 1885.

1826—Augustus Frederick Macklaymier, born.

1847—Thomas Hood, English poet, died; born, 1798.

1868—Great fire at San Francisco and most of the city destroyed.

1886—Battle of Haymarket square, Chicago, and defeat of the Knights of Labor, on the fourth and fifth Rodney defeated a retreat with many casualties. Police loss in the fatal days, 38.

1891—Professor Edward Swift Dunster died at Ann Arbor, Michigan; born 1821.

1892—Daniel Boone Beck, senator from Kentucky, died in Washington, aged 68. The carpenters and allied trades in many American cities struck for an eight hour day, and in some places gained their point.

An Unfortunate Family.

The Lampton family is in one respect one of the most unfortunate in Harlem. They have lost five or six children, but the birder are very much in the ratio of the deaths, so that the family is far from being childless. A few weeks ago there was another death in the family, and the undertaker's assistant called at the house. A small boy met him at the door.

"Is your pa in?"

"What do you want to see him about?"

"I want to ask him when the funeral will take place."

"You needn't see him at all, if that is all you want. I can tell you that. Pa always buys us at 4 o'clock in the afternoon."—Texas Siftings.

His Wife's Fault.

Brown—You don't look very happy, Robinson. What's the matter?

Robinson—Oh, I left off my flannels this morning and have caught cold.

Brown—That's bad.

Robinson—Oh, I don't mind about the cold, but my wife told me I was leaving them off too soon.—Funny Folks.

What It Might Mean.

Mrs. White (calling on an old servant)—So your husband is dead, Margaret?

Margaret (vigorously wiping her eyes)—Ah, yes, mum, he's been remoidrin' in his grave these many years.—Harper's Bazar.

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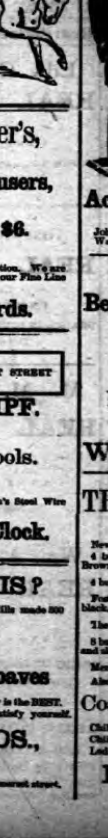

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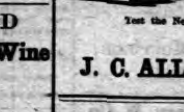

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The Weather.
Fair, with slight temperature changes.

BREVITIES

—The Crescents left for Staten Island on the 12 o'clock train to-day.

—Michael Regan of Stebbens place is on a visit to friends in Elmira.

—Gazelle Engine Company will hold a meeting this evening at eight o'clock.

—There will be a devotional meeting in the W. C. T. U. rooms to-morrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

—A heavy rain storm accompanied by thunder and lightning visited this city at about one o'clock this morning.

—A regular meeting of the Plainfield Bicycle Club will be held on Monday, May 9, at eight p. m. in the club house.

—Clarkson Watts and a friend who spent yesterday morning along Greenbrook fishing, succeeded in catching only two small fish.

—Special attention is directed to the ordinance published in another column relating to bicycles. It will be well for all bicyclists to read the ordinance.

—The members of the Republican Association met last evening at Republican headquarters and transacted business of importance to the organization.

—Policemen Cooney, Giese and Sammers yesterday went fishing along Greenbrook. They succeeded in catching one small catfish. Mr. Giese took possession of the fish.

—The residents of Orange street complain of a dog owned by one of the residents of that thoroughfare. They say the dog keeps them awake nights by its continuous barking.

—Mr. Beach, agent for the Arnold Cooker, invites everybody to call at 61 Park avenue and see a new oil gas stove he is selling. Something entirely new. See advertisement.

—If the person who stole the little dog from the corner of Madison avenue and Second street yesterday afternoon does not return it before noon to-morrow he will, the loser says, be prosecuted. He is known.

—The librarian of a public library says that some of the daintily bound books in his charge are injured when handled by persons wearing soiled gloves. In some of the European libraries gloved readers are not permitted to handle the books.

—An old restaurant bill printed in Richmond, Va., in January, 1824, gives the war-time prices in Confederate money: Soup, $1.50; chicken, $6.50; roast beef, $4; ham and eggs, $5; 1/2 oyster, $2; coffee, $2; bread and butter, $1.50; a bottle of champagne, $20; a drink of rye whisky, $2; a bottle of ale, $12; and a cigar, $2.

—It is evident Mr. J. Fred MacDonald was mistaken at the Council meeting Monday night when he gave as a reason for requesting postponement respecting the widening of Peace street, that the map was not ready—if he meant the Plainfield map. That has been in the possession of Commissioner Cleaver since July, 1891. Possibly he referred to the North Plainfield map, which it is expected will be ready this week.

—Mr. Wesley Ulrich of West Fifth street asks that the statement in another paper that his son lost his head by jumping from the wagon on Park avenue Saturday while his horse was running away, be denied. He says the runaway was caused by the breaking of a breeching strap and that the horse ran a distance of over a mile; that when the boy saw that a collision with a big truck was inevitable he jumped to save himself. Mr. Ulrich further states that the animal is gentle and can be driven by a woman, but was urged on by being continually struck by the broken breeching strap.

AN ICE COMBINE.

Local Dealers to Sell Ice Cheaper This Summer.

It is understood that articles of incorporation will soon be filed in the County Clerk's office for a new company, which has been organized in this city. The company, it is said, will be known as the City Ice Company. It is comprised of the following persons: J. W. and H. E. Codington, John Morton and Andrew Wilson.

They propose to purchase the large ice house that was recently erected near Grant avenue of Mr. Brady and fill it each Winter with ice gathered at Lake Hopatcong. The house is said to have a capacity of 60,000 tons. It now contains 30,000 tons.

They propose to harvest their ice from Lake Hopatcong only and say they will supply to local consumers at a much lower rate than formerly.

Warren's Officers.

Annual election of officers for the Warren Engine Co., No. 1, of North Plainfield was held Monday night and after a spirited contest the following officers were elected:

President—George H. Fairchild.
1st Asst. Foreman—Julius J. Stahl.
2d Asst. Foreman—David Bodine.
Secretary—James D. Anderson.
Treasurer—David C. Allen.
Engineer—P. Kellogher.
1st Asst. Engineer—William T. Newman.
2d Asst. Engineer—D. C. Alley.
Trustee—Van Nest was elected a member of Relief Committee for three years.

A Runaway.

A team of horses attached to a milk-wagon belonging to William Mernagh ran away on East Fifth street yesterday morning and wrecked the wagon. The driver escaped injury. The horses became frightened at the sudden passage of two ponies ridden by two boys who were racing.

THE MELOPOIA.

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The final Melopoia concert for the season, which took place at the Casino last evening, passed off like its predecessors, extremely pleasant.

The platform, upon which was arranged in tiers forming a semi-circle around the conductor, nearly one hundred of the Society's most excellently trained voices, was decorated with a magnificent profusion of choicest flowers and plants, a wall of towering vines, about fifteen feet square, the gift of Mrs. Charles Fisk, very much helped a most artistic setting for the chorus.

The ladies were beautiful in Spring costumes, and all the chorus as arranged presented a scene that will be memorable, especially when taken in connection with such an audience as it is doubtful if any other town in the country of the size of Plainfield could assemble.

And the programme was worthy of the audience—just such a programme as one might expect from so gifted a conductor as Mr. Wm. H. Chapman. He holds the Society second to none. It is to be one of the most honored in the Patti May Festival at Madison Square Garden, New York, to take place on the evenings of May 11th and 12th, and the afternoon of, May 14th, with a chorus of 1,000 voices, Mr. Chapman to be the conductor.

The Society was assisted by Miss Margaret Reid, soprano; Miss Leonora Von Stosch, violinist; Mr. William R. Rieger, tenor; Mr. Emile Levy, and Miss Jessie Utter, accompanists.

The applause throughout the evening was frequent and hearty, encores being frequently demanded. Annexed is the

PROGRAMME.

Part 1.

Gypsy Life.....Stuman
a. Legende.
b. Serenade.....Wieniawski
Miss Von Stosch.
The Boatman's Good Night.....Schira
Aria from Lucia de Lammermoor.....Donizetti
Miss Reid.
Recitation and Aria.....Verdi
Mr. Rieger.
Easter Hymn (Cavalleria).....Mascagni
Santuzza—Miss Reid.

Part II.

Bridal Chorus ("Rose Maiden").....Cowen
Violin obligato by Miss Von Stosch.
Waltz from Romeo and Juliet.....Gounod
Miss Reid.
"Sleep on in Purest Peace Delight,"...Chapman
Mr. Rieger.
"Full sail, Fiera,".....Pinsuti
Gypsy Dance.....Miss Von Stosch.
Sanctus.....Chapman
Soprano obligato by Miss Reid.
Holy! Holy! Holy! Lord God of Hosts. Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord. Heaven and earth are full of Thy glory. Hosanna in the highest!
Sung by request of a number of the associate members.

The Executive Committee announces that the Society for the season of 1892-93 will commence its work under the direction of Mr. Wm. H. Chapman. Three concerts will be given, as follows:

December 30, 1892, February 21, 1893, May 2, 1893.

The subscription for Associate members will remain at twenty-five dollars, which will entitle the subscriber to four tickets to each concert. Present subscribers wishing to retain their membership for the season of 1892-93 are requested to send their names to the Secretary, W. T. Kauffman.

At the May Festival above referred to Madame Adelina Patti will be heard in all of her favorite operatic selections, together with that grand aria sung at Newport, which she so reptiously demanded by the public. Prominent among her numbers will be the soprano aria of the concerted music of "Lucia di Lammermoor," "Martha," "Don Pasquale," "The Barber of Seville," "Linda d'Chamounix" and "Dinorah."

Miss Patti will also sing in English, "The Echo Song," "Coming thro' the Rye," "The Last Rose of Summer," "Home, Sweet Home," and a number of Waltz songs by Arditi.

The company, which embraces Miss Patti, Signor Gaddini, Signor Novara, Signor Galassi, Signor Novari, and others, will appear in the grand opera "Aida," "Lucia," "Faust," "Il Trovatore," "The Masked Ball," "The Magic Flute," "William Tell," "The Huguenots," "Martha," "Don Pasquale," "Mazaniello," "Ernani," and "Il Trovatore."

The Choral works (with 1000 voices and an orchestra of 100) will be: "Flanks to God," "Elijah," "Easter Hymn," "Cavalleria Rusticana," "Samson," "Hall, Bright Abode," "Tannhauser," "Love and Spring," "Spinning chorus," "Flying Dutchman," and "The Last Chord."

The effect of these vocal compositions, rendered by this great body of voices, under the direction of Mr. Chapman, will undoubtedly be magnificent.

To Arrest Fast Drivers.

Mayor Gilbert has instructed Policeman Lynch to watch the North avenue crossing morning and evening and to arrest all persons who presist in fast driving in going to and coming from the depot. He will be at that post between the hours of 7.30 and 9 a. m. and 4 and 7 p. m. There has been so much fast driving at that point that many persons have had narrow escapes from being seriously injured.

PERSONAL.

The funeral of the late Dr. Charles H. Sullman took place yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mall, ne Miss Johnston, daughter of John Taylor Johnston, are at the Johnston homestead on East Front street.

The members of the Park Club are to give receptions in their club house on each Thursday evening of this month. The first one is to be given next Thursday evening.

The Misses Weaver of Orchard place entertained about twenty-five of their friends at their home on that thoroughfare last evening. The evening was spent very pleasantly.

PROGRESS OF THE "Y'S"

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 3, 1892.

The Young Ladies' Laudable Efforts Crowned with Success in Helping to Make Others Happy and Relieving Suffering.

The Plainfield "Y's" have fifty-two active members and five honorary members.

They have held regularly two meetings each month since last September, one business meeting, and one devotional meetings. They had topic cards printed with subject, date and name of leader upon them. These were distributed among the members. At three of their meetings the pastors of different churches were invited and addressed them.

They held one public meeting at which Mrs. Francis J. Barnes, the National Superintendent, talked about "Individual Responsibility."

The principal work of the "Y's" for this year was the Loyal Legion, which was under the charge of Miss Winter, who was assisted by several members of the "Y" members. This class for little children was started in November with a membership of five, which has increased so rapidly that now there are one hundred and sixteen enrolled.

At various times during the year receptions have been given to the little ones, when refreshments have been served.

The "Y's" still continue the Hospital work, carrying fruit, jellies, flowers, papers and useful articles to the patients and singing or reading to them every week.

They have contributed towards the purse which was given by the members in general to Miss Morgan, the founder of "Y's," on the evening of her marriage. They have also contributed toward the Isabelle Gibson fund, the "Y" Hospital bed, and the Dawns' Memorial Cottage at the Waverly Fair grounds. Besides these donations they raised $36 at the Twilight Tea, held at Mrs. Patton's, which they gave toward the Creche or Day Nursery fund.

They have given two entertainments to raise money for their own treasury. One was a cake and candy sale, just before Thanksgiving, and the other the Chrysanthemum Reception. From the two they realized $176.85. From this amount they have cancelled their yearly expenses and still have a little surplus with which to start next year's work.

From well-wishers they have received money, a "Y" stamp and paper and envelopes.

On Friday, April 7th, seven of their number, accompanied by Mrs. S. J. Taylor and, Mrs. Harder, attended the "Y" convention held at Trenton, and they learned many new and useful things which will help them another year and enable them to start some new branches to their work.

Monday evening last they gave an entertainment to the Boys' Club. On the evening of this month they will give an entertainment to their Loyal Legion after which refreshments will be served at the W. C. T. U. rooms.

At the May-flower festival on the 17th and 18th of this month the "Y's" are to assist Mrs. Patton at her fancy table for the Creche.

The treasurer's report from May 1, 1891, to May 1, 1892, shows that upon entering the year they only had $1.08.

During the year they increased the amount to $36.18. Of this they have paid out $204.90, showing a deficit of $68.72 on hand.

After the reports of all the committees were read, Yesterday afternoon, Miss Campbell of New Brunswick, State Superintendent of the "Y's," gave the girls a very encouraging talk.

There were about fifty-five present at the meeting.

INJURED BY A TORPEDO.

William Newman Found it to be a Dangerous Plaything.

William Newman, a boy residing on West Third street, met with a painful accident at about half-past five o'clock last evening. He and some companions were strolling along Second street, and when near Grant avenue young Newman picked up a torpedo used by railroad men to signal a train ahead. Finding the torpedo used is nearly as big as a silver dollar and is covered with sheet iron or tinning, he thought that when the engine passes over it it makes a loud report and warns the engineer to stop the train.

Not knowing what it was, young Newman picked it up and on the spot commenced hammering it with a stone. After striking it several times it exploded, and struck his right hand, the force of the explosion driving a deep gash about four inches long, from which the blood flowed freely. Edward Kellogg, who happened to be nearby, ran to the boy's assistance and temporarily bound up the wounded hand to stop the flow of blood. He then sent him to Muhlenberg Hospital, where the wounds were properly dressed.

Firemen's Elections.

The following are to serve as officers of Engine Co. No. 2, and Alert Hose Co. No. 1, for the ensuing year:

ALERT HOSE COMPANY.

Foreman—J. L. Hoagland.
1st Assistant—C. C. Barnet.
2d Assistant—C. F. Leggett.
Secretary—H. M. Demarest.
Treasurer—E. F. Murray.
Steward—E. R. Anthony.
Delegates to Relief Association—J. E. Tarrill, S. F. Kimball.

PLAINFIELD ENGINE CO., NO. 2.

Foreman—R. D. Rogers.
1st Assistant—Patrick Colbert.
2d Assistant—Harry Conner.
Secretary—Philip Mahoney.
Treasurer—Chas. H. Smith.
Foreman—Frank Bandy.
Engineer—Frank Bandy.
1st Assistant—Chas. W. Smith.
2d Assistant—Chas. J. Newman.
Trustee—William Osborne.
Representative to Relief Association—R. B. Rogers, C. W. Smith.

THE MAY TERM.

THE COURT OPENED YESTERDAY MORNING.

Judge Van Syckel Delivers a Brief Charge on a Homicide Case—The Grand Jurors.

The May term of the Union county courts was opened yesterday morning with the customary scenes and incidents about the court house.

There was a large attendance of lawyers, nearly every member of the county bar was present, and there were a number from other parts of the State. Among these were Hon. Augustus C. Cutter, Newark; Jerome Barber, Bergen county; E. R. Savage, ex-Senator Edwards and others.

The court convened about half-past ten o'clock, when the big doors were thrown open, and Sheriff Hicks entered with the grand jurors.

The oaths were administered by County Clerk Trowell. Dr. James S. Green had been selected as foreman but his illness necessitated an alteration of the list and Edward E. Martine of this city received the honor.

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE GRAND JURORS.

James L. Martine, foreman.
Elmhurst—Richard Frohwein, Louis Quinn, Thomas Drum, Seymour Van Nostrand, James Brennan, William D. Jenkins, William Moore, Jr., Edward S. Johnson.
Plainfield—Edson W. Rand, John B. Brown, Julius Scott.
Rahway—John L. Freeman, James D. Hammel, Frederick Reed.
Summit—James H. Kelly.
New Providence—Bradford Jones.
Linden—Edward W. Bonnell.
Springfield—Nicholas C. Cox.
Fanwood—Wm. C. Shawberry.
Cranford—Samuel Brokaw.

Mr. Cox was released, as the law requires but twenty-three to be sworn.

Judge Van Syckel's charge to the grand jurors was very brief. He said the only case of importance requiring their special consideration, so far as the court had been advised, was a homicide case. The killing was committed very soon after the last grand jury was discharged.

The prosecutor would present the evidence to the jurors, and if they should find the killing took place apparently without lawful authority, they should present the offender, and the grade of the crime would be defined and settled in court before the jury.

The grand jurors selected as the attendant constables Amos J. Moffett and Wm. Gaynor. They then retired, and it is reported they are engaged in investigating the homicide case.

The Committee's Report.

The following is the report in full made by the Laws and Ordinance Committee at the Council meeting Monday evening in reference to the cases of ex-Chief Carey and Policeman Lynch:

To the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, N. J.:

Your committee to whom was referred the claims of Tunis J. Carey and Patrick Lynch, arising out of their irregular absence from duty as members of the police force, in the early part of the year 1892, by reason of their attendance of the Supreme Court on the certiorari case of Tunis J. Carey, establishes the following facts: That Tunis J. Carey, in 1888, in suspending him for the period of three months, from the first day of April, 1892, to the first day of July, 1892, will recover three months as Captain of Police at the rate of $83 per month.

That Patrick Lynch, injured in his case as involved in that of Policeman Patrick Lynch, and establishes conclusively that his suspension of the forfeiture of pay for the month of April, 1892, was illegal, and that he is entitled to his salary for that month at the rate of $83 per month.

The claim of Tunis J. Carey for salary for the balance of the year, from July 1, 1892, when by reason of his being restored to his office, he will be entitled to serve in that capacity with a reduction of salary, was dismissed from the consideration of the Council, as not an issue to the committee; that question has never arisen and may only had $1.08. That although he stands ready to bring suit if the matter is not adjusted.

That on the 1st day of December, 1891, he submitted an offer of compromise to the Council for that year, agreeing to accept $500 in full for his salary for the year, which offer was rejected. That he has served seven months comprising the balance of the year, and to redeem his entire forfeiture of pay by the payment of the three months salary and one-half of the salary for the balance of the year, making in all $625.

Your committee consulted the corporation counsel, who was inclined to the ling that it is a fair question as to whether Mr. Carey had any claim for compensation beyond the 1st of April, while there seemed to be some ground of defense, yet in his opinion the Court of Errors and Appeals, the city, for that reason the committee feel justified in recommending the adjustment of the claim of Mr. Carey, as stated, and respectfully proposed to him to recommend the payment of $500 in full for his salary for the year, which offer he finally agreed to accept.

And your committee, therefore, recommend that the sum of $500 be paid to Tunis J. Carey, in full of all demands against the city, on account of the matters aforesaid, and that the sum of $83 be paid Patrick Lynch in full of his claim.

F. R. MASON,
H. E. CODINGTON,
H. A. WEBER,
Committee on Police.

May 3, 1892.

TWO HOUSES BURGLARIZED.

Robbers Make a Rich Haul in the Borough.

Burglars ransacked the residence of Mr. Augustus Van Deventer, situated at the corner of Washington and Myrtle avenues some time during Monday night or early yesterday morning. They are supposed to have been professional thieves for that they succeeded in effecting an entrance with skeleton keys as none of the windows had been tampered with and yesterday all the doors were found to be securely locked.

They secured nearly all the solid silverware in the house, including a set of four pieces which formerly belonged to Mr. Van Deventer's mother. They also stole Mr. Van Deventer's overcoat and his new hat. Other articles were strewn promiscuously over the floor.

The collar of Dr. J. A. Alexander's residence on Mercer avenue was also visited and the burglars helped themselves to a number of articles of value to their identity. The borough authorities were notified yesterday.

THE LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

FALSE USED CHLOROFORM.

The Boy Murderer Tells the Story of his Crime in Court.

NEWARK, May 4, (Special.)—Alden Faire, the 16-year-old boy who on last Saturday murdered and robbed Shipping Clerk Thomas Haydon of the Potter bicycle-ry, was taken before Judge Hayes of the First Criminal Court this morning for examination.

Judge Hayes committed him to jail without bail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

BONAVISTA WINS AT NEWMARKET.

St. Angelo was Second and Saltykoff's Curio Third.

LONDON, May 4th. (Special.)—The race at Newmarket to-day for the Two Thousand Guinea Stakes was won by Mr. Rose's Bonavista.

Mr. Henry Miller's St. Angro was second and Prince Soltykoff's Curio was third.

Small Pox in Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 4—(Special)—Small pox has appeared in the city and the old small pox pest-house which has almost fallen into decay is now tenanted for the first time in three years. On April 3, Mrs. Jessie Garth, the wife of John Garth, and her child Maggie embarked on the Anchor line steamer Ethiopa, at Glasgow, Scotland, for New York. Mrs. Garth had been visiting her parents in Scotland for several weeks. During the passage three small children were taken ill and died, presumably of small-pox. They were buried at sea. Little Maggie Garth had been exposed to the exhalations of these children. Arriving in New York April 18, Mrs. Garth re-embarked for a Virginia port, spent a few days there and then came on to Chicago via Cincinnati, reaching home on April 22. Dr. Garrett has ordered the mother and child isolated at the pest house and the Garth house has been fumigated.

A Delightful Spring Tour to Washington, D. C.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged for May 9th, from Newark, a tour of exceptional attractiveness, designed to accommodate those who desire to make a somewhat prolonged stay in Washington, five and three-quarter days being allowed at the Capital. Tickets will be sold from Newark at $22.00 for adults and $20 for children between five and twelve years.

Those who have the option of securing accommodation at either the Arlington or Ebbitt House, two of the best hotels in Washington. Special cars will be provided for the journey between Newark and Washington, and every possible care will be taken to insure a delightful time while under the charge of the party, which conducts the tour of the Pennsylvania Railroad. A carriage drive of the principal points of interest in Washington are included in the trip, which covers every necessary expense for the entire time of the tour. The train will leave Newark on return trip the afternoon of May 11th.

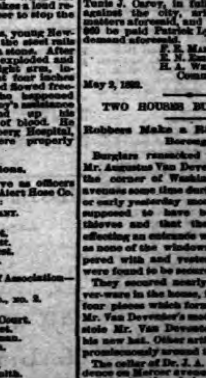
Applications for space and itinerary should be made to E. Courlaender, Jr., Passenger Agent, Long Branch District, Newark, N. J.

Junior League Meetings.

The Spring series of Junior League Meetings will begin next Friday afternoon at 3:45 in Vincent chapel. All children of years of age and under, of all Sunday-schools or none, will be cordially welcomed by the leader, Rev. Charles R. Mitchell and his helpers. Parents desiring their children to become members may either send them or take them next Friday.

—"A Phantasie in Cork" is to be given at the Casino Saturday evening by the members of the Union County Country Club.

I love to sit upon the fence
And whittle it all day;
I love to hear the neighbor's fence,
And he is mine away.
—ANON.



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PURE ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER
Cheese, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at
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Also on hand: canned goods, pickles, etc.
THOS. CARTY. 2t 1mo

In compliance with an ORDINANCE just passed by the City Fathers, every Bicycle must be equipped with

LAMP AND BELL,

under penalty of $20 fine.

A large and complete assortment of Cycling goods can always be found at the

Wheelmen's Headquarters,

Corner PARK AVE. and FOURTH ST.

FRANK L. C. MARTIN.

AUCTION SALE!

Friday, May 6th, at 2 p. m. Sharp,

AT MY ROOMS, CORNER FRONT AND GROVE STREETS,

The largest one we have ever had. This will be over one thousand lots. The contents of two houses, from Prospect and Putnam avenues, moved to my rooms for convenience of sale. Also a large lot of New and Elegant Furniture, consists of everything made pertaining to housekeeping. Also a large lot of Wagons and Harness, for Grocers, and Carriages and Buggies.

T. J. CAREY, - - Auctioneer.

TERMS CASH. SALE AT TWO P. M.

Just Received at Werner's,

30 WEST FRONT STREET,

500 Pairs of Tailor Made Trousers,

Guaranteed to fit, of our own manufacture.

Ranging in Price from $4 to $6.

Our new Spring Stock of Ready Made Clothing is ready for your inspection. We are sure that the Quality, Style and Price will please you. Call and examine our Fine Line of Cloths.

Suits to Order $15 and Upwards.

Cents-Word Column.

BOARDERS WANTED.

A SITUATION as waitress wanted by an experienced girl. Apply at 55 West Fifth street.

IF you need a position advertise in this column and let it be known.

SITUATION wanted as governess by Swiss, middle-aged capable lady; well educated. Address "Rev." care of EVENING NEWS.

HELP WANTED.

A DRESSMAKER wants a competent improver. Only experienced women need apply. Address "B." care of EVENING NEWS. 3t*

WANTED—A colored girl for general housework. Call in the morning at 107 Broadway. 2t*

WANTED—For general housework, a good girl, washer and ironer. Swede or german preferred. Apply 24 Central ave. 3 5

WANTED—A girl for general housework, good reference. 18 Craig place. 3 4*

WANTED—Prot-stand girl as nurse for child eighteen months old. 21 Franklin place. 2 2

WHEN you wish to secure help, call at Cox the Herald and Help with boys to work. Wages $20. Mrs. E. J. Phillips, Prospect avenue, Dunellen. 2 2

WANTED—A girl, willing and anxious to learn, for general housework. 62 East Front street. 2 2tf

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—Three male boarders; location good, and table excellent; terms reasonable; address "Private House," care of EVENING NEWS. 4 2

FOR RENT.

TO RENT—Until October 1st, stable in rear of No. 20 Somerset street. Apply to or E. C. Mulford for information. 3 4*

FOR SALE.

ATTENTION CAPITALIST. The great Asbury Park Auction Sale of Real Estate, on Thursday, May 5, 1892, at 2 p. m. The Real Estate Trust will sell at the Auction Rooms, Asbury Park, on Thursday, May 5, at 2 p. m. 32 Well Paying Lots, in connection with the Summer Season at Asbury Park, also lot 6 on Sunset avenue, and 4 lots on Rockview Terrace, North Plainfield, also ten shares of Citizens' Bank stock, and ten shares of Opera House stock. Sale commences on the premises, at 2 p. m. West Front street. For further particulars apply to Bacon or Wallace Vail, 20 North avenue, opposite depot. 1 29

CARRIAGES at manufacturer's prices for cash at Reynolds' 21 Somerset street. 2 29tf

FOR SALE.—Good family horse 15½ hands high, sound and kind. Address Box 213, Plainfield or P. Jenner, New Market, N. J. 2 5

DESIRABLE building lots one to five—cleared at Edgewood Park, Somerset county. Address R. F. M. Chase, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to R. F. M. Chase, Real Estate broker. Call and see them. 500 feet above the sea level. 2 12tf

FOR SALE — Grass and Clover. 6 tons grass cured. John Barry, 361. 4 4-2t

MISCELLANEOUS.

LADIES wishing last chaperonage for trip to Europe, address Box 1, Plainfield, "Europe," care of EVENING NEWS. 4 29tf

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order bought and sold. Call Fifth avenue, 11 Somerset street. 3 28tf

STABLE manure wanted at 108 Broadway. 3 28tf

USE Fay's Manilla Roofing, hottest and cheaper than tin; just the thing for factories and dwellings. For sale by W. E. Hoyt, New Brunswick, N. J. 4 29 1m eod

WANTED.—For the next thirty days 100 cords of wood to saw at three dollars per cord. Borough only. John Barry, Box 361. 4 4-2t

PLAINFIELD BARGAIN HOUSE.

V. & W. Say:

Do you want Matting? If so, we guarantee to sell it to you at a lower price than any other concern in this town. We have, by far, the largest stock and cheapest prices, and all new, perfect goods. No wrapper-stained matting among them.

For Ten Cents

You have your choice of fifty different styles of Ten Cent Ginghams, that have been selling freely for 12 cents.

For Five Cents

You buy Fine Chaffon.

For Twenty-five Cents

We will offer 300 Infants Swiss Hats. The 40c. kind.

For Sixteen Cents

We will sell one case of the Scotch Zephyr Gingham. Regular price 25c.

Try us on Matting, at your own price.

We will close out Fifty Spring Jackets. Prices were 6, 8, 9 and 14 dollars, at one quarter regular cost. Some of these are good, this season's goods, but if you can use them they are cheap.

For Forty-five Cents

You buy a Pocket Crash Turkished Table Linen. Value 75c. per yard.

Try us on matting.

For One Twenty

You buy one dozen all linen dinner napkins. Regular price $1.50.

We are offering many Bargains throughout our Housefurnishing Department. There is Everything in Tinware, Glassware, Granite Iron Ware, Crockery, etc., at prices we guarantee the lowest.

Van Emburgh & White.

MUSIC HALL!

Friday, May 6th,

Bessie Kate Castleton leading Cosgrove & Grant's comedians, in the whirlwind of laughter,

"THE DAZZLER."

Under the direction of George H. Murray, with a cast of 20 fun-makers, including Jos. Ott and Lena Merville.

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Tickets One Dollar,

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JUST IN!

A new lot of goods at No. 61 Park Avenue.

OIL STOVES, ARNOLD COOKERS, GAS STOVES, ARNOLD COFFEE COOKERS and

Oil Gas Stoves!

The Oil Gas Stove is something entirely new, and everybody should see it before buying. They are 2 feet high, 2 feet wide, 2 feet long, have two holes, a large broiler, iron oven; is simple in its manipulation and works charmingly. Call and see it, before buying all day.

M. E. BEACH, Agent.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Don't tell lies, no matter what happens. You are sure to be found out.

The University of Wisconsin is doing more for university extension than the rich educational institutions of the older states.

An average of 100,000 emigrants leave Europe a month, or 1,200,000 a year, and a little less than half of them come to the United States. Five-sixths of them are steerage passengers. It would be interesting to know how many of the ancestors of the present influential old families of America traveled in the same way.

Where the United States forms with a nation a treaty granting us the right to try our own citizens by our own laws for offenses committed in that country, the foreign nation can only deliver American criminals to our consuls or to our minister resident there. This happened when Lieutenant Hetherington killed Robinson in Japan. He was tried for the murder by the consular court at Yokohama by what was said to be American law and acquitted.

The present method of making newspaper pictures, by what is called the photo-engraving process, is so universal that we seem to have always had it; yet the inventor of this boon to newspaper picture makers, Mr. John Calvin Moss, was only fifty-four years old when he died in New York a few weeks ago. He organized the first company to work his process in 1871, and that company failed. He shortly afterward started in business again, and it has been within the past ten years that newspaper illustration has had its boom.

Heard in the Streets.

A writer in the Boston Herald calls attention to the vile and profane language heard among boys in the streets. The evil is increasing. A refined person cannot walk even a few blocks without his ears being assailed by a torrent of words which affect him like a stream of foul water showered upon him. The young reprobates who thus shock decency go out of their way to lug in improper language, apparently for no other reason than for the pleasure of saying the most blasphemous and filthy words they know. They have no regard for any human being. As often as anybody else it is delicate and refined ladies thus insulted by them. It is not only the newsboys and the young unwhipped cubs of the lower 10,000,000 who thus outrage common decency. Often it is the equally unwhipped cubs who are the sons of wealthy parents. You know that from their fine clothing, which ill befits their language of the wearers.

The thing ought to be stopped. Societies for the prevention of vice ought to take the matter up. Teachers especially could perhaps do more than anybody else to make these boys cleaner mouthed on the streets. As to parents—well, it is their fault that the boys thus outrage good manners and good morals.

Trains for Thought.

There are times when it seems proper to draw the line even on fashions in women's dress, and the state sanitary council of Hungary has drawn it. It some time since prohibited the wearing of long, sweeping trains by women walking in the streets, for the reason that such trains spread infectious diseases. The prohibition was obeyed in Meran, in the Tyrol. But the Tyrol is in the country, and in the mountains, and not so many women wore trains anyhow. The short, convenient peasant skirt is the vogue there among the majority of the women, so it was no hard ship for them to obey the order of the state board of health. But in Vienna it was different. There the ladies openly defied the sanitary council and swept the fashionable thoroughfares with their flapping skirts. Then the sanitary council applied to the imperial government of Austro-Hungary for an order prohibiting these trains in the streets.

The sanitary council set forth that the trains sweep up the filth and dust in the streets and convey it into the grandest private homes in the city, on the persons of the ladies. This dust and filth contains the germs of all the infectious diseases known to man. The microbes thus caught up subsequently produce an epidemic of any kind of deadly ailment. There was an alarming menace to the public health in these trains that lap up infection at every step and convey it everywhere; therefore the council prayed that they might be abolished.

Smallpox scales, typhus germs, the sputa of consumption, the poisoned saliva conveying microbes of the foulest diseases known to man are some of the matters that these fine ladies gather and sift over their own delicate skin and into their lungs and carry home with them to infect their families. The lady who escapes an eruption of skin disease upon her feet and ankles will be fortunate. It is indeed a menace to public health, this train, that laughs as it laps up all nastiness. A lady died not long since from blood poisoning got from dyestuffs in her hose. If so slight a thing could cause death, then the cases of fatal blood poisoning will be numbered by the thousand if this train wearing fashion continues.

WAR TO THE KNIFE NOW!

Baron Blanc Sues His Wife for Divorce.

SHE WANTS HER MONEY RETURNED

Lively Developments in the Domestic Affairs of This Notorious Couple. Brewer Yuengling's Son Fred Named as Correspondent by the Husband.

NEW YORK, May 4.—All hope of reconciliation between the Baron and Baroness Blanc has been cast to the winds, and it is now a case of war to the knife between the noble pair. The decisive step was taken when the baron, stung to fury by the humiliation of being forced to admit under oath that he had employed detectives to dog his wife, publicly advertised that he would not be responsible for debts contracted by her. The baron's rage was nothing compared to the wrath of his consort. She had already ordered the baron to leave her apartments, and she fired her heaviest broadside by placing the sheriff in possession of the office of the Litofago Manufacturing company at 62 John street, of which the baron is president, in satisfaction of a judgment held by her for $46,511.01.

Sued for Divorce.

The baron had already trained his batteries in anticipation of this move, and within an hour he fired a return salvo in the shape of a summons and complaint in a suit for divorce, in which Fred Yuengling, the son and heir of Charles Yuengling, the wealthy brewer, is mentioned as correspondent.

"I have been forced to take this step," said the baroness. "I could no longer close my eyes to what was going on. Yes, I caused detectives to watch my wife and I am in possession of all the evidence necessary to criminate her and Mr. Yuengling."

The baroness says: "The charge my husband makes against my honor is infamously false, and well he knows it. Mr. Yuengling has been an intimate friend of my husband and myself, and nothing more. My husband has forced me to defend myself, and much as I regret it I will make revelations that will cover him with shame. The money represented by the judgment I foreclosed was all loaned by me to keep his company afloat, and this I can prove by my own personal checks. He has never contributed to my support. His attention to other women has been a matter of notoriety."

ADJOURNED SEVERAL MONTHS.

The Connecticut House Will Not Meet Again Until September.

HARTFORD, May 4.—The house of representatives met at a few minutes past 1 p. m. after a recess of nearly three months. A few appropriations for contingent expenses were passed, and a constitutional amendment was offered by Mr. Healey, of Windsor Locks, substituting plurality for majority wherever the latter word occurs in the constitution. An attempt was also made to put the bill immediately on its passage, but the house referred it to the committee on constitutional amendments.

Mr. Child, of New Haven, moved that the house adjourn to Sept. 27 at 1 p. m. Mr. Wolf, of Avon, wanted to substitute the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November. Mr. Callahan moved that the house adjourn sine die. The chair ruled that the motion of Mr. Wolf took precedence and put the amendment which was voted down. Then the motion of Mr. Tuttle was put and carried—128 to 82.

Did Hamilton Kill Her?

FLUSHING, L. I., May 4.—Mrs. Annie Hamilton, of Flushing, L. I., the colored woman who is believed to have been murdered by her husband, James Hamilton, has been buried. The character of James Hamilton, the colored lay preacher of Flushing, now in jail charged with the murder, seems to be a strange combination of voodoo superstition, Christian sentiment and licentiousness, and his mind appears to have been dwelling on drugs and poisons for a long time.

How to Assist the Russians.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Governor John W. Hoyt, chairman of the Russian famine relief committee of the United States, desires that the public be reminded that the function of this committee is simply to stimulate contributions, not to receive and disburse funds. He suggests that money contributions be sent to the American National Red Cross at Washington.

Fell Out of Bed to Her Death.

NEWARK, N. J., May 4.—Harriet Short, aged about fifty years, was lying in a bed beside a window on the third floor at her home, 99 Pacific street. The shutters were either blown open or pushed open and she rolled out of the window. Her head struck a picket fence and she was killed, the point of the picket having been forced into her brain.

George W. Childs at Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 4.—George W. Childs, the noted philanthropist and editor of the Philadelphia Ledger, is here on his way to Colorado Springs for the dedication of the Childs-Drexel Home for Union Printers. Mr. Childs was escorted to The Herald office immediately upon his arrival and made an address to the assembled printers.

It Was a Serious Wreck.

PITTSBURG, May 4.—The limited express on the Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railroad struck a freight train at Scio station, Pa. Robert Buchanan, engineer, was killed, three tramps were fatally injured and five passengers were badly hurt.

To Row on Saratoga Lake.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Oscar P. Schmidt, of Washington, secretary of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen, announces that the annual regatta will be held on July 26 and 27 at Saratoga lake, near Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

Where Is Ward?

PUTNAM, Conn., May 4.—Ferdinand Ward has mysteriously disappeared from here. He left Monday with Hood Keeney Cogan and his destination is unknown. He left his son behind him.

Detective Hall Indicted.

BELVIDERE, N. J., May 4.—The grand jury at Belvidere indicted Detective Hall, of Philadelphia, for kidnaping Nellie Hamper, daughter of Professor Hamper, of the Belvidere academy.

To Prosecute the Cordage Trust.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The United States government is about to institute legal proceedings against the Sherman anti-trust law against the National Cordage company.

A Mexican Jurist Dead.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 4.—General Miguel Auza, judge of the supreme court, is dead.

CIGAR THIEVES CAPTURED.

A Clever Piece of Detective Work in New York City.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The police of the Oak street precinct have very cleverly run down the burglars who, in the guise of commission merchants, gained access to the premises of M. Barrasso & Co., cigar importers of 201 Pearl street, and robbed them of 5,000 cigars, worth nearly $30,000. All the goods have been recovered and the burglars and an accomplice are locked up in cells. The police had since April 1 been in charge of the case, and after the detection of the burglars, but without success. On Monday Mr. M. Kalfon, a cigar dealer at 1 Cortlandt street, informed them that he believed he had a clew, as a man had called on him and said he wished to dispose of a large job lot of cigars, which were left on his hands by a consignee who was unable to pay for them. He mentioned the brands, and as Mr. Kalfon had seen in a trade paper the brands of cigars which had been stolen from the store of Co. he knew in an instant that the thieves were trying to dispose of the stolen goods.

He told his caller that he would probably buy the goods, and asked him to come again next day. Mr. Kalfon, at the request of the police, consented to act as a decoy. When the man called again Kalfon accompanied him to a house in Brooklyn kept by Thomas Campbell, where he was shown the goods. He consented to buy them and hurried away with the sample, which he placed to show the money demanded from the bank. Detectives had shadowed the trio to Brooklyn. Mr. Kalfon signaled to them that the goods were in the house, whereupon the detectives forced an entrance and captured James Quigley and Patrick Carroll, who have since been recognized as the "commission merchants," and Thomas Campbell, who had acted as custodian of the goods.

FASHIONS

NEW YORK FASHIONS.

Latest Notes Gathered from the Most Famous Dressmakers.

For those who prefer the effects the novelty of the season is the Dominican gown of navy blue serge, with broadcloth cut all in one from head to foot, and all the fashions folded in a broad box plait down the front, and another down the back. It is lined throughout with soft bine silk striped with yellow, and has a belt-piece of the same, with a wide Empire belt of tan leather stamped with gilt passes under the box plaits, and is closed on the left by a hand-sewing. The sleeves, in puff shape, fall in loose folds at the top, and have deep cuffs of white cloth banded with gilt galloon. A high white cloth collar is also banded with gilt and has the white cloth edged with gilt finishes the skirt at the foot.

CREPON AND FOULARD TOGETHER.

China figured foulard and plain crepon are the combination in one dress in an original way by Felix. A Figaro jacket of beige crepon, rounded half low at the top with revers corded with black, is put permanently on a full blouse waist of flower foulard brightened with tiny chintz designs in green, rose, black, and white. The silk is shirred for a high lace collar, and again across the bust, to droop low, and is girdled twice around by black satin antique (stock, pinchbitze beaver), with a passe of the same at the back of Figaro, and is brought up in the front, to tie just below the bust in a small bow with short ends. A full puff of the silk is tied at the elbow of close crepon coat sleeves. The crepon bell skirt, lined with silk, has two very full ruffles of the silk at the foot, headed by black cording.

SUMMER WRAPS.

For summer wraps are small round capes of ecru or of black guipure gathered to a collar, then dropping full to the waist, or half below, and mounted over brasses and a belt of black ribbon. To give greater fulness, a second row of the deep guipure is gathered on each shoulder, falling below to the end. Spanish capes formed by a band of black ribbon crossing the tips of the shoulders, and finished in front and back by a bow with standing ends. The collar is a band of ribbon covered with ecru insertion, then lace four inches wide is gathered at the top, to fall with slight fulness on the collar band. Such capes may be entirely of ecru embroidery or of guipure lace, while others are entirely of black silk, still others are of black guipure not bordered with pure white Irish lace. White silk mull and black mousseline de soie capes are similarly made. Black silk net capes are also made in this fashion, and trimmed with white guipure lace that is studded with jet. A full ruff of the net, doubled, stands around the neck from a band of black satin ribbon, which is tied in front.—Harper's Bazar.

Four Fiends Indicted.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., May 4.—William Parker, Charles Kelly, William Chambers and C. Pitsmer, four negro desperadoes who recently terrorized their neighbors, and a group of harmless Italians and then literally kicked the brains out of a little three-year-old girl, were indicted for murder in the first degree.

Will O'Sullivan Confess?

JOLIET, Ill., May 4.—Scott O'Sullivan, one of Dr. Cronin's murderers, can live but a few days. Many rumors are afloat as to efforts made to prevent O'Sullivan from making a confession, and the midnight visit of Attorney Forrest, of Chicago, to the prisoner's bedside is the subject of much gossip.

Sued in Training.

MEADVILLE, Pa., May 4.—Miller and Shibley's string of nineteen valuable horses and Robert Bonner's famous trotter, Sunol, were brought up from Franklin, and are now in the new Kerr and Sunol barns will at once begin her summer training under Charles Marvin.

For the Ocean Mail Service.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The speaker laid before the house a letter from the postmaster general submitting an estimate of appropriation of $50,000 for ocean mail service now under contract for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893.

Monmouth's Application Laid Over.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 4.—The application of the Monmouth Park Racing association for a legal license has been laid over for one week. All other applications were granted.

Journeymen Plasterers Strike.

PITTSBURG, May 4.—Two hundred of the journeymen plasterers in this city have struck pending a settlement of the Saturday eight hour demand.

PASSED BY THE SENATE.

The Amended Chinese Exclusion Bill Goes Through.

MR. SHERMAN'S PROTEST UNHEEDED

The Senator from Ohio Claims That the Section Requiring Chinese to Register or Be Imprisoned Is a Violation of Treaty Obligations with China.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The senate, with a scant quorum present, by a vote of 39 to 15 passed the amended Chinese exclusion bill, notwithstanding the protest of Mr. Sherman, who believed he had a clear, as a man had called on him and said he wished to dispose of a large job lot of cigars, which were left on his hands by a consignee who was unable to pay for them. He mentioned the brands, and as Mr. Kalfon had seen in a trade paper the brands of cigars which had been stolen from the store of Co. he knew in an instant that the thieves were trying to dispose of the stolen goods.

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In his speech against the exclusive bill Mr. Sherman said he was very willing to provide further legislation for the restriction of Chinese labor. The senate bill, he thought, did not go very far enough. It continued the old laws and provided more stringent sections to prevent Chinese coming into this country in violation of law, especially from Canada.

Mr. Sherman called with much significance of manner that he looked on the coming of Chinese laborers into this country from Canada not only as an insult to this country, but a contemptuous insult. There seemed to be a design on the part of the Canadian authorities to allow them to come here. They were charged fifty dollars for the privilege of coming from Canada to this country with a privilege of entering the United States. If this practice is continued it must necessarily create irritation, and some time or other, difficulties between the two countries. Mr. Sherman explained that the objection he had to the conference bill lay against the registration, or, as he termed it, the "ticket of leave" clause. This country had heretofore been a treaty observing nation, although in the Scott bill it did violate a treaty. But that had been in the form of legislation. In the provision of the bill requiring the 300,000 Chinese now in the country to take out a "ticket of leave" before a collector of internal revenue—all within one year—and to have this ready to exhibit at any time, he believed, was clearly in violation of the treaty provision.

Mr. Morgan, of New York, proclaimed his belief that the United States had the right to establish the same regulations with regard to imported immigrants as with regard to imported merchandise. We had the right to put them under regulations, and if they escaped those regulations we had the right to punish them as we punished smuggled goods. The roll was called and resulted as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Allen, Allison, Chandler, Cockrell, Colquitt, Dolph, Felton, Gallinger, Gorman, Hansbrough, Harris, Hiscock, Jones (Ark.), Jones (Nev.), Kenna, Kyle, Lindsay, Mitchell, Morgan, Palmer, Power, Ransom, Sanders, Shoup, Squire, Stanford, Stewart, Stockbridge, Vest, Walthall, Washburn, Wilson—39.

Nays—Messrs. Bate, Call, Colquitt, Dawes, Dixon, Frye, George, Gray, Higgins, Kyle, Manderson, Pryce, Sherman, Voorhees—15.

So the Chinese exclusion bill as reported by the conference committee passed the senate.

The Third Party Question.

In his free coinage speech Kyle declared that the demonetization of silver by the act of 1873 was consummated in darkness and accomplished by stealth.

"Now that the disastrous effects are felt all over the nation, party fealty is such that it will be a hopeless task to expect a return to free coinage of silver, which it is safe to say three-fourths of our population desire. Free coinage of silver affords security, not indirectly, to the products of the American farm. A gold standard puts us at a disadvantage in the European market for wheat and cotton while free silver will materially relieve us of the competition of Russia and the silver using districts of Asia. It is the pride of our free government that the people rule, but it seems that today to us a question in congress as to who are the people; whether New York or the Mississippi valley—whether labor or the capital of the east—whether a few corporations or the masses.

"We are confronted with earnest appeals of statesmen and party leaders to refrain from independent political action. We are pointed to history to witness the folly of such a course. We think it unwise, and to those who embark, with no possible hope of successful reform. We are told plainly by the action of the house within the last month that we can expect no relief from congress, and that both parties will nominate for chief executive a man who is unfriendly to silver. We can get, they say, no relief from a third party. With all due respect to the age advice of such leaders, let me say that it must be not granted such a request. Our people will not be driven to one or the other of the old parties to the position of third in the race.

"These people will not determine upon independent political action compelled to do so. There is no glory in meeting the malicious and revengeful attacks of the partisan press consequent upon such action, and there is not a citizen of the land who, and next today who would not unite in the chorus of gratitude were he informed that relief from his burdens had been granted by either of the existing parties."

In the House.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The time of the house was occupied in further debate on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, which was finally passed. The most important change made in the bill agreed by the committee were the items restoring the Danish mission and the rejection of the appropriation of $60,000 for the Continental railroad survey. There was a discussion on the item regarding the bureau of American republics, which was finally retained in the bill.

Newfoundland's Unfriendly Act.

OTTAWA, May 4.—The Newfoundland legislature has passed a resolution legalizing the illegal license fees which were imposed two years ago, and renewing the discriminatory tariff against Canada.

To Ask Rasin's Removal.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The Herald says there is little doubt that the special pension investigation committee will ask the president to remove Commissioner Raum.

Delaware's New Chancellor.

DOVER, Del., May 4.—James L. Wolcott, of this city, has been appointed chancellor of Delaware to succeed the late Willard Saulsbury.

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LIVE POLITICAL NEWS.

Connecticut Republicans in Convention in Hartford.

LINCOLN AND ROOT THEIR CHOICE.

Prominent Republicans to Meet at Washington Next Week and Oppose the President's Piece for Renomination. Mr. Harrison's Friends Say He Will Win.

HARTFORD, May 4.—The Republican state convention met in Foot Guard armory last night for the preliminaries of organization. There is a full attendance of leading Republicans from all over the state. Chairman Benton called the convention to order. Joseph L. Barbour, of Hartford, was chosen temporary chairman and made a lively speech. Allusions to Blaine, Harrison, Reed and Governor Bulkeley were received with loud cheers. N. D. Sperry, postmaster of New Haven, was called up and spoke on the tariff. P. D. Bassett, late United States minister to Hayti, spoke for the colored men. Committees were appointed and the meeting adjourned to 10 o'clock this morning, when Senator Hawley was chosen permanent chairman and spoke on the issues of the campaign. It seems to be considered that Governor Bulkeley, of Hartford; James P. Platt, of Meriden; Timothy R. Hopkins, of Danielsonville, and Lorrin A. Cooke, of Riverton, will be the four delegates at large.

Claims of Harrison's Friends.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—It is claimed by President Harrison's friends here that he will be renominated on the first ballot. They claim to have kept track of the state and district conventions which have instructed for President Harrison, and the result is as follows:

Alabama, 22; Arkansas, 16; California, 8; Florida, 6; Illinois, 0; Indiana, 30; Kansas, 9; Kentucky, 26; Maryland, 4; Michigan, 4; Mississippi, 18; Missouri, 34; Nebraska, 16; New York, 36; Ohio, 0; South Carolina, 16; South Dakota, 8; Tennessee, 2; Texas, 30; Virginia, 5; Wisconsin 16. Total instructed delegates, 353.

In addition to these they say President Harrison is assured of 211 more votes, making a total of 513. This, they say, insures his renomination, with sixty-three votes to spare.

For Allison or Rusk.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Senator William D. Washburn, of Minnesota, who is stopping at the Fifth Avenue hotel for a few days, said: "The Republicans in Minnesota are not shouting very loudly for Harrison. If Blaine can't be nominated I think they would prefer Senator Allison, of Iowa. Allison is a strong, level-headed partisan, has a good political record and personally is a very popular man.

"Next to Allison Secretary Rusk seems to be in favor. Rusk is a great farmers' favorite. His services to the country in the department of agriculture, together with his war record and the fact that he gave Wisconsin a splendid administration while governor of that state, has greatly endeared him to the Republicans up our way."

Illinois Republicans Meet.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 4.—Today's Republican state convention promises to be a cent and dried affair as far as the state ticket is concerned, the Fifer faction being in an immense majority. Senator Cullom desires to head the Illinois delegation in the national convention and is opposed to instructions. The Fifer men are willing that the delegates shall be uninstructed, but they are determined that ex-Governor Oglesby shall lead the delegation, and they threaten to and can keep the senator's name off the list of delegates altogether if he persists in his ambition.

The President Assailed.

NEW ORLEANS, May 4.—The Republican state central committee publishes an address to Republicans of the country, in which it denounces last month's election as an outrage and a disgrace, and charges the president with having sympathized with the conspiracy on the pretext that the Republican party of the state was friendly to the lottery, the truth of which charge the committee denies. It claims that 35,000 negroes were driven from the polls on election day.

The Maine People's Party.

GARDINER, May 4.—The People's party state convention held here nominated the following: For governor, L. C. Bateman, of Searsmont; for electors at large, D. R. Clark, of Bangor; W. H. Harris, of Auburn; for delegates at large at the national convention, J. B. Swan, of Camden; G. W. Soule, of Livermore; William Hobbs, of Milo; G. L. Walker, of Biddeford; J. E. Champion, of Portland; William F. Harris, of Auburn; and Henry Betts, of Ellsworth.

Michigan Favors Cleveland.

MUSKEGON, May 4.—The Democratic state convention to elect delegates to Chicago will be unanimously in favor of the nomination of Grover Cleveland. Nine-tenths of the delegates are on the ground and there is not a Hill man among them. All of the twelve congressional district delegations will each elect two delegates to Chicago, who will shout for Cleveland first, last and at all times. Don M. Dickinson will head the delegates at large.

For Lincoln and Rusk.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—A conference of Republican leaders will be held in this city this week in order to carefully review the political situation. Among those who will be at the conference will be Senators Quay, Teller, Wolcott and Washburn, ex-Speaker Reed and others. A gentleman who is to participate in the conference said that it had been practically decided to unite on Minister Lincoln with Mr. Rusk for the second place.

Blair Urged to Run.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Senator Blair was waited upon by a delegation of ladies representing various organizations, the object of their visit being to induce the ex-senator to permit the use of his name on a third party ticket, which, according to this delegation, Senator Stanford is to head. Mr. Blair said he respected Stanford, but preferred to remain true to the Republican party.

Hill Delegates Named.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., May 4.—Captain John Carroll, Registrar Thomas O'Connell, Judge Patrick Birdseye, Richard Davis, ex-Senator S. M. Bacon and J. Hale Hall were elected delegates to the state convention by the Democratic general caucus. The leading members of the delegation are Hill men. Judge Northrop, the leading Cleveland Democrat of this place, was defeated.

The Alliance Conference.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 4.—Fifteen states were represented at the meeting of Alliance presidents and executive committeemen here. Prevailing sentiment was in favor of third party action, but those opposing it are organizing their forces for a fight to the finish. President Polk openly says now that all true Alliance men will vote for the full People's party ticket to be nominated at Omaha.

Women Delegates in the Hall.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 4.—The Republican state convention which met in the city today is unique in one respect in that it is the first state convention ever held in which women sit as delegates. There has been strong probability, too, that one of the delegates chosen to the Minneapolis convention will be a woman. At present it looks as though instructions would be given for Harrison, though they may be defeated.

Polk to Lead the Third Party.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Representative Watson, of Georgia, has no sympathy with the talk of placing Senator Teller at the head of a third party presidential ticket. He says:

"I think Colonel L. L. Polk, president of the National Farmers' Alliance, will be our nominee for president, and ex-Representative Weaver, of Iowa, will be chosen vice president."

Virginia Men for Hill.

RICHMOND, May 4.—Albemarle, claimed as a Cleveland stronghold, gives 11 delegates pronounced for Hill, 5 for Cleveland and 9 whose preferences are unknown. Madison delegates are unpledged and believed to favor Hill. A resolution offered in the Williamsburg meeting declaring that Cleveland was the choice of the meeting was defeated.

The Democrats' Tariff Plans.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The Democratic members of the house ways and means committee had an informal discussion concerning tariff matters, but no change in the plan adopted to present separate bills embodying the present tariff law was made. Mr. Stout, of Michigan, addressed the committee in favor of free refined sugar.

Campbell's Presidential Still Hunt.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The Post prints the following: "Ex-Governor Campbell, of Ohio, did not decide until recently that he would enter the presidential fray, but now his campaign is being managed with considerable secrecy and shrewdness, and the politicians at the capital who are in the secret predict success for him."

States and McKinley Cheered.

BROOKVILLE, Ind., May 4.—At the Republican state convention to elect delegates to the national convention Chairman Stump evoked enthusiastic applause when he mentioned the names of James G. Blaine and William McKinley as the leaders of the party.

Dickinson May Succeed Brice.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—It is said that if Grover Cleveland be nominated for the presidency Don M. Dickinson, of Michigan, will be chosen chairman of the Democratic national committee to succeed Calvin S. Brice.

For Cleveland and Boies.

MILWAUKEE, May 4.—If the Wisconsin Democrats could have the making of their national ticket it would be Cleveland and Boies. This is the sentiment of today's state convention.

Harrison Resolutions Defeated.

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—At the Eleventh congressional district Republican convention a resolution to instruct the delegates in favor of Harrison was overwhelmingly defeated.

De Arnaud Attacks Raum.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Charles Alfred De Arnaud, whom Commissioner Raum says endeavored to obtain a pension by representing an Alfred Arnaud, testified at the special pension office investigation. He said that Commissioner Raum, before he became commissioner of pensions, suggested to him to apply for a pension. The charge against him emanated from a mistake of the war department giving the witness the record of another Arnaud. He submitted letters from Generals Grant and Fremont as to the service he had rendered. Witness related the circumstances of his arrest in Jersey City, which, he alleged, was instigated by Commissioner Raum and was a blackmailing scheme.

Electric Light Plant Destroyed.

PITTSBURG, May 4.—Early in the morning a heavy electric storm passed over this section. The Allegheny County Electric Light company's works were struck by lightning and seven dynamos burned out. The plant was injured to the extent of $7,000. Five hundred telephones were burned out and numerous buildings were struck by lightning, but no loss of life has yet been reported.

American Mechanics Meet.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., May 4.—The forty-sixth annual convention of the state council, Order of United American Mechanics, met here, over 300 representatives being present. The speech of welcome was made by Mayor Lehr. Sixteen new councils were formed during the year—five were organized since Jan. 1. The total membership is 18,447.

Innocent Negroes Released.

NASHVILLE, May 4.—When Henry Grizzard and Eph Grizzard, who were arrested on an affidavit charging them with assaulting two white women, John Grizzard, Mack Harper and Manuel Jones were also arrested as accomplices. It has been shown that they did not participate in the crime and have been released from jail.

Accidentally Killed Her Baby.

CAMDEN, N. J., May 4.—Mrs. Elizabeth Griffin, of Camden, rolled on her four-months-old babe while asleep and smothered it.

"A Long Tramp Among the Hills."

—Life.

Proof Positive.

Father (examining Mabel's engagement ring)—Yes, it is a pretty ring, darling; I hope it is a real diamond.

Mabel—I am sure it is, dad. Harry hasn't taken me to the theater or sent me candy since he gave it to me.—Oakland Echoes.

Terrible.

"Ya'as," said Mugby, "I was deuced sorry me father left me everything and cut me brother off wit nothing. It will force Tom into trade and the name 'll be disgraced."—New York Sun.

A Bad Break.

Rev. Dr. Dryasdust—And, my hearers, Joseph served in the courts of Pharaoh—

Lawne Tennys (waking up)—What's the score?—New York Tribune.

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Select sound apples and remove the flower and stem. Put about two cloves in each apple. Put a pound of sugar to every quart of vinegar. Boil the apples in this vinegar until they can be easily pierced with a straw. Then take off the fire, put them in a stone pot and add to the hot syrup an ounce of whole cinnamon and half an ounce of mace to every quart of vinegar in the syrup. Pour the boiling syrup and spices over the apples and set them away where they will cool as rapidly as possible. In a day's time they are ready for use.—N. Y. Tribune.

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A hot bath is a strong stimulant and should never be used by a person in strong health. Ninety degrees is the limit of the warm bath. It is the high-est temperature safe to use, and it is almost as high as any one would be likely to bathe in. But physicians often prescribe a higher temperature for certain physical ailments. A salt bath taken at night at a temperature of 95 to 98 degrees will often induce a pleasant sleep when nothing else will. It has a peculiarly soothing effect on the nerves and will send restless bodies, tired with bathing, into a wholesome sleep when narcotics are almost useless. The best salt for this purpose is rock salt, which may be purchased for a small price by the peck at almost any grocery store.

A New Pudding.

Take six tablespoonfuls of flour and make with milk into a smooth batter; add to this other three eggs, add a saltspoonful of salt, two eggs beaten separately; stir well, always one way, and put one-third of the mixture in a well-buttered pudding dish; when it rises take from the oven, spread jam over it, put in another third of the batter, bake brown once more, take from the oven again, put on another layer of jam and the rest of the batter, and, when the top is brown, serve at once.

WOMAN'S WEAKNESS.

How Dealers Take Advantage of Men by Alleged Bargains.

One of the most puzzled and at the same time absurd exhibitions of false economy may be seen in the crowds at the bargain counters at the ordinary shops. There seems to be an ineradicable idea in the minds of some women, that at certain times and seasons of the year merchants are willing to give away their goods with practically no profit.

It is a common trick in the interior shops to smoke up and soil a few goods, advertising a "burnt goods sale," mark the goods at the regular price, and then they often attract a large crowd of buyers, who remain perfectly oblivious to the fact that the goods are being sold at the same or at the regular market price without the slightest reduction because it is a burnt goods sale.

Almost every shop, nowadays, says the New York Tribune, cuts off goods as remnants and marks them at the regular price in order to attract the inevitable remnant hunter. The remnants of the various ninety-nine cent stores is but another illustration of the frailty of women nature in this matter. It is no exaggeration to say that many a good woman has spent five cents in car fare in order to save this one cent on the dollar. Forty-nine cents seems so much less than fifty, ninety-nine cents infinitely less than a dollar, and small merchants have readily taken advantage of this curious weakness.

The gift-packages which come with tea and coffee are another illustration of this universal desire of the shopper to get something for nothing. No sensible woman who reflects over the great amount of money made by such concerns can believe that anything is given away. An inferior quality of tea is palmed off at the price of the good quality, and those the purchaser is made to pay for the gift.

For Smooth Hands.

When doing housework, if your hands become chapped or red, mix cornmeal and vinegar into a stiff paste and apply to the hands on retiring at night. Next day, after washing them in hot water, then let them dry without wiping and rub with glycerine. At night use cold cream and wear gloves.

Fine vases will stand better and be less likely to be tipped over by a careless touch if the bottom be filled with sand.

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"Harry Boggs, Private Detective." That is the legend the young Yankee from Hartford put on his cards, after a New York agency, that did exciting in a wholesale way, told him they would take him on for a month on trial and pay him by the piece if he "developed talent in the profesh."

In addition to having a fine supply of cards printed, Harry Boggs laid in a stock of wigs, false beards, face stains, odd clothes and other articles to disguise which, in his connivance reading of detective novels, he had come to consider as the essential equipments of the calling.

He was not a good vocal mimic, but as all the detectives he'd ever read about were adepts in changing their voices and used polyglots for their ability to speak every language living and dead, he brought on bronchitis in his efforts to disguise his voice and "to speak with a hoarse ventriloquial growl."

Fortunately for Mr. Harry Boggs, his mother had means and kept him from having detectives on his own track, for he had unconstitutional antipathies to spend private detectives—to regular good old fashioned hard work.

"I'M A PRIVATE DETECTIVE, I AM."

At length the ambitious young man's opportunity came. The head mogul of the private detective agency called him into his private office one day, and said with the cautious air of a man who means that there is no naturally to a man with a born genius for this kind of business:

"Boggs, there's been a lot of burglaries goin on at Bay Ridge, down on Long Island. The town authorities offer $500 for evidence that will lead to the conviction of the thieves—providin you can also hatch 'em. Now here's your chance. Go down there and work up the case, and if you win I'll divide with you, and nothing can be fairer than that."

Harry Boggs coincided exactly with this opinion, no debate followed. As he was wholly unknown in Hampstead he might have ransomed down there without any disguise, but this would not have been in character and it would have violated all the methods of the wonderful fellows in the novels of the wonderful fellows in the novels of the wonderful fellows he had spent so much of his time reading. So he dressed as a mechanic, put on a false beard and a wig to match, and staining his hands to give him the appearance of a genuine tramp for artistic finish.

His badge was concealed by his coat, as was the pistol which he carried in his hip pocket. He also carried other disguises and two pairs of handcuffs.

On the way down—it is only an hour's ride from New York—Harry Boggs, with the instinct of mechanics, and because he liked a pipe, went into the smoking car. It was nearly full, but he got a seat beside a stout, young man, with a good cobbie for his pipe, and a one eyed bulldog's head in brass on the top of his cane, a perfect holocaust of diamond blazing on his fingers, all signs of doubtful taste and solid prosperity.

Harry Boggs soon got into conversation with this young man, and the young man, who was the son of a rich banker, said his name was Robert Tallman, that he was a detective from Chicago, and having heard of the trouble down in Hampstead, he thought he would look over the ground.

Mr. Robert Tallman overflowed with reminiscence. He took up the profession of detective because he had a taste for it. At first he made many mistakes, but for the past three years he considered that he had the world in a sling, and now he could command his own price.

"By Jove!" thought Harry Boggs, "this is just the man to stick close to. I have lots of theory, for I've read all the detective stories that I could get hold of, but this man is away up in the practical working of the profesh and so must be as chock full of points as a pleasure hen."

On reaching Hampstead they put up at the same hotel, and as the place was crowded, owing to the town convention, they were forced to take the same room.

Just before supper Harry Boggs said to Mr. Tallman, handing him at the same time his card:

"You see, sir, I am in the same line, and you will be no doubt surprised to know that I am disguised!"

But Mr. Tallman expressed no surprise, he simply said, "Aha-ha, perd," and then ordered up drinks.

After supper Mr. Tallman lounged about the halls smoking and went early to his own room, while Harry Boggs, with all the enthusiasm of a doubting lover who suddenly and unexpectedly finds himself engaged to the idol of his heart, sallied out "to talk with the natives," as he put it, and to look over the ground.

He talked with a heavy moving watchman about the burglaries. He went into all the lowest liquor shops in the place, talked about the burglaries with all the customary loafers, and after hearing their theories treated them.

The young man's manner attracted the attention of even the most unsuspecting of the villagers, and they whispered one to the other that this mysterious stranger was either a detective or a burglar, but the weight of opinion was strongly against his being a burglar.

When Harry Boggs got back to his room in the hotel, about 10 o'clock, he found the Chicago detective smoking, with his boots off, over both of the appliances for making punch before him on the table.

"By Jinks!" exclaimed Mr. Tallman, "I'm glad you're back, for I am awful lonesome, and I never did like to drink alone."

Harry Boggs did not need much coaxing, though he assured them, from Chicago again and again that he "made it a rule never to drink while he was out on a job."

Tallman was a hearty fellow and drank with a will, and Boggs, who was a boniface, he would join him.

And so our private detective smoked and drank punch till he lost all sense of time. He remembered that he had, but this the day of his death he never retain a very vivid recollection of his waking up.

It was broad daylight, and a number of persons were standing about and talking over him and shaking him, and when he tried to rub his eyes he found handcuffs on his wrists, while one of the men called him "a drunken infernal thief! We've got you!"

"Got nawthin," stammered Harry Boggs. "I'm a private detective, I am, and don't you impossibly forget it!"

It would seem that in addition to the robbery of two more houses the night before, the sons of nearly every guest in the hotel was plundered, and a lot of the least valuable booty was found in the private detective's apartment.

"Where is Tallman, of Chicago?" roared Harry Boggs.

He was told by the landlord that that scrumptious gentleman had gone back to New York on the train that left before day light.

"Great Cæsar's ghost!" screamed Boggs. "He's the thief!"

The amateur detective was quite right, but it was not till he had spent six weeks in prison that the authorities believed his story. They would not have credited him then, but for the confession of a man who was shot in a gambling den in Baltimore. This man—he was dying—said that he and associates had "worked" Hampstead, and that he introduced himself, while in that village, to "an old Sleuth-kind-of-look detective," named Boggs, "and sold him hard." And now Mr. Boggs has given up "detectin" and talks of studying for the ministry.

Two Scotch Adventurers.

It has been said that "the Scotch" though undoubtedly patriotic, are "never so much at home as when abroad." Sir Walter Scott knew his own countrymen thoroughly well, and one of his best characters, the soldier of fortune, Dugald Dalzetty, he often declared was not a creation of his own imagination.

There is no government under the sun in which Scotchmen have not taken service, and no money making business in which they are not to be found near the top of the ladder.

This was well illustrated during the late war between Turkey and Russia in the Balkans.

After Plevna the Russian marshal Keith and the Turkish general Ross Pasha met to negotiate the preliminaries that finally led up to peace.

These two soldiers, dressed in resplendent uniforms and surrounded by gorgeous staff officers, met in a ruined castle that had been temporarily fitted up for their use.

They communicated by means of interpreters, and with the cunning and persistency of able men each tried to gain an advantage over the other.

At last the object of this meeting was accomplished, and the Turks and Russians sat down to dinner together, with as much comradery as if they had not been recently cutting each other's throats.

After dinner Marshal Keith and Ross Pasha lit their cigars and strolled away from the hearing of their staffs. After talking about the campaign they sat down side by side on a dismantled cannon and Ross Pasha, speaking in English, and with an unmistakable Scotch accent, said, "General Keith, if I'm not greatly mistaken, you are a Scotchman by birth!"

"You are not mistaken—at all," said Marshal Keith, "and I take pride in the service of my master, the czar of all the Russias, to assert ever he may claim my allegiance, that I am a Scotchman. And I'm bound, general, that you are no so much of a Turk yersel!"

"I am a Turk and a ten guide ane too," replied the pasha, "for young as I am in the service of his majesty, the sultan, the whom, as the true defender of the Prophet's faith, may heaven protect. But I'll confess that my inforced thief! We've got you!" blood is Scotch, and I was born and bred in the auld house by Kirkaldy. Did you ever hear o' that place, mon?"

"Kirkaldy?" repeated the Russian. "Yes; that's the place."

"Why!" exclaimed Marshal Keith, "I was born in Kirkaldy."

"And who was yer father?"

"Donald Keith, the dominie. Who was your father?"

"Andrew Ross, the schoolmaster."

"And yer father's English was many a time," said the Russian, as he took the other's hand, and added, "and the son has tried to do the same out here, but I'll no agree that he has made so great a success o' it."

"Weel, ye'll allow he was a good master, for had it no been for his teaching the Russians would no have for their own general today a Scotchman. And let me say, auld friend, that it's only the memory o' yer father's preaching that has kept me from becoming an out and out Mahommedan and starting a harem like the rest o' the pashas; but when it comes to fighting I'm with them. Let's see, I wish that we had a glass of good auld whisky to celebrate the meeting."

And with this they parted, each believing that he had done his best to uphold the honor of the motherland.

A Gallant Deed.

"I think," said the old captain, as he knocked the ashes from his pipe and prepared to fill and smoke, "that I could fill a book with darling things I have seen Confederate soldiers do. I am glad to see that their valor, like our own, is now a source of pride to every American.

"I can't pretend on this short notice to pick out individual acts, but I often think of one incident at Gettysburg.

"It was while Gen. Geary's division of the Twelfth on our right, and a mighty hot place we had of it I can tell you.

"On the night of July 2 General Ewell made a desperate effort to seize Slocum's defenses along the hill, but after hours of hard fighting we drove them back.

"The enemy was on picket duty along the wooded slope on the morning of the 3d.

"Looking down over the windrows of the dead and wounded I saw an unarmed man in gray creeping toward us. I called out to my men not to fire, for I supposed the man was wounded or deserting.

"After a bit he halted behind a dead man in gray, who held aloft in his rigid arms the colors of a Confederate regiment.

"The man tried to secure the flag, but the dead color bearer clung to it with the grip of death.

"Then what do you suppose that fellow did? Well, it was evident that he was taking his life in his hands to save the colors. He placed the flag on his shoulder and hurried down the hill.

"Did we fire? No, sir; I am proud to say we were soldiers and could appreciate a brave act, but we did spring to our feet and cheer that gallant fellow as he made his way back to his command."

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CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and passed on the 2d day of May, A. D. 1892, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

F. W. RUNYON, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., May 2, 1892.

AN ORDINANCE

To regulate the use of bicycles, tricycles and velocipedes in the City of Plainfield, and to protect the Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons, or other wheeled vehicle not drawn by a horse, upon any sidewalk in the City of Plainfield, except when necessary so to do in passing from private property to the roadway of said street; nor shall any person ride any such vehicle in or upon any sidewalk in the City of Plainfield without ringing a bell or sounding a whistle at a distance of at least fifty feet from any carriage or vehicle of any description coming in or upon the roadway of said street or highway, and the use of such vehicles shall be conducted so as to give full and sufficient warning of such approach; nor shall any person ride any such vehicle upon any street of said city between one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise without carrying and displaying a lighted lantern.

SECTION 2. That every person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall on conviction be subject to a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense.

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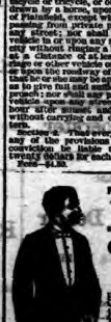

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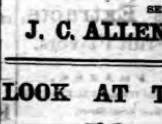

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1671—Edward, prince of Wales, son of Henry VI., born.

1685—Louis XIII, king of France, died; he was succeeded by his son, Louis XIV, who was succeeded by his great-grandson, Louis XV., who was succeeded by his grandson, Louis XVI., which whose position Louis XVIII. is the present incumbent.

1776—William Hickling Prescott, historian, born at Salem, Mass.; died 1859. Horace Greeley, journalist, born at Amherst, N. H.; died 1872. Thomas Nast, caricaturist, born at Landau, Bavaria; died 1902. Thomas Addis Emmet, lawyer, author, statesman and noted Irish patriot, born in Cork, Ireland; died in New York, 1827. Henry Bradford Plant, railroad president, born at Branford, Conn.; died 1899. Amos Lawrence, philanthropist, born at Groton, Mass.; died 1852.

1865—In the battle of Wilderness, Gen. Grant succeeded Gen. Meade in command of the Army of the Potomac.

1872—General Dick Taylor surrendered the Confederate forces in the Mississippi department.

1875—25 lives were lost by the breaking down of an Iowa bridge at Jacksonville, Ill.

1886—Irwin McDowell, general, died in San Francisco; born near Columbus, Ohio. He was a major general in the Federal army in the first defeat—at Bull Run, July 21, 1861.

He Probably Knew No Better.

He was doing his best to be agreeable, but there was apparently something that displeased her. She walked along in silence, paying little attention to all the clever and pleasant things he was saying.

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"Why—why, no, Miss Mabel. What a question!"

"You are not afraid that I will suddenly stand and speak?"

"Certainly not! I know of no reason why you should."

"Perhaps, then, Mr. Willis," she sang gaily, growing a trifle more haughty, "you have been ill and are weak."

"No, indeed, Miss Mabel. I was never in better health."

"You are really not afraid of falling?"

"Not at all."

"And you need no support?"

"Miss Mabel, I—understand."

"Then I see no occasion for your holding onto my arm."

"Why, it was rather to assist you than to—"

"If you will kindly give me your arm, Mr. Willis, I can gain all the support that is necessary with less inconvenience and more dignity. Perhaps, I will also have a black and blue mark on my arm every time you think I need a little extra assistance. And the public, Mr. Willis, will be more inclined to think that you are strong enough to walk without support."

He offered her his arm.—Chicago Tribune.

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Full	11	5:59	Last Quarter	26	9:49
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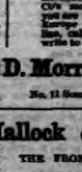

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The Weather.
Warmer and generally fair.

BREVITIES

—"The Dazzler" is to be presented at Music Hall to-morrow evening.

—The railroad company have placed a block signal at Central avenue.

—Some mean person is making a practice of taking muzzles off of dogs.

—The Somerset county petit jurors have been discharged for the term.

—The Plainfield Reform Club will hold its regular mid-week meeting at eight o'clock.

—Special devotions for the month of May were held in St. Mary's church last evening.

—The borough Council will meet in regular session to-morrow evening at eight o'clock.

—Collector H. Newton Spencer is beautifying his property on Somerset street, North Plainfield.

—To-night the Rev. Dr. Deems will lecture on the subject of "Trifles" at the Casino. It will be a rare treat.

—All the class members of the P. B. Club are requested to be on hand this evening promptly at seven-thirty.

—The Saturday afternoon dancing class will give an evening soiree at Miss Newton's seminary to-morrow evening.

—A gymnastic exhibition will be given at the gymnasium of the Plainfield Bicycle Club this evening at eight o'clock.

—The warm temperature of last evening brought out many a rocker on front porches, and hammocks were in many instances in demand.

—The Unions of Woodbridge and the Crescents will contest in a game of base ball next Saturday afternoon on the grounds in this city.

—Johanna Haley was sentenced to sixty days in the county jail yesterday by City Judge Codington for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

—Mary Dwyer, who pleaded guilty in the Somerset county court to a charge of keeping a disorderly house, was sentenced to pay a fine of $25 and costs.

—Nature is fast assuming her emerald robe. Within a few days the trees have put forth their leaves and the mountains hereabouts will soon be picturesque in living green.

—Bankrupt stock of groceries purchased by the United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association will be sold at the corner of Madison avenue a Front street at 25 per cent. below cost.

—An impression seems to prevail that the ordinance recently passed concerning the destruction of dogs gives anyone the right to kill unmuzzled dogs at large. It gives no such rights and any person who kills a dog is liable to the owner for damages. Dogs are to be killed at the pound only.

—Mr. Andrew Vanderbeck has a parrot at his store on Park avenue that is a wonder, which entertains all comers, when in the mood, with a variety of "Polly Put the Kettle On, Polly Put Tea." The birds repertoire extends from a very naughty little dog's bark to the latest fire whistle. And it don't whistle "ta ra ra boom ta ra" either.

—There will be special music at the devotional meeting of the Young People's League in the First Baptist church to-morrow evening. Mr. H. T. Barnes and Mrs. Martin L. Cooley being the soloists. The subject will be "A Friend of Sinners." Luke 15: 7. A cordial invitation is extended to all, either young or old.

—Robert M. Honeyman of Bedminster township has resigned as clerk in the office of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Newark, and has been appointed to the superintendent of the Y. M. C. A. building at Elizabeth. He has been a zealous member of that organization for several years past. The officers of the railroad company were reluctant to release him.

—A lantern slide exhibition is being arranged by the members of the Plainfield Camera Club, which is to take place at the Casino at an early date. The exhibition will consist wholly of illustrated views of the various objects of interest in Plainfield, by magic lantern, and the "slides," as they are called, are all to be made by the members of the Camera Club from photographs taken by the club members. At a regular meeting of the Camera Club held Monday evening, several additional "slides" were received.

—The civil suit of J. A. Demarest vs. Rowland M. Stover, plaintiff claiming $5,000 damages for an assault (made through a misunderstanding) was tried in the Union County Court yesterday afternoon. A verdict of $125 for plaintiff, after the judge had warned the jury not to bring in any exorbitant verdict, because it did not deny the assault, but claimed that it was done in the heat of anger and under strong provocation. The judge hope that the brethren will dwell together in peace and good fellowship. Squabbles are very elevating at best, but least of all in such a community as Plainfield.

—Compelled the Express Co. to Settle.

Mr. E. Hunn, Jr., a brother of Mr. T. S. Hunn of this city, has just taught the Adams Express Company that private individuals have rights which even express companies are bound to respect. Last year Mr. Hunn sent from the family homestead to his father and mother at Newport a basket of the most luscious peaches, prepaying the express charges. The basket arrived in a damaged condition, a dozen peaches were missing, and his mother was compelled to pay sixty cents charges, notwithstanding that the charges had been prepaid. Mr. Hunn regarded the case as an outrage and he demanded recovery of damages and that the money be refunded.

The company treated the matter indifferently, claiming that they were not to blame. Then Mr. Hunn began action to recover the ninety-six cents and costs. When the company found that it could not trifle with him it settled, but not until the suit had been instituted and the taking of testimony began. It might be mentioned incidentally that Mr. Hunn is a lawyer.

Lived Almost a Century.

Abbie Johnston, familiarly known as "Aunt Abbie," died at her home in Clinton late Tuesday afternoon at the ninety-seventh year of her age. She had enjoyed good health, and it is only recently that she began to fail. She retained all her faculties to a remarkable degree.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Regular Meeting of the Directors Held Last Evening.

The regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Plainfield Public Library and Reading room was held last evening. Directors A. C. Baldwin, G. H. Babcock, Rowland Cox, J. B. Dumont, J. Evarts Tracy, Jos. W. Yates and Wm. M. Stillman were present.

The minutes of the meeting of April 6th, were read and approved.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Boice & Runyon, coal	$ 25.00
Chas. Scribner's Sons, books	120.25
Library Bureau, supplies	86.05
Wm. H. Williams, papers, etc.	15.00
Miss Adams, salary	50.00
S. H. Allen, salary and sundries	41.09
A. S. Depew, insurance premium	16.50

The Lecture Committee reported that Dr. Vincent's health having obliged him to withdraw his appointment for a lecture, the committee had secured the services of the Rev. Charles F. Deems to deliver the last lecture in the course on the evening of May 5.

On motion the librarian was granted a leave of absence of one week beginning with May 16, to attend the annual convention of the American Library Association which meets at Lakewood.

The April report of the librarian was read, approved and ordered on file.

The meeting then adjourned.

WM. M. STILLMAN, Sec'y.

The Librarian's report for April, 1892 is as follows:

Vols. on accession books March 31	10788
" added by purchase	41
" " gift	90
" now in the library	10939
Number of card holders	2880
Cash received from fines and subscriptions of non-residents	$23.33
Home circulation—	
Fiction	1010
Juvenile	249
Biography	73
Travel	66
Philosophy	9
Religion	13
Sociology	41
Philology	1
Science	46
Useful arts	29
Fine arts	37
Literature	142
History	64
Bound period	16
Total	1791
Visitors to building	2266

E. J. ADAMS, Librarian.

GIFTS.

John W. Murray, 2 v.; S. Stuart, 2 v.; Mrs. M. H. Eaton, 17 v.; Mrs. A. Stirling, 7 v.; State New Jersey, 7v.; J. Evarts Tracy, 1 v.; U. S. Dept. of Interior, 59 v.

A DISASTROUS FIRE AVERTED.

A Lamp Explosion Caused Considerable Excitement.

A disastrous fire was averted on Madison avenue last evening only by the hard work of the neighbors. Shortly after eight o'clock a kerosene lamp exploded in the residence of Mr. James Conneely. The burning quickly ignited the window curtains and in a few seconds they were ablaze. Mrs. Conneely and her children rushed from the house screaming. Neighbors ran to their rescue and after a hard fight succeeded in extinguishing the flames, but not until considerable damage had been done. No alarm was sounded.

During the excitement Mrs. Conneely fainted. The house is in close proximity to a number of frame buildings.

Union Co. Wins at Last.

The Union County Country Club of Plainfield last night won its first game from the Park Club of North Plainfield. Two games were played, each team winning a game. The score is as follows:

First game.

UNION COUNT.		PARK CLUB.	
Evans	148	Matthews	115
Kimball	129	Heermans	123
Ackerman	115	Rogers	146
Barton	164	Hoffman	127
Depew	131	Darling	129
	665		660

Union County won by 15 pins.

Second game.

UNION COUNT.		PARK CLUB.	
Mason	134	Worth	157
Booth	117	McCollum	126
Herring	110	Townsend	144
Wharton	109	Rogers	117
Burnett	108	Theirs	143
	598		685

Park Club won by 87 pins.

PERSONAL.

Ex-Editor J. F. Babcock of New Brunswick will, it is reported, make his home at Neshanic.

The members of the Park Club will tender their friends a reception in their cosy little club house on Washington avenue this evening.

Mr. Albert Everitt, formerly of this city, but now of Madison, returned to his home in that place last evening after a pleasant stay with friends here.

Chief Engineer Wm. McGill of the newly organized Trenton fire department and Mr. Fitzgibbons of the same city were to-day the guests of Chief Doane of this city.

A Chimney Afire.

At about 2:30 o'clock this afternoon there was some smoke coming from a chimney in Hetfield's row on Arlington avenue. The soot had caught fire. An alarm was sounded. The fire was extinguished by the members of Alert Hose Company and Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company. Other members of the various companies rendered valuable assistance.

Several lengths of hose were bursted.

The Plainfield Bicycle Club Entertainment To-Night.

At the gymnasium of the Plainfield Bicycle Club this evening the club management will entertain their friends. Class gymnastics will be the special feature of the programme. As the space for visitors is somewhat limited, admission will be by ticket only, a few of which each member has for distribution.

THE CRESCENTS WON.

They Defeated Their Opponents Yesterday.—Score 8 to 1.

As reported in THE NEWS of yesterday the Crescents of this city went to Staten Island on the twelve o'clock train to play a game of base ball with the Staten Island Athletic Club. It was the second game of the season for the Crescents and they did not think they could possibly win the game, as their opponents had been playing for the past three weeks.

They succeeded in defeating their opponents, however, by a score of eight to one. The game was an exciting one. A large number of the Crescents admirers accompanied them.

The members of the S. I. A. C. seemed unable to hit the ball. The Crescents bunched their hits.

The score is as follows:

CRESCENT LEAGUE.

	R	1B	PO	A	E
Keese, s.s.	2	0	4	1	1
Kramm, c.	1	0	6	2	0
Murphy, l.f.	1	2	1	0	0
Bonner, 1b.	1	1	8	0	0
Hofford, r.f.	0	0	1	0	0
Leahy, 2b.	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, lb.	0	0	0	0	0
Bonner, r.f.	2	2	2	1	0
Keenan, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	4	27	4	1

STATEN ISLAND A. C.

Van Zant, p., l.f.	0	1	1	1	0
Kramm, c.	0	0	10	1	0
Britt, 1b.	0	1	12	0	0
Brown, s.s.	0	0	1	3	1
Strecker, 2b.	0	0	1	1	0
Van Zant, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0
McDonald, c.f.	0	0	3	0	0
Swain, l.f.	0	0	0	0	0
Clam, p., r.f.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	0	2	27	6	1

Crescent League ..... 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 — 2
Staten Island ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 0

Earned runs—Crescent, 1. First base on errors—Crescent, 4; Staten Island A. C., 4. Left on bases—Crescent, 6; Staten Island A. C., 6. Base on balls—Off Van Zant, 2; off Keenan, 2; struck out—By Keenan, 3; by Van Zant, 3; by Clam, 1. Two base hits—Bonner. Three base hits—Murphy. Stolen bases—Murphy, Bonner, Keese, Van Zant, Kramm, Britt, Brown, Strecker, Van Zant. Double plays—Keese, Bonner and Hofford; Britt and Brown. Wild pitch—Van Zant. Umpire—Connolly. Time—1:45.

The feature of the game was the fine playing of Bonner, Murphy, Keenan and Hofford.

A fine game of baseball was played at Elizabethport yesterday afternoon between the New Jersey Athletic Club's team and the strong nine of the Young Men' Catholic Literary Society. The New Jerseys won by a score of 1 to 0. About five hundred people witnessed the game.

ELIZABETH'S BOY MURDERER.

Thomas Quinn Pleads Not Guilty of Killing Mrs. Schneider.

Thomas Quinn, the young hackman charged with killing Mrs. Annie Schneider last January at her home in Washington avenue, Elizabeth, was arraigned in the Union county court yesterday to answer an indictment of murder in the first degree.

Mrs. Conneely and her children rushed from the house screaming. Neighbors ran to their rescue and after a hard fight succeeded in extinguishing the flames, but not until considerable damage had been done. No alarm was sounded.

Quinn shot three bullets in the woman's head while she was making up her bed, then coolly walked into the Union county court-room, announced his crime and surrendered to the authorities.

The defense will probably be temporary insanity produced by excessive drinking.

SMALL-POX AT BOUND BROOK.

Four Cases Reported in an Old House There.

Four cases of small-pox are reported at Bound Brook in an old house in which Italians and thirty Hungarians were crowded. One of the patients had nearly recovered, but the other three were in the most virulent stage. The children have been to the public and Sunday-schools and the adults at work in this city about a week. There is great fear that many more cases will be developed.

A Suit for Infringement.

A bill of complaint was filed Monday in the United States Circuit Court by Henry Williams of Bristol, Rhode Island, President of the National India Rubber Company, against the Meyer Rubber Company of New Brunswick, this state, for infringement of patents used in the manufacture of rubber shoes.

The bill states that Mr. Williams was the inventor of the patents, asks for an injunction restraining the Meyer Company from manufacturing the patented shoes and for an accounting of all gains derived from the sale of such patented shoes.

Annual Inspection and Muster.

The following official notice has been sent out to the members of Winfield Scott Post, No. 40, of this city:

PLAINFIELD, N. J., May 4, 1892.

General Order No. 4.

The annual inspection and muster which will occur next Tuesday evening, May 10, the Department Commander will be present. It will be an official visit. Your presence on this occasion will be highly appreciated. By command

WILLIAM C. SMITH, Commander.
Official, GEORGE W. MOORE, Adjutant.

Thrown by the Electricity.

A powerfully charged electric-light wire grounded on one of the iron poles on West Seventh street Tuesday night, and the ground for forty feet around became heavily charged. The moment a horse stepped within the charged circle he was knocked down. At one time five horses were prostrate. The drivers and others received shocks. A horse owned by ex-Councilman Daniel S. Roberts fell against the pole and was burned. Charles Vermeule received a shock while rescuing horses.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Why the Express Drivers Rebelled.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS.—In the Courier of last Monday, under the heading of "Trouble at the Express Office," appeared this statement of Mr. Skiff, the United States Express agent:

"Manager Skiff says he does not know the reason for the men leaving. He says he had a talk with them on Tuesday evening for a week past. If it was on account of increased wages, Mr. Skiff says he could have easily told the men that it could not be done, but he says he knows nothing about the matter.

Now, Mr. Editor, we beg leave to state that this is not true. Mr. Skiff last an official circular signed by C. H. Crosby, General Superintendent, in the express office, which was issued three weeks ago, expressing a desire that all employees of the Express Co. coming in contact with the public should furnish themselves with uniforms suitable for the season. It goes on at great length and in detail to describe the uniform to be worn, saying, in conclusion, that route agents shall see that the order is complied with. In regard to changing the premium on books, Mr. Skiff never mentioned his intention to try and change the amount at the time of our withdrawal, but simply gave us to understand that it must be complied with to hold our positions.

By stating these facts to your valuable paper you will confer a favor on the express drivers.

S. F. RUNYON,
E. SEALEY,
JOHN RICKERT.

A Hint for the Council.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS.—The municipal officers of Salem, Mass., have recently adopted an order requiring that all entertainments and theatrical performance posters be submitted to the Committee on Licenses before they are posted. This is precisely what is needed in our own city, where our fences have even this week been disfigured by some very offensive posters. Will not our city fathers take this as a suggestion for a matter to be looked into?

A MEMBER OF THE W. C. T. U.

FOR ORDER AND AUTHORITY.

An Important Matter that Will Be Discussed in the Convention.

At the Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey is now being held, the following may be interesting to members of the Church.

At the Convention of the Pennsylvania Diocese, which opened Tuesday morning an important matter was presented with regard to the revision of one of the canons of the Church will come before the delegates. As is very well known, there are a number of orders in the Episcopal Church to the Order of the Holy Cross in America, the Order of the Holy Cross in Westminster, England, and the Brothers of Nazareth. The two former orders are made up of priests and laymen, the latter of laymen exclusively, the membership of the latter being made up of the laity. Many very prominent clergymen and laymen of the Church are members of these orders, and hitherto always been allowed a voice in the conventions. It is now proposed, however, to revise the canon permitting this, and thereby exclude from the conventions all clergymen who are members of any religious order.

The object of the proposed revision, as explained by members of these religious orders do not only take the three vows, but promise obedience to a superior, the superior often acting as their will. His judgment at times might not accord with the needs and policy of a diocese, and in the words of the bishop of this diocese, "The aim of it is to preserve the Episcopal polity." It probably will cause much discussion in the various Diocesan Conventions, but has very faint prospect of passing.

A Textile Plant Coming from England.

The McKinley bill is to be the means of bringing another industry to this county besides the one for making tinplate. A large firm in Southampton, England, that manufactures textile fabrics of all kinds and furnishes employment to several hundred women and girls is preparing to locate a factory at or near Peapack Brook. The size of it is to preserve the Bishop's motto, "It probably will cause much discussion in the various Diocesan Conventions, but has very faint prospect of passing."

The agents of the firm went to the city, thoroughly inspected its shipping facilities, and expressed themselves as highly pleased with what they saw. They have picked out an eligible tract of land on the water front, and will make a favorable report to the company managers at Southampton.

Fire at Milburn.

A very destructive fire broke out at Milburn Tuesday morning about one o'clock, which resulted in the entire loss of that hall just been outlawed from a freight train. The depot that Milburn has had for the past few years is the old D. L. & W. Railroad to remove, is at last out of the way. The depot and coal sheds of Reid & Corby are not there either.

The loss to Reid & Corby is about $6,000. The depot burned was formerly a freight house, in which the ticket office was moved when the depot was built in 1873. The people of the town have begged the company to give them a decent depot, but like Oliver Twist's bowl, they got "the same old thing over again." Agent Stewart, when they painted the building, with a new coat of paint, had the audacity to send in a request to enlarge the depot about four times as large as it is. The request was not granted, but the company gave the depot about four times as large as it is. The request was not granted, but the company gave the depot about four times as large as it is.

It was not long before the fire department that the main business portion of the town was saved. The fire was under control in about an hour after the alarm was given. The engineer nearly reported that they went through the Government at Washington. Will be looking to their laurels.

The fire is supposed to be the work of some tramp who has been refused a meal at the house of Mr. Corby, or perhaps some one who has been refused a meal at the house of Mr. Corby.

Hanging Out Their Signs.

Many of the business men of Plainfield have hung out their signs in honor of the Republican State Convention which meets in this city to-morrow. Among those who have done so are Mr. Frank Hall, Mr. Frank Hall, Mr. Frank Hall,

EDITORIAL NOTES

The Astors.

The death of William Astor in Paris set people talking, as the death of an Astor always does, about the family estates and history. One statement has been made that William Astor was the *last of the third* generation of the Astor family. This is not true. William Astor left a sister, Mrs. Delano, who lives in Europe, and a brother, Henry, living obscurely on a farm in Columbia county, N. Y. Henry's father, William B., cut him off with a small sum because *he married in the rank of life from which* the Astor family originally sprang and preferred farming to rolling up interest and building houses in the city. The founder of the American family of Astors was the son of a German butcher in Waldorf, near Heidelberg, Germany. But it was a crime of the blackest kind for the great-grandson of a poor butcher to wed the daughter of an equally poor and humble German family in America, therefore was Henry Astor snuffed out as unceremoniously as the girls of the Astor family always are.

The policy of the Astors has been to keep the wealth together at all hazard. *To the son who shows talent for increasing* the family millions is bequeathed the bulk of the property, while the girls, worth nothing as money makers, are merely portioned off with a small amount. Thus William B. Astor gave the bulk of his $200,000,000 to his son John Jacob, a respectable portion to William, who has just died, and $1,000,000 apiece to his daughters.

William B. Astor, the father of the late William, was the real money maker of the family, for old John Jacob, "the original Jacob," was worth only $20,000,000 *at his death. His money was got* largely in the fur and China trade. But when William B. became the head of the family he turned his attention entirely to the real estate investment business, which has since rolled up the Astor fortune so enormously. *The Astor real estate policy is said* to be to only buy very cheap and never to sell at all but to build and rent.

At all events the present head of the family William Waldorf Astor, nephew of the late William and grandson of William B., is now said on good authority to be worth $150,000,000. It is William Astor's widow who has the famous diamond ornaments. At the opera and receptions she has sometimes worn diamonds to the value of $100,000. William was the father of Mrs. Coleman Drayton.

The French Anarchists.

"These are not anarchists; they are scoundrels," is the verdict of individuals in America who amuse themselves by *calling themselves anarchists. They de*clare that murder and robbery are no part of anarchist politics. Therefore they are in a state of indignation because Ravachol and Simon were not guillotined at Paris instead of being sentenced to penal servitude for life.

*There is no doubt that the "extenuat*ing circumstances" found by the cowering jury who rendered the Ravachol verdict were the fear that they too would be blown up. The public so understood it. "Cowards!" shouted the angry public as the craven jurymen passed *out of the courtroom into the* street. And the miscreants who do their crimes under the name of anarchism grow bolder than ever. The French are not a cowardly nation. They must know it is a brand of disgrace on them that a whole country is terrorized by a *few cutthroats. The lives of the judge* and jurymen who tried Ravachol might or might not have been endangered by a death sentence. But if so life is not worth having at such a price. M. Beaupaire, the public prosecutor, shows up splendidly in the midst of the general cravenness of the court. The threatening letters had no effect to drive his strong, brave spirit from its duty.

The heavens be praised! *New York* has laid the cornerstone of the Grant monument at last. He died seven years ago and New York has got as far as making one corner of his tombstone. *By 1902* the monument will be half done. It took many years for the town by the sea to build the *pedestal for the Liberty* statue to stand upon while she was enlightening the world, and then it was erected by the private enterprise of a newspaper. But New York got there at last and she will get there with the Grant tombstone. If Chicago had had that *monument* or Cincinnati or St. Louis or San Francisco or Atlanta or Texas——

There are always ways of getting around laws, even of the modus vivendi kind. Canadian coasters are so bent on exterminating the Alaska seal that they will sell their schooners to citizens of nations other than Great Britain. The schooners will be sailed under foreign flags, but the same Canadian seal murderers will command them and continue the trade. Then the other nations will be brought into the embroglio. Apparently it has never occurred to these pigheaded fellows that they can do anything else for a living than exterminate seals; or that there is anything else in *the ocean worth catching.*

New York city is in debt $160,000,000. This is $4,000,000 more than the combined state debts of the whole north.

COAL DEAL IN CONGRESS.

The Attorney General Asked for Information.

TO CENSURE NOBLE AND RAUM.

An Effort Will Be Made, It Is Said, to Have the House Denounce the Secretary and the Pension Commissioner for Withholding Certain Evidence.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Mr. Mutchler, of Pennsylvania, introduced the following resolution in the house:

Whereas, It is alleged that the Reading Rail road company, *in the state of Pennsylvania*, has combined with the Lehigh Valley Railroad company, in the same state, with the Central Railroad of New Jersey and with certain other corporations engaged in the production of an thracite coal for the purpose of monopolizing the anthracite coal trade, therefore the attorney general of the United States is requested to inform the house whether any information has been furnished the department of justice on this subject of such a character as will authorize him to institute proceedings, under the law of July 2, 1890, to protect trade and commerce *against unlawful restraints* and monopolies against the persons who, it is alleged, have combined in violation of the law, and if such information has been received at the department of justice to communicate the same to the house, if not incompatible with the public interests in respect thereof.

The Chinese Bill Goes to the President.

The conference report on the Chinese exclusion bill *was presented by Mr. Geary, of* California, and the report was agreed to by a vote of 195 to 26 and was sent to the president. A resolution was adopted calling on the attorney general for information as to whether the sugar trust or the American Sugar Refining company has violated the provisions of the antitrust law, and if so whether any prosecutions had been directed against any trust or corporation for such violation. Mr. Bowers, of Tennessee, attempted to have the registry shipping bill passed on Monday recalled from the senate because it was passed under misapprehension, but the speaker decided that the bill could not be recalled, and the house took up the river and harbor bill, which appropriates $21,250,975.

To Censure Noble and Raum.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Chairman Wheeler, of the Bacon investigating committee, has practically decided to introduce in the house a resolution *asking for instructions as to the* course for the committee to pursue with reference to the refusal of Secretary Noble and Commissioner Raum to furnish correspondence concerning the removal of employees of the pension office.

Mr. Wheeler believes that the constitution has been violated by the refusal of Messrs. Noble and Raum, basing this opinion on section 8 of article 2, which says, "but congress may by law vest the appointment of such inferior officers as they think proper in the president alone, in courts of law or in the heads of departments."

Secretary Noble's refusal was based on this very section. He contends that the appointment or removal of the employees concerned is vested in himself alone, and that congress cannot interfere in the matter. Mr. Wheeler, on the contrary, holds that although the power of appointing such inferior officers" is vested in the heads of departments information cannot be refused *by a chief regarding the acts of his subor*dinates. There is some talk of passing a resolution of censure on both Secretary *Noble and Commissioner* Raum, and this may follow the introduction of the resolution requiring instruction. It is obvious that the consideration of such a resolution would cause a spirited debate in the house on the subject of the pension office inquiry.

To Investigate the Reading.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—"Reading must retreat or fight. We mean business." The speaker was Representative Coombs, who *has from the first taken an active interest* in the warfare on the Reading deal. Mr Coombs is chairman of the special investigating committee recently appointed, which comprises in addition to himself Representatives Lind, of Minnesota; Mallory, of Florida, and Patterson, of Tennessee.

This committee will furnish to the interstate commerce commission the facts in relation to the Reading deal, which will form the basis of a resolution to be reported in due time to the house, and upon which it is expected that that body will order an investigation.

Jersey Cattle for the Fair.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The American Cattle club, composed of breeders of Jersey cattle, elected officers as follows: President, R. A. Shiley, of Rochester; vice president, William McKinney, of Philadelphia; treasurer, John I. Holly, of Plainfield, N. J. The club decided to add the sum of $5,000 to the $10,000 already voted for the purpose of securing a proper exhibit of Jersey cattle at the Chicago exposition.

The Silver Question Abroad.

MANCHESTER, May 5.—At the meeting of the chamber of commerce there were several strong speeches against Great Britain's former policy of standing on an exclusively gold basis, and resolutions were in favor of an international conference to consider means for bettering the present condition of the silver market. The motion was opposed by 186 members.

Had O'Brien a Double?

UTICA, N. Y., May 5.—A rumor is current in this city that Convicts "Tom" O'Brien, the burglar, who escaped from Kingston, James H. Buck, of Clinton prison, was never in Utica and that the man who was pulled off here at the time of the latter's prisoner secured in New York by "Doc" Mitchell.

Bell Telephone's Lease of Life.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The Bell Telephone company, by its control of Edison's patents, as licensee from the Western Union company, will continue to enjoy a monopoly of the telephone for seventeen years, under patents just granted on Edison's application.

Baroness Blanc Will Sue You.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Mme. Blanc, whose husband, Baron Blanc, has brought *suit for* divorce on the statutory grounds, says she will bring a counter suit. She says she has a list of twenty women whom she will name as corespondents.

No Big Electric Combine Formed.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Brayton Ives denies the published rumor that a consolidation of the Westinghouse Electric company and the American Bell Telephone & Cable has been formed to oppose the Thomson-Houston company.

A Woman Struck by Lightning.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 5.—Mrs. Ellis Carpenter, of Snapp Hill, Wyoming county, was struck by lightning while lying in bed and instantly killed. Her husband, who was by her side, escaped injury.

THE TENA DAVIS CASE.

Trefethen, the Girl's Lover, Convicted of Her Murder.

BOSTON, May 5.—The jury in the Tena Davis murder trial found James A. Trefethen, the girl's lover, guilty of murder in the first degree, and William H. Smith, Trefethen's brother-in-law, not guilty.

Ex-Governor John D. Long, leading counsel for the accused, burst into tears when the verdict was announced.

Miss Davis disappeared from her home in Everett, Mass., the Wednesday before Christmas and nothing was heard of her

JAMES A. TREFETHAN.

until her body was found imbedded in the mud at the bottom of Mystic river Jan. 10. A medical examination showed that she was alive when she entered the water, and that death resulted from drowning. James A. Trefethan, the lover of the girl and the reputed father of her unborn child, was arrested on a charge of having murdered her. William H. Smith was also sent to jail as an accessory. Trefethan owned a store in Everett where Tena Davis did a great deal of her shopping.

FASHIONS

Novelties in Shoes and Stockings.

In dancing shoes the latest novelty is the "Nautch Girl." It is made of satin in pretty colors—pale green, pink, sky blue, cardinal, golden brown and other shades—and has an instep strap trimmed with gold sequins and little bells that jingle pleasantly. It is the very thing for skirt dancing on the stage, and is not likely to be worn elsewhere. There is nothing particularly new in ordinary dress shoes. The dressiest are of satin, with open work fronts, daintily embroidered. An innovation in stockings for evening wear are those striped in three or four colors to match the new silks. They are very pretty and will doubtless fail to become popular.

The Corset Skirt.

In the accompanying cut is shown the corset skirt, which London dressmakers *aver possesses many advantages.* It has a seam at each side, one for the pocket and

DIAGRAM OF THE CORSET SKIRT.

the other for the "placket" hole. It is be lieved that this skirt will be extensively adopted for all summer fabrics.

This skirt is easily trimmed with lace or *gupure around the hem; a deep silk frill* beneath the hem is an improvement. It is most simple to make, and as will be seen *from the diagram is slightly trained in ac*cordance with the present fashion; but no difficulty will be found in cutting off the *small train*, thus reducing it to walking length. It can be cut to fit any figure.

The Latest French Fashions.

The latest French notion is that the skirts and bodices of many gowns should be made of different materials. If the skirt is cloth the bodice must be silk, and vice versa.

Vines of using beautiful ribbons with crape stripes for trimming hats.

Never has the choice in ribbons been so great as this season.

Felix makes the sleeves full, but not very high, on the shoulders, and with long, tight cuffs to the elbow; he nearly all the bodices finish inside the skirt, with an embroidered corselet over, or a velvet or a satin waistband, fastened under the arm at the side with a round bow.

Frightful Locomotive Explosion.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 5.—At Irons, on the Pennsylvania railroad, Eastern division, freight engine No. 28 exploded, instantly killing Engineer Moulton and Fireman Abe Both were horribly mangled. Three by standers were also seriously hurt and the depot was almost torn down. No cause is known for the explosion.

Johnson and Spencer Go Dash.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Lewis W. Johnson and William H. Spencer were turned over to Detective Boyle, of Philadelphia, under the requisition charging them with embezzlement from the Prudential Mutual Benefit society of that city.

Dark Outlook for Iron.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The Iron Age says that prospects of a revival in the iron trade are still very remote. Reports from the various centers show no recovery in prices, but on the contrary, lower figures than any previously recorded.

Mrs. Morton's Eyes Operated Upon.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Mrs. Morton has submitted herself to an operation for the purpose of remedying the defect of focus, which at different times has been stated as varying from 12 to 17 degs.

Statesmen at the Races.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—In addition to those who usually attend the races at Benning, there were present Wednesday Vice President Morton, Secretary Blaine, Senators Sherman and Hiscock.

Killed by a Mine Explosion.

ASPEN, Colo., May 5.—Charles Berry and Harry Quigg were blown to pieces in a mine explosion here.

NO INCREASE IN RATES.

President Roberts Defines the Pennsylvania's Position.

IT WILL JOIN IN NO COMBINES.

He Declares That the Policy of Restricting the Output of Anthracite Coal and Increasing the Price Will End in Disaster to Those Who Follow It.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—President Roberts, of the Pennsylvania railroad, talked freely to a reporter about the coal and rate questions. He said:

"It has always been the policy of our company to manage its traffic in harmony with its competitors, and our recent action simply made one rate conform as nearly as possible to those which were then being charged by other lines. It was made necessary by the new system established by our competitors of making the rate for a certain relative proportion to the selling price of the coal and resulted in a reduction of the nominal rates which have been prevailing, and it seemed to me to tend toward a proportionate reduction in the cost of the delivered article to consumer. But if this is to be followed by an advance in the price of coal forced by a curtailment in the production I fear it would be impracticable for our company to continue the policy it has always heretofore deemed it wise to adopt, as we have never at any time been in harmony with any plan for restricting production for the purpose of advancing the price of a commodity, and the interests of our company are those of a transporter, whose object is to secure the full production of articles rather than restrict them.

Against the Public Interest.

"I do not believe that it is to the interest of the public or of any railroad company engaged in its legitimate business as a transporter to become owners of coal property, so as to bring them, as both transporters and producers, into antagonism with the interests of the community. This policy, however, having prevailed among the larger companies, the Pennsylvania Railroad company has steadfastly refused, in my judgment, to acquire some anthracite coal property for the protection of its customers in Iowa as well as on its transporting interests.

"This policy has been studiously avoided ever since, so far as it was possible to do so. At the present time the manufacturing interests of the country as well as the mining industries are in a very depressed condition, and it seems to be a necessity in the bituminous traffic as well as in the iron industries for the transporter to make concessions in a variety of ways in the endeavor to keep those industries in a productive condition. The policy we propound, as I understand it, in the handling of the anthracite product, is to be the reverse of this, and would mean an enormous increase in the price for the anthracite coal which is so necessary to so many of our industrial interests and also higher prices for the transportation thereof by curtailing the product. This certainly seems to be a very unwise policy to pursue."

No Combine for Him.

"I would conclude from this, then, that your company will not propose to join any recent anthracite combination in their proposed methods?"

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CHICAGO, May 5.—The World's fair directory held a session to hear the report of the special committee on legislation which went to Washington and appeared before the house committee on the Columbian exhibition. The committee will ask additional appropriation of $5,000,000 to complete the fair should be made by congress. The report of the committee states that Chicago has now per day in subscriptions $10,000,000, providing a site for the fair, and *doing everything possible to prepare for the* exhibits from fifty-three foreign nations which have already signified their intention to participate.

The report further states that the whole matter rests with congress. Eight million dollars is necessary to complete the work. The board guarantees that Chicago will subscribe, if necessary, part of this amount, and congress, it is urged, ought to make an appropriation to cover the balance.

Recital Coldly Received.

ROME, May 5.—The atmosphere in the chamber at the reopening showed that the cabinet crisis is still acute. Premier di Rudini was received coldly. A motion of confidence will be made to-day and it is apprehended that the cabinet will be beaten. The opposition to Rudini is exceedingly bitter.

Dancing's Nerve Still Good.

MELBOURNE, May 5.—When questioned by his lawyer Marie Wahgood, the murderess edged that he might have killed his wife in a fit of insanity, but he denied that he had any recollection of the deed. When told that he would be hanged early in June, he said: "Well, a good deal can happen before then. I was not born to be hanged."

Count Bismarck to Marry.

VIENNA, May 5.—The engagement of Count Herbert Bismarck and the Countess Margarethe Hoyos is announced from Pesth. The countess is the granddaughter of Robert Whitehead, inventor of the Whitehead torpedo, and is said to be wealthy.

The Actors' Fund Fair.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The Actors' Fund fair is proving a gigantic success. Edwin Booth and Charles Dickson are sock and buskin for the people to cast their popular votes. The most popular actress, according to the votes, is Georgia Cayvan.

Hanlon to Be an Oriole.

PITTSBURG, May 5.—President Von Der Horst, of the Baltimore Baseball club, has obtained the consent of the Pittsburg league officials to negotiate with Captain Ed Hanlon to manage the Orioles.

The Reform Wave in Rochester.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 5.—The police commissioners have issued the officers to notify all gambling rooms and poolrooms to close up at once.

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The Famous New York Politician Denies That the President Has Twenty-six Empire State Votes Pledged—Senator Hawley's Warm Praise for Secretary Blaine.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 5.—When the convention of Alliance presidents and executive committeemen discussed the matter of throwing the Alliance with the third party a vote was taken and the move was defeated by a vote of 21 to 16. After a long struggle and much wrangling a compromise was effected by issuing a long address to the Alliance men in the United States in which the following rules of action are suggested as well calculated to enable the order to go through the coming ordeal of a fierce political contest:

First—Let a spirit of harmony prevail and let unity of action be the rule. Let none condemn a brother who stands squarely by the principles of the order, or speak in any way disparagingly or disrespectfully of him because they may differ as to the best methods of enforcing our principles. Grant to every brother honesty of purpose.

Second—Let fealty to the principles of the orders be the true and only test of membership and let those who value their partisan affiliations more than their Alliance obligations be informed that their order demands strict and full devotion to its principles, and leaves each to his own choice as to methods, but that the method can in no case control the principle and therefore all who affiliate should accept as supreme the principles of the order.

Third—Every member who takes the obligation always understood to those who hold the first vote as a condition precedent "that he shall in no way interfere with your political or religious liberty." Therefore, this order has no right to take any partisan political or sectarian religious action. We urge upon the brotherhood of all reform organizations, and all good citizens who believe as we do that the enactment of laws based upon our demands is for the greatest good of the free institutions of our great country and to rescue the masses from degraded servitude, that they use all honorable means to secure the election of men to our national legislative councils who stand pledged to work for the passage of such laws.

Finally, brethren, remember that devotion to our principles can only be emphasized and our influence made effective by voting for our demands at the ballot box.

He Burst Into Tears.

When by vote the third party indorsement was defeated those favoring it threatened to bolt, and red hot scenes were enacted. One Alliance president in his speech burst into tears while he spoke for the third party. It was the assertion of the closing paragraph about the ballot box that caused harmony to prevail and prevented a bolt. J. F. Tillman, of Tennessee, was active in marshaling the forces of the anti-third partyites, and he won the fight.

The Connecticut Republicans.

HARTFORD, May 5.—The Republican convention reassembled at 10:30 o'clock. District and county caucuses had previously selected members of the state central committee and nominated delegates and alternates. The committee on permanent organization reported a list of officers headed by Senator Hawley as permanent chairman in the course of his speech he said:

"I am not here to say who will be or should be our nominee for the presidency. I know well how warm a place in the hearts of many of you James G. Blaine has always occupied, and I know well that all Republicans were saddened by the announcement that he most positively withdraws from the candidacy which so many earnest friends were crowding upon him. His brilliant and versatile mind, his chivalrous gallantry and his ardent Americanism compel friendship. Since he has the genius to be loved, let him have the justice to be honored."

Delegates were elected as follows: At Large—Morgan G. Bulkeley, of Hartford, with L. B. Plympton, of Hartford, as alternate; James P. Platt, of Meriden, with William C. Hough, of Essex, as alternate; Timothy E. Hopkins, of Killingly, with Frederick C. Palmer, of Montville, as alternate; Lorrin A. Cooke, of Riverton, with David Sloan, of Winsted, as alternate.

The platform was then presented by Commodore J. D. Smith, of Stamford. It indorses the administration of President Harrison, the protection of American industries and the state administration of Governor Bulkeley.

Cheers were given by the convention for the delegates chosen, for Harrison, for Blaine and for Bulkeley. In response to calls Governor Bulkeley briefly addressed the convention, thanking them for choosing him a delegate and calling for active work in the campaign.

The district conventions elected the following delegates:

First District—Thomas Duncan, of Windsor; Thomas A. Lakes, of Rockville.

Second District—Thomas Wallace and E. Irving Hall.

Third District—Edward Milner and F. B. Brandegee.

Fourth District—Allan W. Paige and T. Bradstreet.

The resolutions, while they do not instruct the delegates, cordially indorse the administration. The resolution which covers the affairs of the state is a careful review of the situation from a Republican standpoint, and is from the hand of Gardiner Green, the leader of the Republicans of the house.

The following state central committee was chosen: Charles H. Lawrence, of Hartford, Patrick Garvan of East Hartford, George McLean, of Simsbury, Erastus Gay, of Farmington; William T. Bodenbach, of Naugatuck, James P. Platt, of Meriden, F. S. Gaylord, of Cornwall, Hugh Dailey, of New Haven; Dr. Frederick Farnsworth, of New London; I. W. Carpenter, of Norwich; George P. Cookson, of Colchester; Whitman S. Mead, of Greenwich; George Belden Hurlburt, of Norwalk; George W. Longstaff, of Bridgeport; S. T. Ambley, of Bethel; George A. Hammond, of Putnam; Preston B. Sheffield, of Brooklyn; F. Booker, of Torrington; George H. Knight, of Lakeville; R. L. Pond, of Terryville; J. E. Hutchinson, of Essex; J. M. Vaughan, of Middletown; George M. Faulk, of Rockville; Amos Pease, of Somers.

Cleveland and Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—It is stated by the Philadelphia Press that Mr. Cleveland has abandoned his pretense of doing nothing to help his candidacy for the Democratic nomination, and is actively striving to secure the Pennsylvania delegation.

William F. Harrity, who is to lead the Pennsylvania delegation at the convention; W. U. Hensel, the state attorney general, and ex-United States District Attorney J. R. Read went to Lakewood, N. J. They first called at Mr. Cleveland's cottage and spent several hours with him. Mr. Harrity denied emphatically that the ex-president had had any part in the scheme to withdraw his name in favor of Chief Justice Fuller. When Mr. Harrity was asked if he did not offer Pennsylvania aid to Cleveland in exchange for Cleveland's assistance in securing the chairmanship for himself and a cabinet portfolio for Governor Pattison, he said:

"My two days' visit to Mr. Cleveland was purely a personal affair. If I did offer him aid of any sort, it would be a private affair and no one's business. In regard to securing a berth for Governor Pattison I said nothing at all. Do I know that he wants to be secretary of the treasury? I was not aware that he had that kind of a bee in his bonnet."

Platt on the Morrison Boom.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Mr. Thomas C. Platt says that there is not a word of truth in the statements published by Elliott F. Shepard to the effect that twenty-six of the New York delegates to the Minneapolis convention have been instructed to vote for Harrison, and that more than 500 delegates have already been instructed for the president. Mr. Platt said both statements were absurd.

"Not one delegate from the state of New York has been instructed," said Mr. Platt.

"Will any of the delegates vote for Harrison?"

Mr. Platt reflected a moment and then he said with a smile, "Colonel Elliott F. Shepard is a delegate, I believe."

"He would not discuss Harrison's chances of renomination, but said that the statement of his having a majority of the delegates instructed for him, or pledged to him was on a par with the other statements from the literary bureau that is booming his campaign.

Delaware Republicans Meet.

DOVER, Del., May 5.—The Republican state convention to elect delegates to the Minneapolis convention and a state centre committee was called to order at 11 a. m. in the Dover Opera house by State Senator John Pilling. The platform will strongly indorse President Harrison's administration, Secretary Blaine's policy, the McKinley bill and demand honest money. Senator Higgins will lead the national delegation and the other Newcastle county aspirants are General James H. Wilson, John Pilling and *Colonel Henry A. Dupont*, one of whom will be selected. Harry A. Richardson and George W. Marshall, of Kent county, and Dr. Hiram R. Bartou and Henry P. Cannon, of Sussex county, are spoken of as the other delegates. The delegates will go uninstructed, but they will all support Harrison.

California for Harrison.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 5.—The Republican state convention's platform unqualifiedly indorses the administration of national affairs and the president's action in the Italy-Chili and the Behring sea controversies. These achievements, the platform states, stamped President Harrison's administration as patriotic and useful, and made the Republican party feel that the party needs a better leader in 1892. The platform favors national aid for the Nicaragua canal, free coinage of silver, wants United States senators elected by the people and closes with a glowing eulogy of Blaine, which was greeted with enthusiasm. M. H. De Young, Senator Felton, E. F. Spence and N. D. Ellerson were chosen delegates at large to Minneapolis.

Michigan Instructs for Cleveland.

MUSKEGON, May 5.—The Democratic convention selected Don. M. Dickinson, Edward Bryan and Edward P. Ide as delegates at large. For fourth place there was a hot fight between ex-Congressman Spencer Fisher and W. R. Burt, and great disorder prevailed during the balloting but Fisher was elected by two to one. The delegates were instructed for Cleveland. The following message was sent to Mr. Cleveland at New York:

"The largest Democratic state convention in our party's history has elected a unanimous Cleveland delegation and instructed it to vote for you at first, and in this action the delegation will express the exact sentiment of the Michigan Democracy, which is for Cleveland and victory.

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Maryland to Support Harrison.

BALTIMORE, May 5.—Maryland Republicans in state convention declared for President Harrison's renomination, and the four delegates at large to Minneapolis were instructed to cast their votes for him. The four delegates at large are James A. Gary, ex-Congressman Louis E. McComas, Major Alexander Shaw and Colonel Thomas S. Hudson.

Maryland for Gorman.

BALTIMORE, May 5.—The Democratic state central committee decided upon Wednesday, June 8, for the state convention. Nearly every member of the committee and the congressmen present expressed themselves as favoring an uninstructed delegation to Chicago, and intimated that Gorman would be the nominee.

Depew Is for Harrison.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Chauncey M. Depew, *who is here, says: "I am glad to say that I* am not an aspirant for the renomination of President Harrison. I believe that the majority of our delegates favor his renomination. I believe he will be nominated."

Commending Blaine and Reed.

PORTLAND, Me., May 5.—The First district Republican convention held here selected as delegates to Minneapolis Charles F. Libby and Charles M. Moses. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the tariff law of 1890 and commending Blaine and Reed.

Illinois Republicans for Harrison.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 5.—The Republican state convention will heartily indorse President Harrison's administration. Three of the delegates at large will probably be ex-Governor Oglesby, Senator Cullom and Governor Fifer.

Mayor Price Re-elected.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., May 5.—At the city election Mayor Price was re-elected over Ebenezer Green, the regular Republican candidate. Price is a Republican, but was elected on a fusion ticket of Democrats and Independents.

Wisconsin in the Cleveland Column.

MILWAUKEE, May 5.—The Democratic convention directs the delegates to Chicago to vote as a unit on all subjects and candidates," and expresses the "desire" that they should use all honorable means to nominate Cleveland.

Tennessee Republicans Meet.

NASHVILLE, May 5.—The largest Republican convention held in Tennessee in years assembled here, the great majority of the delegates being white. George W. Winstead was nominated for governor.

Harvard's New Professor.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 5.—Professor Hugo Munsterberg, of Baden, has been appointed to the philosophy chair at Harvard. Dr. Munsterberg has a world wide reputation as an experimental psychologist.

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WARRENSBURG, Mo., May 5.—At Knob Noster Jennie Mitchell and Sylvia Gedney were killed by a passenger train on the Missouri Pacific railroad.

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Leave Somerville at 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m., 12.30 night.
PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.
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PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.
Leave Plainfield at 9.05 a. m., 1.35, 5.20 p. m.
WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
8.15 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
9.05 a. m. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
9.17 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9.05 a. m. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
1.35 p. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Lock Haven, Renovo, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Lock Haven, Renovo, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Sunbury, etc. Through coach to Williamsport.
5.05 p. m. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Lock Haven, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport and Renovo.
6.20 p. m. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Lock Haven, Renovo, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua, (porter car to Mauch Chunk).
9.05 p. m. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
9.30 p. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
1.35 a. m. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua. 9.05 a. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg.
7.27 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg.
LONG BRANCH (URSAN GROVE, ETC).
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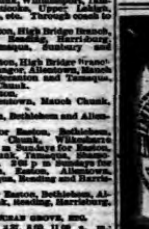

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A HOUSEKEEPER SHOULD HAVE PLENTY OF USEFUL TOOLS.

A carpenter would not think of trying to work without a good supply of tools, and why should a housekeeper? By this I do not mean that she should have five or six different kinds of lemon squeezers and then squeeze her lemons with her fingers, or three or four potato mashers and then serve the potatoes whole. Neither do I want her to have her pantry filled with steamers, cookers, broilers and kettles that are never used—but to have plenty of useful tools.

I have found that I can live without a soup shaker. I have tried it. I use instead a little washing powder in my dishwater. That will show how much is me, also what kind is best. It makes the water so much softer and seems cleaner than soap, and gives soft silver look as bright that you will like to look at them. The bits of soap that would go into the soap shaker can be used in the boiler on washing. And the power will not blow your hands, for of course you use a handle dishmop, at least, while the water is hot. The dishcloth without the handle, the one that is made of an old discloved, is always wearing out and getting dirty. Anyway, mine is, or was, for I have found a remedy. I buy a yard of crash toweling—it is quite thick and strong—and cut it into halves; I then hem both pieces, and there are two dishcloths that will last three or four months apiece.

The tool I find useful in the kitchen is an artist's palette knife. It is very limber and is not suitable for rough work, but in certain places it has no equal. How discouraging it is to try to scrape a bread bowl or a soiled plate with a knife that is so stiff that it is utterly impossible to bend it and get at the corners and curves. A palette knife is so pliable that you can scrape the bottom as well as the sides and you do not feel as though you were scratching the dish all to pieces. The price is not very high; twenty cents will buy one. How can a woman pare potatoes and other vegetables with an old, dull knife that has nicks all along the edge and not complain? It is a very simple thing to use an emery stick, and it is really a pleasure to pare a potato with a sharp knife.—Rural New Yorker

The Destructive Broom.

I don't suppose I will receive much backing from lady readers when I assert that not one woman in a hundred knows how to sweep! Nevertheless it is a fact. When a woman sweeps she holds the broom at an angle that brings one corner of the brush on the floor and then pushes it forward with all her might, giving it a kind of a flirt at the end of the stroke that throws the dust and dirt into the air. The heavier particles of dirt she finally captures in one corner of the room and gets most of it into the dustpan, - the lighter—and main portion—flies into the air and soon settles on the floor, furniture and walls. Then madam "dusts" the room and knocks a good deal of the dirt of its resting places and it returns to its old quarters on the floor.

Now any woman who has watched the process will say that I have told the plain truth. Look at a broom after it has been woman-used for a few weeks! One corner turned up and sticking out like a sleigh runner, the whole brush lopsided, ruined! The right way to sweep is to hold the broom with its brush square on the floor and a little sideways, the body of the sweeper. Bring it forward with a regular, steady movement, and stop its forward motion before the ends of the brush catch in the carpet and stick out like an angle to throw dirt in the air. "Persuade" the dirt to advance, and don't try to scare it. Act as if you were pushing it along, but not as if you were pitching hay. Turn the broom over occasionally so as to wear it evenly, and your broom, furniture and carpets will last longer, and so will you, for the labor won't be half so great and the satisfaction will be three times as great. When it comes to dusting—for even with proper sweeping some dust will arise—don't use a feather duster, an old turkey tail or some such abomination, but take a cloth and wipe up the dust, not flirt it off on the floor again. Try a scientific sweep once, and you will not go back to the old way again. —Cor. Stockman.

Let the Girls Romp.

Most mothers have a dread of romps, so they lecture the girls daily on the proprieties and exhort them to be little ladies. They like to see them so, and so they are *little and as prim as possible. The lot of* such children is rather pitiable, for they are deprived of the fun and frolic which they are entitled to. Children—boys and girls—must have exercise to keep them healthy. Deprive them of it and they will fade away like flowers without sunshine.

Running, racing, skipping, climbing—these are the things that strengthen the muscles, expand the chest and build up the nerves. The mild dose of exercise taken in the nursery with calisthenics or gymnastics will not invigorate the system like a good romp in the open air. Mothers, however, who control their little girls to play very quietly make a mistake. Better the laughing, rosy cheeked, romping girl than the pale, lily faced one who is called very much a lady.

The latter rarely breaks things, or tears her dresses, or tries her mother's patience by wearing out her shoes, but what is the tearing and breaking amount to? It is not a wise policy to put an old head on young shoulders. Childhood is the time for childish pains and pleasures. The girls grow into womanhood soon enough. Let them be children as long as possible, and also give them plenty of fresh air and sunlight.—Journal of Health.

They Need Good Food.

Don't be too frantically economical Morbid conscientiousness is almost as bad as lack of conscience, and lots of people who spend their lives in a hard, unequal effort to save a few cents or even a few dollars seem to forget that they themselves, their energy, youth, freshness and health are precious commodities which are uneconomized over so much more rigidly than anything else in the world. Don't economize on food; get the best, not necessarily the costly cuts of meat or of vegetables, the best quality, sound, juicy meat, strong soups, wholesome vegetables and a sufficient variety in everything to keep nature in good spirits and vigorous. Even if you are a family of women prepare all meals as if men were expected, that will insure less tea, pastry and pie and more of the elements needful to build up brain and body.

It is a great mistake to fancy that women do not need these elements as much as men; as a matter of fact, they need them more, for the woman's nervous energy uses up tissue and vitality faster than she can possibly provide for it, and the various small ailments and pains of the day are as much force to meet them as the greater outdoor exertion of the more hard worked men, and the only means on earth to keep up a reserve force is to have it. Many a woman wears herself to a shadow while their husbands are getting fat and jolly in that all men take care of themselves and all women don't.—New York Press.

A Gifted Woman.

The hold enjoyed by one unobtrusive individual upon those among us who know her is something phenomenal. None name her but to praise her, and she has the warmest corner of every heart that comes her way. Now, what is the secret of her great good fortune?

It is not personal beauty, surely, and she has no alluring graces and tricks of manner. Her mission is good and her breeding unquestioned, but this is true of many of her associates who make no warm friends. How is it done? Merely by this rare woman's phenomenal self effacement. One hardly notices that she never tells anything concerning her own home or her affairs. People are so used to telling her of theirs. And it is like talking to one's other self. She never seems bored, and she follows one's confidences by tender, sympathetic questions indicating that her interest in the subject is not exhausted and that she would gladly hear more.

She is simpatica, and she holds all confidences inviolable. In consequence, she is esteemed by a choice circle of friends as the "heart's dearest," and her society is always in demand by those who do not in the least understand her hold upon them. Self effacement really brings aggrandizement to this woman gifted of the gods.—Georgia A. Peck in Boston Commonwealth.

Women in England's Civil Service.

The position held by the postmistress of Gilford is worth only a year. Miss Cresswell became superintendent of the government telegraph office about fourteen years ago, and for the last five years she has had sole control of the postoffice, with a large staff, male and female, and branches at Tangier, Managua and several other towns of Morocco. Only four of the colonial officials receive better pay than Miss Cresswell. She holds a unique position as a female civil servant, no other lady occupying nearly so high a position. Edith Shore, M. B., female medical officer to the London postoffice, was appointed at a salary of £380, rising to £450.

Mrs. Arundel-Collyer, superintendent of the female staff of the sorting house branch, and Miss C. M. McIntosh, superintendent of the female staff of the general order branch, have each appointed on a salary of £350, rising to £400. Miss L. F. Acworth, postmistress of Ealing, has a salary of £300 a year. In 1891 Miss Shore received £440, Mrs. Arundel-Collyer £387 and Miss McIntosh £313. In the savings bank department Miss M. C. Smith was appointed at £250, rising by annual steps to £400, and received in 1891 £300. The total staff of the postoffice on March 31, 1891, included 117,099 officials, of whom 24,963 were women.—London Tit-Bits.

Fashion Repeats Itself.

How true it is that in costume, as in everything else, history repeats itself! We find tight lacing in vogue eight centuries ago, and a small waist was considered a beauty in the days of William Rufus and Henry I. The girdle was always an important part of women's costume in early times, and could be tightened at pleasure. The Greeks had a method of fastening the tunic with something remotely resembling the Swiss bodice, laced in front, which also gave opportunities for contracting the body out of its natural shape.

The sleeves accompanying the Saxon tunic were made in a series of rolls, finished off with a little frill at the wrist, and served also the purpose of gloves (before these useful articles were invented), being full and long, so that they could be pulled over the hands. In the Twelfth century they were cut in different ways; some times tight to the wrist and sometimes very wide and long, sometimes open at the front, and the long veils which were the badge of the ladies of quality were fastened with gold pins.—Notes and Queries.

Selfishness of Some Mothers.

"The selfishness of mothers," says the wife of a physician, "is something that should be inveighed against. I speak with special reference to it in times of disease. There is a case of scarlet fever on one block in a house which fronts on the other street, and now that the child is getting well the mother, or nurse, is so careless as to shake the bedding daily from the window of the sickroom. The contagion to the health of the whole court of children, as nobody knows into whose windows the dis ended will be taken next day.

"Another mother of a convalescent scarlet fever child, also in our block, had all the belongings of the room removed to the yard and beaten and aired, capping the climax by burning the little crib mattress in the same confined space. Mothers seem to get callous after the danger is past for their own offspring, and often show a lack of consideration they would be the first to grow indignant over if the case were reversed."—Her Point of View in New York Times.

Where a Baby Ought to Sit.

The high chairs used for young children are injurious. A bar is placed across the front of the chair to prevent the little one from falling out, and the little one leans the body and arms to get at the playthings on the table in front. The chest is then pressed inward against the bar, the shoulders are drawn forward with the unequal pressure, the head falls forward, and the muscles of the back are elongated and weakened.

The baby, too, resting on the board placed underneath to support them are cramped, and the child is actually forced into a bad and unhealthy position. A rug on the floor is the best place for a small child to play, and it should be allowed to roll about as much as it likes. As it grows bigger it now and then, when tired of its own, can be provided; if it falls off that chair no harm will be done, but to fasten a child in one position may produce serious evil.—Cor. Baby.

Temperature for a Piano.

The most serious injuries that befall pianos are usually the results of temperature; either it is too dry or too damp. The incompetent servant will not open, but the excuses of hot air or moisture do more harm than all the tuners alive. From careful observation it is safe to say that 90 per cent. of the pianos sold last—ladies have, after the first year, one or more cracks in their sounding boards. If your house is heated by stoves put the instrument in a room which is not heated, in one that is heated from an adjoining room. If you have steam or furnace or any of the other modern methods of heating, your piano will do better if kept in a room that is not quite warm enough for comfort.—Interview with a Pianomaker.

Mrs. Livermore as a Reporter.

Mrs. Livermore was probably one of the first women reporters. At the national Republican convention which nominated Abraham Lincoln she was present at the pressing. When she took her seat at the reporter's table it was with great surprise that she found herself the only woman there. It was equally surprising to the chairman of the convention, who, refusing to listen to any explanation, said she must go into the galleries with the rest of the women folk. Mrs. Livermore, however, contemptuously sat down and commenced to write, but it was not until one of the other reporters went on the stage and explained the matter to the chairman that she received formal permission to remain.—Chicago Woman's News.

Use Crape Instead of a Brush.

A bit of old crape is the very best thing for dusting one's gowns. The ordinary brush used for the purpose is death and destruction to silk, necessitating the use of the soft materials in use nowadays. Brush every particle of dust off with the crape, whose corrugated surface will make the job an easy one, and if there is a good deal of brushing used in the trimming, lay between sheets of tissue paper, where nothing will rub against it; for possessors the with some of the less inviting, or with the gloss gone, is the most distressing spectacle imaginable. If a brush must be used, get a soft camel's hair one, and use it with a light, quick motion as sparingly as possible.

Hair of American Women Is Valuable.

Dealers in human hair recall the instructive fact that the panic of 1873-4 suddenly stimulated the trade among the French Canadians. The hardships of that period drove the women to selling their hair, and considerable quantities were sent to the United States. At no time have the women of this country been pressed to the necessity of selling their locks, although the great variety of color and texture, resulting from the mixture of various nationalities, would give hair from the heads of American women a peculiar value.—New York Sun.

Practical Economy.

"Really, Emily, our household expenses are growing at a most alarming rate." "But I keep them down all I can, George. Just think how the price of everything is going up." "But, then, your extravagance. Only last week you bought a new bonnet." "Oh, that has nothing to do with it! I saved that out of my housekeeping money."—London Public Opinion.

She Tastes Dishes.

Perhaps the most curious occupation conceived by women is that of dinner tester. She is a product of Parisian refinement and yet will be found in this country. She spends a part of each day in visiting houses and tasting the dishes intended for dinner. She suggests improvement and knows the cook new ways of preparing dishes.—Exchange.

Ink Stains on Carpets.

To remove freshly spilled ink on carpets, first take up as much as possible of the ink with a teaspoon. Then pour cold, sweet milk upon the spot and take up as before, pouring on milk until as last it becomes only slightly tinged with black, then wash with cold water and absorb with a cloth without too much rubbing.—New York Journal.

For Rough Hands.

To whiten the hands melt a pound of white castile soap over a fire with a little water. When melted perfume slightly with any one of the extracts, and stir in half a cupful of common oatmeal. Use this preparation when washing your hands, and you will be surprised at the improvement in their appearance.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

American Women Take Pains.

The Duke of Marlborough is, like Max O'Rell, a great admirer of the American woman, and says that "she has a natural quickness for appreciating the characters of the men around her, and she takes infinitely more pains, and in some respects greater trouble all round, than the Englishwoman displays."

Where Women Do the Work.

Most of the men in the islands of southwestern Japan lead lives of idleness and are cheerfully supported by the women. The males are fond of music, some of them being excellent musicians on various instruments, but it is considered disgraceful for a woman to play.—Yankee Blade.

The Desire to Look Pretty.

With human beings the desire to better their appearance, to look "pretty," as the wits have it, is just as laudable an ambition when carried out in good taste—as the hankering for the betterment of mind or the establishment of fortune.—Jewelers' Review.

Caroline Eschard, one of the leaders of the movement for school suffrage in Ohio, pays more taxes than any other person in the county where she lives, is a director of a bank and is connected with nearly all the important things on foot in her locality.

Mrs. William Davis, of Royalton, Pa., has a quilt which contains 10,000 silk patches. Black and garnet seem to predominate. The design is original. She also has a chaise quilt of a very pretty design, but not quite so many patches.

Women are doing successful work as photographers both in this country and in Europe. In Copenhagen one woman receives large commissions from the court, and in Stockholm another counts royalty among her patrons.

This Date in History—May 5.

1818—Napoleon, former Emperor of the emperor, born near Ajaccio, Corsica; died, Bonaparte, at Rome, Italy, one of the famous Civil Code was completed and two sons domestic manufactures will worms from China to last four months.

1862—The British captured Orleans, N. Y.

1877—Ex-President Ulysses S. Grant and Washington Territory and "original abolitionist," born near Concord, Ind.

1821—Napoleon Bonaparte, ex-emperor of the French, died on the island of St. Helena.

1818—Karl Marx, socialistic leader, born at Treves, Germany; died in London, March 14, 1883.

1862—Cavalry battle at Lebanon, Tenn.

1864—Cavalry battle at Wall Bridge, Va.

1818—Heinrich Graetz, a famous Jewish historian and Biblical critic, died, aged 72.

1878—Isaac Butt, leading Irish patriot and member of parliament, died at Dublin, aged 64.

1891—Second Polish festival and celebration of the anniversary of the Polish constitution.

The Pope has granted permission to the bishop of Indict men who have lynched Italian subjects; grave complications resulted.

Oversold It.

An eccentric clergyman in Cornwall has been much annoyed by the way the reading answers of the congregation has got of looking around to the back seats of the corners. After enduring it for some time he said on entering the reading desk one day: "Now, brethren, I request to see that your attention is called away from your religious duties by your natural desire to see who comes in behind you. I propose henceforth to serve you in the pulpit by means each person who may enter, and I hope that the services will then be allowed to proceed without interruption."

The congregation, "Dearly beloved," but paused half way to interpolate, "Mr. Stubbins, with his wife and daughter."

Mr. Stubbins looked rather surprised, but the minister, with perfect gravity, resumed his exhortation. Presently he again paused. "Mr. Curtis and William Diggle."

The abashed congregation kept their eyes studiously bent on their books. The service proceeded in the most orderly manner. The person interrupting himself every now and then by some nervous.

At last he said still with the same perfect gravity, "Mrs. Jackson in a new bonnet."

In a moment he felt his mistake, but it was too late. Every female head in the congregation had turned around.—Christian Nation.

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NELSON BUNTON,
March 28th, 1892. Executor. 4 19

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STEPHEN A. GUNNA, Administrator.
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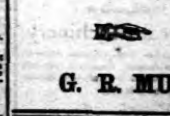

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DR. DEEMS ON "TRIFLES"

A LECTURE AT THE CASINO BY AN OLD MAN WITH A YOUNG HEART.

The Audience Kept in a Bubble of Laughter from Beginning to End—The Reporter's Dilemma. The Lecturer Wanted Here Again.

Knowing beforehand, from that prince of lecturers's well-known reputation, that the lecture by Rev. Dr. Deems, at the Casino last evening, entitled "Trifles," would be a rare treat, the writer supposed to be at least the most experienced in that line was assigned to report it fully. He was promptly on hand armed with pencils and equipped with sufficient paper for notes.

He noticed that there was a thoroughly appreciative audience, when Mr. A. G. Baldwin led Dr. Deems upon the platform and formally introduced him.

Then, as the lecturer began to tell how he fell upon seeing his name and the word "Trifles" coupled together, and reflected on the seeming incongruity of a man of his years talking on such a subject, the reporter got out his pencil and paper to make a few notes, and waited.

He began to admire the natural, easy-going manner of the speaker, his nicely-rounded sentences, his wit, his humor, his skill at illustration, and in this way unconsciously got all at sea. Like all the audience he was afloat on the waves of sound rippling with laughter. He, though all at sea, yet could not see, at least at times, for the laughter with which every one seemed infected was of the blinding sort, a laugh that brings tears to the eyes, and shakes, not exactly as if one was sitting on an earthquake or had run up against an iceberg, and was shivering in the effort to shrink away from it, but in a way peculiar to itself, and which must be enjoyed to be appreciated. And in this way, when the lecturer ended, the reporter found to his horror that he had forgotten to make a note.

Now that was no trifle, for memory, even when well trained, is at times likely to lapse. And then it occurred to the reporter that no report in cold prosaic type would give an adequate idea of all the speaker's indescribable traits, trifles in themselves, but which together wonderfully helped to give the lecture such a charm.

The reporter laughed with those who laughed. Yes, he even wept with those who wept, and finally wilted when he reflected on his dilemma.

However, something must be told of the lecture, to use up the space in this column assigned to the subject.

Let us see: In the beginning the lecturer told about how—when he had decided on "Trifles" as his subject—he began in the orthodox way to hunt up the meaning of the word. That seemed a trifling matter, and yet he couldn't find two authorities to agree on it. In fact, when you come to think of it, how many of us know the exact meaning of half the words we use? Even the editors, preachers and lawyers know *that* is no trifling matter. Ask that young maiden before me the meaning of the word "Love." Here the speaker seemed looking at some one in particular of the many lovely Plainfield young maidens before him, and everybody looked laughingly to see who it was, but of course, no one could tell.

Webster's dictionary—that great American authority—told me the word meant "a thing of little value." Just think of my coming all the way from New York, tired as I am, to take up an hour's time of such a refined audience as this, talking to them about "a thing of little value?" I wasn't satisfied. I consulted Worcester, and he treated me even worse, for he said it was "a thing of no moment."

Well, I didn't despair. I reasoned that my one could talk on a subject of great value. I would just see what I could do with "a thing of little value."

All things are great by comparison and if you compare the great things of life with the little things you will find the little things in the majority.

Then the little things can exist without the great things, but the great things can't exist without the little things. The little drops of water can exist without the great ocean, but the ocean can't exist without the drops of water. The grains of sand can exist without the mountain, but not the mountain without the grains of sand. So it is with men. The man who digs can exist without the man of wealth, but the man of wealth must depend upon the man who digs.

Then, when you come to look at the matter, just see the great care God has bestowed on the little things.

Take the boat fly for instance. See how quickly this minute insect can propel itself across a pond. Compare the greatest work of man. Why if one of those great Cunarders could move over the ocean with a speed proportionate to the fly as compared with the boat fly, it could keep directly under the sun in its course, and just go with the earth revolving in the opposite direction.

Or, take the flea. You may know something about fleas. I assure you that I do. I have seen troops of them in the grand Roman palaces hop with impunity from the floor to the legs of the nobles. Yet, what a little thing it is. Physically I am a giant compared with the dwarfs Stanley found in Africa, though I am rather short compared with many of the men I have met here in Plainfield. [This point can be better appreciated when it is known that the doctor, who is about five six inches high, was, when he delivered the ball, surrounded and cordially greeted by a company of Plainfield gentlemen, nearly every one of whom was six feet or over, among them Mr. George H. Babcock, and Col. Mason W. Tyler. The audience "saw" and a fresh burst of laughter followed.]

Well, and he, what is one of those fleas in size compared to even a dwarf? Yet, if I could move proportionately as the flea, I need not, in my tired condition, have run down to the Liberty street ferry, and taken nearly an hour in the car to reach here. I could have stood at my doorstep and scarcely exerted myself to land instantly at this place in Plainfield. Indeed but little exertion would land me in Easton.

The speaker continued in this strain for an hour, comparing the growth of the silk worm and that of man, showing the great effects arising from trifling causes in the arts and sciences, and in national and individual history.

Under the latter head the audience was at times fairly convulsed at his illustrations, and when he was about to stop, there was a general shout of "go on! go on."

His conclusion was that all life was made up of trifles, and that great health, wealth and happiness came to those who did not neglect the trifles.

Then he had finished he was warmly complimented, and a vote of thanks to him, "We must have you here again," and we will give you a larger audience."

The doctor said, "Well, I have a lecture entitled 'Before and After Marriage,' that sometimes is pleased, and maybe I can give you that some time."

Everybody hoped he would, as he was taken off the platform at the house of Mr. Lemuel W. Serrell, on West Front street, where as Mr. Serrell's guest he remained during the night, returning to New York this morning.

BREVITIES

—Borough Council meeting to-night.

—Reunion of 12th N. J. Veterans at Morristown, May 12.

—A break in the fire alarm wires this morning caused the fire whistle to blow.

—The State Experiment Station recommends nitrate of soda as a fertilizer for tomatoes.

—The dog-catcher had two beautiful pet pups this morning which he took to the pound.

—The Board of Assessors met yesterday afternoon. Mr. John McGrath has been elected chairman.

—The Young Men's Auxiliary reception at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening was well attended and much enjoyed.

—The Union County Board of Freeholders were in session yesterday. The new board will organize on Tuesday next.

—Edward Wilson of this city went fishing in the New Market pond last evening. He returned to Plainfield this morning with seventy-four catfish.

—The choir connected with St. Mary's church was entertained at a supper last evening by the ladies connected with the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum.

—Mr. J. D. Smith, the contractor, yesterday broke ground for the beautiful new residence which ex Councilman J. B. Dumont proposes erecting on East Seventh street.

—The regular examination for second grade teachers' certificates for Union county will be held in the Prospect street school, Westfield, to-day and will continue to-morrow.

—The United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association is conducting a bankrupt sale of groceries at the corner of Madison Avenue and Second street. They say everything is bargain.

—There will be a reception tendered to the members of the educational classes of the Y. M. C. A. at their rooms next Tuesday evening. Mayor Gilbert will address those present.

—The days grow about two minutes longer in each twenty-four hours this month. The minutes are added to each end of the day, but most people will observe the difference only at one end.

—Two small boys engaged in a fistic encounter on Grove street at about noon to-day. They fought for some time before they could be parted. Both of the young pugilists showed the effects of the battle.

—The practice of setting out strawberries in pots, when forming new beds, is now much more common than it was. Pots are placed about the old plant, sunk in the ground and filled with good soil. In this the runners are conducted as they grow.

—In another column Mr. A. G. Vogeler, the West Front street butcher, announces that he is now prepared to serve the public with all kinds of cooked meats, including corned beef, roast ham, roast veal, pickled pigs feet, etc. He has also on hand all kinds of fresh meats.

—Now it is the Plainfield coal dealers whose attempts are being made to force into a combine according to a story current. The ice dealers seem to have been brought to terms a few days ago. It was claimed that they had the alternative of joining to get prices enough to pay them any return for their work, or being driven out of the market through being undersold.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded in the Somerset County Clerk's office this week:

Reamer W. Mahaffee to George W. Demean, North Plainfield, $1,000.00. George W. DeMean to Mary E. Mahaffee, North Plainfield, $1,000.00

Lost, Strayed or ——

Mr. George R. Cornwell had a fine lady's Columbia safety last evening. Some one else has it now. A reward is offered elsewhere for its return. It disappeared from its resting place in front of the Y. M. C. A. while he was in the rooms attending a directors' meeting.

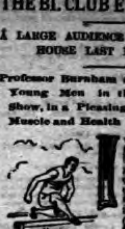
An Engine Disabled.

At about half-past two o'clock Wednesday afternoon Engine No. 126, driving a coal train bound west, broke a pin in one of the driving wheels and bent both rods, disabling it for three hours. All west bound trains were compelled to run on the fourth track.

THE BL CLUB ENTERTAIN

A LARGE AUDIENCE AT THE CLUB HOUSE LAST EVENING.

Professor Burnham and a Class of Young Men in the Gymnasium Show, in a Pleasing Manner, How Muscle and Health are Cultivated.



In the gymnasium of the Bicycle Club on Sycamore street, last evening, the members entertained a select audience, numbering about three hundred, to an "athletic evening." The audience seemed to thoroughly enjoy it.

The professor, Mr. A. C. Burnham, who, by the way, is exceedingly and justly popular with the members, after putting the class through the calisthenics had them do statuesque pyramids, humorous "ring arounds" and tumbling pyramids, which were all heartily applauded.

The special class work, boxing and wrestling, were also very interesting.

The professor and Mr. Joe Sandford, Messrs. Costelas and Rockwell wrestled (Graeco-Roman) and Messrs. Ed. French and Lew Walz boxed.

The fencing which was announced on the programme was not forthcoming, because one of the fencers a few days ago injured his wrist.

"Magic ladders" ended the entertainment.

Several members were unable to participate for various good reasons, but the class presented a most pleasing appearance as they marched about, erect, sinewy, agile and healthy looking young men, all of them.

The following members are in the class:

Elliott Burr,	V. C. Kirchoff
H. W. Beebe,	James P. Murray,
V. W. Baker,	Geo. E. Mellick,
J. A. Costelas,	H. D. Morrison,
John B. Drayton	H. T. Pelletier,
J. F. Dickson,	A. V. Rockwell,
E. V. French,	J. W. Sandford,
Wm. Gilbert,	E. H. Van Buren,
	E. L. Walz, Jr.

This being the first time the class has exhibited, the professor explained that the audience would only see the regular class work.

The number of those who took part are also members of the Melopola and the rehearsals of the latter society for its recent concert interfered with the practice of the class, occurring the same nights, but in spite of that, however, no "breaks" were shown.

The Committee on Entertainment was Mr. H. W. Beebe, chairman; Mr. A. A. Tilney, Mr. George P. Mellick.

THE MAY WALK.

The German's of this City to Watch the Sun Rise Sunday.

At four o'clock Sunday morning the Germans of this city will go on their annual May walk. They will leave Plainfield at four o'clock a. m. and will go to Washington Rock, from that point they will watch the rising of the sun. They will then proceed further into the mountains to a place chosen by a committee and spend the day, which will be given up to feasting and games.

It is thought that a large number of the Germans of the city will participate in the walk. The members of the Gesang and Turning Society will turn out in a body. It is an old German custom.

The men walk up in the morning and their wives, families and sweethearts follow during the day.

New Officers.

At the regular meeting of the Union County Branch of the State Charities Aid Association held in the Y. M. C. A. parlors on Wednesday evening the following officers and executive committee were elected:

President—Mr. Henry B. Newhall.

Vice President—Rev. F. McAllister.

Secretary—Miss E. R. Leonard.

Treasurer—Mrs. Wm. Myers.

Executive Committee Mr. Howard Richards, Mrs. Dexter Tiffany, Mrs. Joseph Yates. Mr. E. B. Clark, Rev. James Nource, Rev. Hobart Clark, Mr. J. A. Dix, Mrs. Nelson Trimble and Mr. David P. Hall.

Steebe's $5,000 Suit.

The suit of Joseph Steebe of Elizabeth, against John Edgerton of Linden Township for $5,000 damages for the death of Steebe's son, who was bitten by a shepherd dog belonging to the defendant and died six weeks later of hydrophobia, occupied all of yesterday in the Union County Court. The jury retired at five o'clock, and at nine o'clock agreed on $400 for the plaintiff.

A Big Bicycle Race.

There will be a 100 mile race between Philadelphia and Newark on May 15. It will take the place of the Century run and the first prize will be a pneumatic safety racer.

PERSONAL.

At the Park Club reception last evening, a select few were present.

The Saturday Afternoon Dancing Class, held their evening soiree, at Miss Newton's Seminary this evening at eight o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cadmus of this city have returned to their home on Plainfield avenue, after a pleasant sojourn at Albany, N. Y.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

THE BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION WILL CELEBRATE IT.

It will be Held in New Brunswick May 11th and 12th—Prominent Baptist Ministers will Address the Meetings—Delegates Expected from all Parts of the State.

Active preparations are being made by the members of the Remsen avenue Baptist church of New Brunswick for the celebration of the first anniversary of the Baptist Young People's Union of New Jersey at New Brunswick on May 11 and 12.

An extended programme has been prepared and a number of prominent Baptist ministers will probably address the meetings. The address of welcome Wednesday afternoon, May 11, will be delivered by Rev. M. V. McDonald of New Brunswick. Mr. H. B. Ayers of Ocean Grove will read a paper, and a reading talk on the "Power of the Spirit" is promised by Rev. N. M. Fogarty, D. D., of New Brunswick. Miss Ida Bowen of Elizabeth will speak Thursday morning, and Rev. G. H. Gerdner of South River, will read a paper on "Christian Giving" that day afternoon.

A large chorus choir under the efficient leadership of Mr. John Wilcox, assisted by Mrs. M. S. Bolce as organist, will make the singing very attractive and a pleasant feature of the exercises.

Delegates are expected from all parts of the State and will be entertained free of expense by members of both Baptist churches.

Members of the local churches of other denominations and the public at large will be cordially welcomed as all of the public meetings. Delegates must expect the exercises and remarks of the various speakers to give prominence to Baptist principles.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will sell special excursion tickets on the certificate plan. Certificate blanks may be secured on application to Mr. W. H. Rose, 388 George street, New Brunswick, Secretary of Anniversary Committee.

The Young People's Union embraces societies in all of the Baptist churches throughout the State. It was organized in Newark in May, 1891, with a membership of 800, societies which has grown to over 70 societies now enrolled.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

He Ought to Have Been at the Tax Sale.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—I notice in an extract in a late issue of THE NEWS, in reference to the sale of land for taxes the statement that a virginitillionth was the smallest portion to be conceived or named. Please allow me to treat Friend Klopsch's puny ideas a little beyond his supposed jumping-off place.

Virginitillions occupies the 22 period, counting three figures each time for a period.

Next period anvinginitillions, 24 duo-vinginitillions, 26 trevinginitillions, 28 quadro-ginitillions, 30 quin-ginitillions, 32 sexaginitillions, 34 septen-ginitillions, 36 octoginitillions, 38 nonginitillions, 100 centillions, 1,0003 millions.

Now how about bidding for one-millionth of a millillionth of an organism, there being two millionth separate organisms in a cubic foot of water?

TRACHER CAMPBELL.

UNDER THE WHEELS.

A Plainfield Peddler Crushed by an Elizabeth Street Car.

Shortly before three o'clock Wednesday afternoon Samuel Goff of this city boarded a downtown street car at the Union depot, Elizabeth. He was standing on the front platform when the car proceeded down Front street, and when the car was passing Newman's store Goff lost his balance in some unaccountable manner and fell off the car and underneath the wheels.

Both wheels of the car passed over his body before the horses could be stopped. Goff, who lives at 109 West Second street, this city, was picked up in a semi-conscious condition and conveyed to the hospital. Examination showed that two of his ribs were broken and a number of contusions were also found. He is resting easy to-day and no serious indications have developed.

List of Advertised Letters.

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending May 3d, 1892:

Burgoyne, Miss B	Morris, E
Conner, Mrs Geo W	Miller, Booth D
Cash, Mrs Anna	Otis, Mrs Harriet
Cuane, James	Pryor, Mrs Lizzie
Church, Mrs L A	Pompey, Mrs S J
Colie, Miss	Quinn, Mrs R A
Cahill, Miss Mamie	Quinn, Mrs R A
Cook, Mrs	Rogers, John
Farrar, Miss C E	Richardson, Miss J V
Prescella, Gustano	Stokes, Miss Eliza G
Gorniskki, Antoni	Stokes, Miss Eliza G
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Giles, Mary E	Thomas, Helen
Hoffman, Maggie B	Thompson, Geo Co
Holmes, Geo J	Tune, Mrs E M
Lynch, Mrs	Tune, Mrs E M
Lockwood, Mrs V	Williams, Elizabeth
Lord, Mrs A	Wallace, Mrs Sallie
Majors, Joseph	Wilson, Sadie
	Yanos, Najesar

Persons calling for the above please say advertised. E. E. Pope, Postmaster.

The Object of the Meeting.

The object of the meeting of the alumni of the High school Tuesday evening, is to consider a reunion of all the classes, from first to last, which have been at one time or another under Miss Bulkley's supervision, and has nothing to do with the graduation reception held every year, after commencement exercises.

Epworth League Mock Trial.

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church will hold a mock trial this evening at eight o'clock in Vincent chapel.

"Judge" Anglesman will preside and try the case of Davis vs. Carson who is charged with stealing a black silk hat valued at $26.98. All young people are invited.

The Weather.

Generally fair; cloudy to partly cloudy, with rain and nearly stationary temperature, followed by cooler and clearing weather.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

GREAT FLOODS IN THE WEST.

Trains on the Rock Island Abandoned—Track of the St. Joseph Swept Away.

CHICAGO, May 6th. (Special.)—No trains were sent out last night by the Santa Fe or the Rock Island on account of the floods. All the other Western roads were crippled in various places.

Another English Railway Outrage.

LONDON, May 6.—(Special.)—The last victim of the compartment system is a dressmaker named Amy Faulkner, and from present indications her assailant, if arrested, will have to answer a charge of murder.

Rose was walking along the railway near Leeds found a woman lying near the rails.

She was just able to state that she had been assaulted in the compartment of a railway carriage and then thrown headlong from the carriage.

The train was running at full speed and her injuries were sustained by her being thrown from the train.

The police are looking for her assailant, but there is little hope of his being caught.

A $200,000 Fire Destroys a Big Slaughter House.

NEW YORK, May 6th, (Special.)—The great East side slaughter house of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger on First avenue, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets, was wrecked by fire this morning. The fat rendling establishment, the ice house and other buildings nearest the river were entirely destroyed. All the cattle and sheep on the roof that were in the building or grounds were driven out in safety, but a large quantity of slaughtered sheep was destroyed.

Double Funeral Instead of Wedding.

SUTARE, Ia., May 6th. (Special.)—Charles Van Arten and Minnie Goff, living a few miles from here, were engaged to be married. They tried to ford Beaver Creek Sunday night. They could not see it was out of its banks, because of the darkness, and drove in and were drowned. Their bodies were recovered and interred yesterday afternoon.

A Calculation in Wages.

Hire a man to work at the rate of one cent for the first month and then agree to double pay at the end of each of the following months for a term of three years and see how greatly you will be surprised when he calls for his wages. Here are the figures in a nutshell. First month, 1 cent; second, 2; third, 4; fourth, 8; fifth, 16; sixth, 32; seventh, 64; eighth, $1.28; ninth, $2.56; tenth, $5.12; eleventh, $10.24; twelfth, $20.48; thirteenth, $40.96; fourteenth, $81.92; fifteenth, $163.84; sixteenth, $327.68; seventeenth, $655.36; eighteenth, $1,311.72; nineteenth, $2,623.44; twentieth, $5,242.88; twenty-first, $10,485.76; twenty-second, $20,971.52; twenty-third, $41,943.04; twenty-fourth, $83,886.08; twenty-fifth, $167,772.16; twenty-sixth, $335,544.32; twenty-seventh, $671,088.64; twenty-eighth, $1,342,177.28; twenty-ninth, $2,684,354.56; thirtieth, $5,368,709.12; thirty-first, $10,737,418.24; thirty-second, $21,474,836.48; thirty-third, $42,949,672.96; thirty-fourth, $85,899,345.92; thirty-fifth, $171,798,691.84; thirty-sixth, $343,597,383.68. Grand total of the thirty-six months' or three year's salary, $687,194,767.35.

The Tariff Helps Everywhere.

[From Southern Progress, Norfolk, Va.]

Free traders say that the protective tariff shuts out of foreign markets. They said we would never sell anything abroad under the new tariff law, and a great many people believed them. Others believed the statement in the election of 1890. They won't believe it in election of 1892.

Shut us out of foreign markets! Why we have had a trade during the beginning of the government as we had in the eighteen months under the tariff law of 1890. We never sold so many products to Europe in any eighteen months, from the administration of George Washington down, as during the first eighteen months, since the McKinley tariff law has been in operation.

In those seven months we have sold to Europe, under the protective tariff, $10,000,000 more of breadstuffs products than we have bought of European producers. Europe has paid us $151,000,000 in gold in payment of the balance of trade in our favor in the last twelve months.

Monday's Gale

West Point falls in line with the Administration and orders

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for breakfast for the future defenders of the country.

Clever little Product.

IF YOU WANT FINE ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER Cheese, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at 224 NORTH AVENUE. Also on hand canned goods, pickles, etc. THOS. CARTY. 11 10*

DON'T COOK YOUR MEAT.

Buy it cooked. Ready for the table. A. G. Vogeler, the West Front street butcher, now sells all kinds of cooked meat, including cooked corn-beef, roast ham, roast veal, pickled pig's feet, etc.

All Kinds of Fresh Meat Also on Hand.

17 WEST FRONT STREET.

WHEN YOU WANT CLOTHING

CALL AND EXAMINE the fine stock at Werner's Clothing House, 20 WEST FRONT STREET.

Suits made to order from a fine line of goods for $15 and Upwards. Cut by a First-class cutter.

BARGAINS! Bankrupt Stock of Groceries! Purchased by the United Tea & Coffee Growers' Association, at 63 West Front street, corner Madison avenue. At 25 per Cent. Below Original Cost.

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

In compliance with an ORDINANCE just passed by the City Fathers, every Bicycle must be equipped with LAMP AND BELL, under penalty of $20 fine. A large and complete assortment of Cycling goods can always be found at the Wheelmen's Headquarters, Corner PARK AVE. and FOURTH ST. FRANK L. C. MARTIN.

Cents-Word Column.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

COACHMAN, experienced driver, wishes situation. Thoroughly understands his business. Has best of references. Address 1 Box L. M. French, Somerset street. 6-7

HELP WANTED.

A DRESSMAKER wants a competent forewoman. Only experienced women need apply. Address "B," care of Evening News. 1 6-8

WANTED—A competent chambermaid and waitress. Apply at 16 Franklin place. 5 6*

WANTED—For general housework, a good girl, washing and ironing. Swedish or german preferred. Apply 24 Central avenue. 2 5

WANTED—Girl for general housework. With or without washing. 20 Washington avenue. 5 7

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST or stolen—Ladies' Columbia Bicycle No. 2240. Suitable reward will be paid on return to Geo. R. Cornwell, 33 Washington street. 5 6

BOARDERS WANTED.

AT 19 Craig place, furnished rooms with board. Table boarders accommodated. 5 5 tm

FOR RENT.

TO RENT—Until October 1st, stable in good condition. Apply at Mansford avenue or R. C. Mulford for information. 3 5*

FOR SALE.

CARRIAGES at manufacturer's prices for cash at 31 Sayre & Smith's Block. 25-6*

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased on Mansford avenue, Plainfield street. Address R. F. M. Chase, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to R. C. Mulford, real estate agent, Park Row and 120 Nassau street, New York. 2 12tf

FOR SALE—A new Remington typewriter No. 2. Owner obliged to leave city on account of ill health. Address "Locke," care Evening News. 5 5

FOR SALE — Grass sod. Cheaper than grass seed. John Barry, 503. 4-6-4f

VAN EMBURG & WHITE put on sale a good grade of carpets [illegible] Colors, tans and black. Price 25 cts. real value 37.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A GENTLEMAN and wife wish to find a pretty location in large private family, where they can have two large rooms, unfurnished, with board when required, and a home and comfort. Permanent position can be stated. Address "C," care Evening News. 6 2

GARDEN-WORK done, lawns cared for, flowers by the day, shearing sheep, grass gardener. Call 39 East Second street. 5 5

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order, bought and sold. Call Fourteen stores, 11 Somerset street. 3-30tf

WANTED—A small house of about seven rooms, with large lot of ground. Will pay spot cash for suitable place. Address "Buyer," care of Evening News. 4 5

WANTED—For the next 30 days every water closets to clean at three dollars each. Borough only. John Berry, Box 503. 4-4-tf

MUSIC HALL! TO-NIGHT!

Bonnie Kate Castleton handling Cosgrove & Grant's comedians, in the whirlwind of laughter,

"THE DAZZLER."

Under the direction of George H. Murray, with a cast of 20 fun-makers, including Jos. Ott and Lena Merville.

FULL OF GINGER—

START TO FINISH.

A Phantasie in Cork, at THE CASINO, SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 7, By members of the UNION COUNTY COUNTRY CLUB, assisted by select amateur and professional talent of New York.

Tickets One Dollar, at Reynolds' Pharmacy. 30 1w

Hallock & Davis, THE FRONT STREET HATTERS, Call your attention to their fine line of "NEGLIGE" : SHIRTS for SPRING AND SUMMER WEAR, and Gentlemen's furnishings, all at popular prices. 5 West Front St.

JUST IN! A new lot of goods at No. 61 Park Avenue.

OIL STOVES, ARNOLD COOKERS, GASSTOVES, ARNOLD COFFEE COOKERS and Oil Gas Stoves! The Oil Gas Stove is something entirely new, and everybody should see it before buying elsewhere. It is the only stove in the market that can be lighted from over; is splendid in appearance and works charmingly. Call and see it, burning all day.

M. E. BEACH, Agent.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The world goes well with the man who can eat and sleep.

Advice to farmers from the Smithsonian institution on how to get rid of grasshoppers—eat them. But the farmers will do better to collect several cartloads of this rare delicacy and send it to the professors of the Smithsonian for their own eating.

In the celebrated duel with Mr. Borrowe the coat of Mr. Modoc Fox was, to use the language of the lamented S. S. Cox, "thoroughly wounded in every respect," and so honor is satisfied. But the loyal grits were that swept the Atlantic and crossed the American continent has not yet subsided, but is now rippling the Pacific ocean.

Ravachol, the Paris anarchist, is the descendant of a family of robbers in the Netherlands. For generations this family, from father to son, belonged to an organized band of desperadoes and highwaymen. His grandfather and his great-grandfathers for two removes were hanged as murderers. Blood will tell. It is to be hoped that Ravachol leaves no children. This kind of heredity is one that ought to be stopped.

In Germany they have found that common peat yields no end of products of use to man. Among them are gas, acetic acid, paraffine, solar oil, tar and naphtha. In Sweden and North Germany the elastic fiber of peat is used in textile fabrics, it weaving readily into carpets and other articles. Peat cellulose is good for paper making and for packing material. Finally, meat, fish and other perishable goods packed in peat dust will keep fresh a long time, the dust being a preservative.

The Fresh Air Society.

The golden days have come again. The air is full of new wine, purified by the great waters, ripened by the sun. It is ours to drink our fill without price and become intoxicated with health and joy and vim. Let us throng to the source of supply. Not in the moldy brewery, the reeking wine parlor or the fetid saloon of the unwashed herd shall we find it. Under the open sky, walking beneath the trees, running races by the waters we drink the wine of life ever flowing. Do you know you throw off every hour of your life thousands of corpses fatal to human life; your own as well as other people's?

Every movement you make, every thought in your mind, causes cell changes and the death of cell lives in your body. Throw them off, or you carry with you millions of decaying corpses that fill you with disease. Breathe fresh air and you throw them out of your lungs. The more pure air you have to breathe the more corpses it will carry away. Breathe foul air, and you not only breathe in again your own decaying corpses, but those of everybody around you, with the infinite host of diseases, evil thoughts, drunkenness, shame and treachery. No wonder all the world is sick. The only wonder is that it stumbles along in blind pain as well as it does.

These are facts. Let us form a great society, like the King's Daughters, the Temperance union or a baseball league, to set them before all the world. Let the new society enter on a glorious crusade.

Chemistry and the Farmer.

Every discovery of great practical benefit to the manufacturing arts and to agriculture has been given to practical men by abstract scientific investigation. A marked case is that of the application of phosphate fertilizers. Science found by investigation that pure phosphoric acid was a constituent without which no plant could live and thrive. Moreover nineteen pounds of phosphoric acid are taken from the soil for every acre of wheat that is grown. This, too, science discovered. It was then merely a question of time when all soils that gave up their fertility thus readily would be exhausted, unless some means of parting back the phosphoric acid could be devised.

Here again science came to the aid of the practical man. It found that immense beds of phosphates existed in various parts of the world. It investigated and found means to separate the phosphoric acid from the minerals and foreign substances that held it, and force it to go into service for the farmer. This is the greatest boon as well as boom to agriculture in many a year.

The phosphoric acid largely comes from decomposing bone, animal substance and shells. Sometimes the bones are those of fossil animals that lived before the dawn of history. This kind of phosphate is found in Canada. In Florida are immense mines of fossil guano. Untold millions of tiny shellfish, too, lived and died eons ago in what is now Florida to give fertility to the soil of the American farmer, and science found them for him. In South Carolina the remains of fish mostly are the sources of the phosphates. Other deposits are found in North Carolina, Virginia and Georgia, but from South Carolina and Florida comes the largest supply. Here in our own favored country we have beds which will supply our needs for generations to come, though the need already reaches millions of tons a year.

SHERMAN IS THEIR MAN.

Report That Anti-Harrison Men Favor the Ohioan.

CARLISLE'S CLAIMS AT CHICAGO.

It Is Said That Kentucky Democrats Will Vote for Their Senator for the Presidential Nomination—Illinois Sends Her Delegation to Support Mr. Harrison.

ALBANY, May 6.—William Barnes, grandson of Thurlow Weed and Republican state committeeman here intimates in double leads in his paper, the Journal, that the anti-Harrison men in New York have united on Senator John Sherman as their candidate for the Republican nomination for president.

NEW YORK, May 6.—The Sun says: "That anti-Harrison, Ohio and the silver states are bent upon defeating the president's renomination at Minneapolis there can be no doubt whatever. They declare that the Republican party cannot win with Harrison. They believe that either Blaine or Sherman can win, and they are for a winner every time."

Minnesota Anti-Harrison.

ST. PAUL, May 6.—The platform adopted by the Republican state convention indorses protection and reciprocity; calls for legislation that will bring about an international agreement fixing a ratio between gold and silver and eulogizes the administration of President Harrison. But the convention was decidedly Blaine from start to finish. The delegation will not vote for Harrison unless his renomination is certain without the eighteen votes of Minnesota. The delegation, which is uninstructed, consists of ex-Governor John S. Pillsbury, Stanford Newel, Frank Hall and F. B. Dougherty.

"I am proud of the Republican party for the past three years," said Senator Davis in the course of his speech, "I am proud of President Harrison, but beside my friends another man whose heart has throbbed with patriotic fire ever since most of us were boys. I refer to James G. Blaine."

Illinois for Harrison.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 6.—The Illinois Republican state convention elected as delegates at large Shelby M. Cullom, Richard G. Oglesby, Joseph T. Cannon, Dr. Joseph Robbins, James H. Gilbert, Miles Kehoe, George B. Swift and Samuel B. Raymond. The platform attributes the prosperity of the nation to the McKinley tariff law; indorses President Harrison, and instructs the delegates at large to give their support for his renomination; expresses admiration for Secretary Blaine's brilliant conduct of the state department; opposes the free coinage of silver and the suppression of trusts, and demands the establishment of a postal telegraph and telephone system under the direct control of the postoffice department of the government. It pledges the party to the repeal of the compulsory education law. Governor Fifer was renominated.

Harrison and the South.

NEW YORK, May 6.—The Advertiser's Washington special says: It is well known that the men who seek to have President Harrison renominated by rallying to the delegates from Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and the two Virginias. They concede that without these delegations Harrison cannot hope for the nomination. But Harrison has announced at a cabinet meeting that if the nomination depends upon the southern votes he will not accept it. Mr. Harrison recognizes the fact that the election of southern states will elect Republican members of the electoral college if he heads the ticket, and he does not wish to owe his nomination to these barren delegations.

Rhode Island Does Not Instruct.

PROVIDENCE, May 6.—At the state Republican convention the name of President Harrison called forth applause, and that of Blaine still more. The delegates at large elected are W. G. Roelker, Samuel P. Colt, W. M. Gregory and Frank G. Harris. The platform adopted at the recent convention was taken as the sentiment of the party.

Benjamin M. Bosworth, of Warren, was chairman. He made a short speech congratulating the Republicans on their victory in electing a governor by the people in the state election for the first time in seven years, and expressing his faith that Rhode Island would be found in the Republican column in November.

The Delaware Republicans.

DOVER, Del., May 6.—The Republican state convention was called to order at noon. Senator Anthony Higgins, General James H. Wilson, George V. Massey, Dr. George W. Marshall of Kent, J. Frank Bacon and George P. Fearon elected national delegates. The platform approves "the sagacious, wise and patriotic administration of President Harrison," and the conduct of foreign affairs by Secretary Blaine. The McKinley bill is indorsed and the platform favors the building of an American navy proportionate to the country's wealth. It shall have been put on a parity with gold by the several nations.

Virginia Cheers the President.

ROANOKE, May 6.—General Mahone called the Republican state convention to order. At the mention of Harrison's name the convention went wild, and he was named as the next president of the United States. But for all this an uninstructed delegation was sent to Minneapolis. General Mahone, John M. Livingston and General Elgar Allen were chosen delegates at large. Mahone is not particularly favorable to Harrison.

To Protect Carlisle's Name.

FRANKFORT, Ky., May 6.—The name of Senator John Griffin Carlisle, of Kentucky, will be presented to the Chicago national convention by the state democratic convention. Kentucky's delegates will be instructed for him, and if Kentucky's great convention orders it, Mr. McKenzie, can be secured to will nominate Mr. Carlisle. This action has been finally agreed on by leading politicians of the state.

Senator Quay a Delegate.

NEWCASTLE, Pa., May 6.—Sixty delegates, representing the counties of Butler, Beaver, Mercer and Lawrence, met in district convention here and chose M. S. Quay and David W. Pierson delegates to the convention at Minneapolis. The convention was the shortest on record. The meeting was called to order at 1:30, and at 1:36 had adjourned.

Idaho Wants Blaine.

POCATELLO, May 6.—The Republican state convention demonstrated that the Republicans of Idaho are unanimously in favor of the plumed knight if he can be induced to run. But the delegation is uninstructed.

There is much feeling against the president on account of his appointment of Judge Beatty as United States district judge.

Need Not a Score, Too.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The Reed movement's strength has not been noted very high, yet today there have been several calculated to show that no effort is being made by Republicans to ascertain how the anti-Harrison men generally would favor the selection of Thomas B. Reed as their candidate for president.

Kansas Goes Uninstructed.

HUTCHINSON, May 6.—The Republican state convention elected as delegates at large to Minneapolis ex-Senator J. J. Ingalls, Calvin Hood, C. C. James, L. A. Lambert, R. C. Little and A. H. Mills. No instructions were given the delegation, but a resolution indorsing Harrison's administration was adopted.

Women Alternates Chosen.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 6.—The Republican state convention met here and resolutions indorsing President Harrison were passed. Among the alternates elected are two ladies —Mrs. Theresa Jenkins and Mrs. Cora G. Carlton.

Wisconsin Free as Air.

MILWAUKEE, May 6.—The Republican state convention elected as delegates to Minneapolis ex-Senator Spooner, General Louis Fairchild, Isaac Stevenson and Henry C. Payne. No instructions were given.

Vermont Favors Cleveland.

MONTPELIER, May 6.—The Democratic state convention elected delegates to Chicago. The general sentiment in the convention was for Cleveland.

West Virginia for Harrison.

MARTINSBURG, May 6.—The West Virginia Republican convention selected a solid Harrison delegation, on this is the state of Secretary of War S. B. Elkins.

FASHIONS

WEDDING DRESSES.

Styles Introduced at the Easter Weddings That Will Survive.

Dresses worn at the weddings occurring Easter week in New York were for the most part made in white satin and white moire. For garniture, the modistes employed with lavish hand laces, not any and rare pearl embroideries, flowing rib-

BRIDE'S DRESS.

bons and the conventional orange blossoms. As these toilets represent fashion likely to prevail for some time, I become they are worthy of more than a passing mention.

In the accompanying cut is illustrated a toilet sufficiently elegant to grace the most elaborate of weddings and sufficiently rich in effective features to provide attractive points for more modest occasions. The dress here depicted is in ivory white satin, the hem of the petticoat and train being festooned with Honiton lace caught with bows of satin ribbon. The Empire bodice trimmed in front with lace is fitted off at the waist with a cluster of orange blossoms. The full puff sleeves are finished with lace ruffles at the wrist. The bride who appeared in this dress wore a wreath of orange blossoms and a veil of tulle, which fell from the crown of her head, and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley, orchids and other white flowers. The maid of honor was attired in white muslin fern and white satin ribbons. The train was richly trimmed at the edge with lace and bows.

For church weddings, the high round corsage is much affected. Some of these corsages are made with sleeves under the straw puffy, and veiled with a mere barbelles of some costly lace. Sleeves puffed from the shoulder to the elbow are popular. Sometimes the sleeves are transparent, being made of lace without lining, thus showing the arm. Laces employed in trimming wedding dresses include Points d'Alencon, Irish lace, guipure, Honiton, etc.

A Johnstown Flood Case.

PITTSBURG, May 6.—A case concerning the Johnstown flood came up in court at Ebensburg. It was in reference to a damage suit in which the plaintiffs are Joseph Stayers & Tooley against the South Fork Fishing club, which owned the lake let loose by the breaking of the dam. The change of venue is asked because an unprejudiced trial is not expected in Cambria county.

Against Uniform Divorce Laws.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The bill proposing an amendment to the constitution empowering Kentucky's delegates will be instructed for him, and if Kentucky's great convention orders it, McKenzie, can be secured to will nominate Mr. Carlisle. This action has been finally agreed on by leading politicians of the state.

The Old Colony Pays $4,000.

BOSTON, May 6.—In the case of Hattie B. Maxwell against the Old Colony Railroad company to recover for the death of her husband, the road settled out of court for $4,000.

Railroadman Shinn Dead.

PITTSBURG, May 6.—William P. Shinn, whose position as president railroad man was published, died at his residence in Homewood. Mr. Shinn was very wealthy.

"Carl Pretzel" Is Dead.

CHICAGO, May 6.—Charles Harris, of Chicago, who has written for many years under the nom de plume of "Carl Pretzel," died Wednesday.

NO CHINESE NEED APPLY.

President Harrison Signs the Amended Exclusion Bill.

WHAT THE CELESTIALS RETALIATE?

The Opinion Prevails at Washington That China Will Break Off Diplomatic Relations with Congress—Secretary Blaine Attends Wedding Breakfast's Festivities.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The bill entitled "An act to prohibit the coming of Chinese persons into the United States" reached the White House at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and was at once referred to the attorney general for examination. Shortly before 4 o'clock, after a conference with Attorney General Miller and Secretaries Blaine and Foster, President Harrison gave the bill his approval. The following statement was made in connection with the announcement of that fact: "Upon an examination by the attorney general, he thought it a very grave question whether or not all existing restrictive legislation did not expire tomorrow, therefore the necessity for prompt approval of the bill."

What Will China Do?

In view of the general demand from the Pacific coast for the restriction of Chinese immigration, and in view also of the assertions made by Senator Sherman and Representative Hitt and Hooker that the bill's provisions violate our treaty obligations with China, it was common opinion that the president had been placed in a dilemma. What action, if any, China will take can be conjectured from the tenor of the letter sent to which the Chinese minister recently submitted, the first time in the history of the legation that such an event occurred.

It was stated in congress that China would retaliate for such legislation by issuing a decree excluding all Americans from that country. In the interview referred to the Chinese minister was quoted as intimating broadly the intention of his government to withdraw its embassy from the United States if the provisions of the subjects of the celestial empire were no longer desired here, and it is believed that a suspension of diplomatic relations with the United States by China will follow the president's action.

Favored by Secretary Tracy.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The house bill passed on Monday to give "American registers to foreign steamships of not less than 6,000 tons, capable of a speed of not less than twenty knots, belonging to companies, not less than 50 per cent. of whose stock is owned in the United States, on condition that the American owners submit a full title to such ships and that they shall subsequent to the passage of the law have built in American ship yards, steamships of like capacity and speed, and in amount not less than of the ships so admitted to register," has been referred to the senate committee on commerce, and Senator Frye, chairman of the committee has asked Secretary Tracy for his views on the subject.

The bill, it will be remembered, applies at present only to the fine steamers City of New York and City of Paris, of the Inman line. In his response to the senator's letter, Secretary Tracy says: "From every point of view the bill seems to be beneficial. It will be advantageous. It will add certainly two steamships of the highest type now employed in ocean navigation to the American merchant marine. It will enable the American owners of these vessels to sell them under the flag and papers and under protection of the American navy, and it will stimulate American ship building, for in order that shipowners may avail themselves of its benefits they are compelled to order American built vessels of an aggregate tonnage equal to that benefited by the act. It is without doubt one of the most beneficial measures for the encouragement of American shipping and American shipbuilding that has been recently brought forward."

Secretary Tracy then recites the great advantages which will accrue to the navy from the passage of the bill. The secretary says no cruisers could cope with these vessels (the City of New York and City of Paris) in point of speed, and no guns, owing to their great speed, and that no merchantmen could run away from them. He adds:

Effective as Commerce Destroyers.

"It is difficult to imagine more effective commerce destroyer than the steamship City of Paris armed with a battery of rapid firing guns. She can steam over 21 knots an hour and can average 19.3 knots from land to land across the Atlantic. No man-of-war could overtake her; no merchantman could escape her. Each of such cruisers would be worth an enemy's fleet to the United States without cost; that the passage of the act is a guarantee that other ships equally fast and powerful will be built within the government by the United States in case of emergencies, the great importance of the measure in connection with the problem of naval defense of the United States cannot be overestimated."

Lockwood Attacks Holman's Policy.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The river and harbor appropriation bill was further discussed in the house. Mr. Lockwood, of New York, made an effective speech in favor of the appropriation for a ship canal across Lake St. Clair.

Mr. Whiting, of Michigan, declared that the bill was supported by the shrewd and political interests of Buffalo and Chicago. The project contemplated an expenditure of $3,300,000. It was premature and ill advised. Mr. Lockwood in a ringing voice denied that the channel project was urged by the railroad and elevator interests of Buffalo and Chicago. The project was in the interest of every manufacturer, every agriculturist and every commercial enterprise. The channel was proposed so that vessels could be speedily passed with dispatch. He was opposed to this cry of economy as made by the gentleman from Indiana (Mr. Holman.) The people would not oppose liberal appropriations for the proper safeguards were thrown around their expenditure. It was not a question of economy, but a question of opportunity and business. He thanked God that the people had not come to that point where they played a simple penny ante game all over the country.

Mr. Bailey, of Texas, said that this was not the first time the gentleman had been one of boastful economy. The democratic party, Mr. Lockwood, with a voice which filled the hall and with emphatic gesture, replied that he had been a democrat all his life. Democratic party ever since he was twelve years old. But he was not in harmony with that party on any other question or any measure or man subscribing to Mr. Bailey's who was opposed to making appropriations for the improvement of the harbors and rivers in the interest of the whole country, whether Democratic or [illegible]. [Loud applause.]

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"V. & W. Say:

Do you want Mittens? If so, we guarantee to sell it to you at a lower price than any other house in this town. We buy by the gross, therefore can sell you a perfect glove, perfect goods. No trapper-skinned matching among them.

For Ten Cents

You have your choice of fifty different styles of Fine Linen Glasses, that have been selling freely for 15 cents.

For Five Cents

You buy Fine Chalice.

For Twenty-five Cents

We will offer 100 Infants Swiss Hats. The 65c. kind.

For Sixteen Cents

We will sell one case of fine Scotch Zephyr Ginghams, 36 inches wide.

Try us on Matting, or your own price.

We will close out Fifty Spring Jackets. Prices were 4, 5, 6 and 7 dollars, at one quarter regular price. These are not this season's goods, but if you can use them they are cheap.

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You buy a 72-inch Cream Damasked Table Linen, well worth 65 cents.

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For One Twenty

You buy one dozen all linen dinner napkins. Regular price $1.50.

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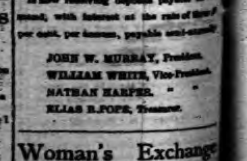

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The Master Workman Alleges that Enormous of the Combined Roads Are Making Extraordinary Efforts to Win Over Public Opinion in Pennsylvania.

ASCHBALD, Pa., May 6.—General Master Workman Powderly addressed a mass meeting of Knights of Labor here, during which he referred to the Reading combine in the following language: "I had hoped that this great state would continue to maintain among her sisters the proud position she occupied in the early days of the republic. But there is not now in the Union another state so grimly held within the grasp of corporate power; there is no other state in the Union where the rights of the people have been so wantonly ignored as they have here. The best and purest citizens of this state are her working people, and these are menaced by one of the most colossal of combinations—the Reading coal combination. Here alone, threatened by it, indorsed it through her subsidized representatives, but whatever sense of honor or justice her legislature lacked was stowed for by the conduct of her governor. Pennsylvania lacks the virtue of her executive officers which would prevent her disgrace. In speaking thus I do not refer to the governor as a Democrat but as the executive of every class of people in this commonwealth, as an officer sworn to maintain and protect his interests.

"Anarchists in Palace Cars."

Mr. Powderly then went on to tell of the means by which Corbin and McLeod had procured control of the Reading company's stock and had agreed to guarantee to the Lehigh Valley and Jersey Central roads a dividend of 10 per cent. "This 10 per cent. will be paid in other one of all of three ways: First, by increasing the cost of coal to the consumer, thereby affecting primarily the settlement and laborers of the land; second, by reducing the force of workmen about the mines, mills and railroads, as has already been done at several points; and third, by reducing the wages of the laborers. I may safely say," he continued, "that the salaries of the railroad officials will not be reduced to pay this dividend.

"Several days ago we read in the newspapers of the execution of anarchists in Europe for the deaths of a few persons, caused through a misguided effort to redress wrongs. These fiend anarchists, who flourish on the labor and life blood of thousands of workingmen and women, go about the state in palace cars. One speech of anarchist or glory by way of a rope, the other enjoys his glory here and is protected in the enjoyment of it by a state which bears the mottto, "Virtue, liberty and independence."

State Officials Arraigned.

After quoting sections of the constitution relative to the illegality of the combination Mr. Powderly severely arraigned the state officials for their alleged dilatory conduct in dealing with it. He also spoke of the alleged unjust system of docking the coal carriers demands of coal companies in the matter of tonnage and the unfair discrimination against coal which prevailed among the carrying companies. Mr. Powderly then made the startling statement that for some time past an emissary of the Reading combination had been at work in this valley for the purpose of advancing the interests of the combination. "I have been reliably informed," he went on to say, "that this man has seen every minister and priest of every denomination in this section. To some he has offered passes and money. Church debts he has agreed to assume, and in at least two instances he has approached Catholic priests and offered to pay for the erection of parochial schools.

After Press and Pulpit.

"All this he has agreed to do provided the combination be indorsed and approved from the pulpits and altars of this valley. One clergyman whom this emissary approached indignantly and justly refused his request to pay the cost of a proposed parochial school, saying as he did that he would rather lay aside his clerical robes and take up a shotgun to fight the combine than consent to such a despicable method of acquiring property. This same emissary has now every newspaper in this valley with one exception. These papers he has endeavored to subsidize by offers of money and passes, and I am informed that in some cases he has succeeded. Where all combinations resorts to such desperate methods by this subtle approbation, when it attempts to throttle the press and the pulpit, it becomes the duty of every citizen to arise and battle for the preservation of his interests and to his utmost to curb the power of the monster."

Not a Dollar a Day.

NEW YORK, May 6.—The Herald states that miners in the Wyoming region where that owing to the restricted work ordered by the Reading combination they are not making a dollar a day.

A Royal Lieutenant at Ten.

BERLIN, May 6.—The crown prince on his tenth birthday today became a lieutenant in the First Foot guards. His is the first crown prince to receive a commission since 1805. The crown prince drilled before his father first and then was formally admitted to the army.

Says He Was Kidnaped.

WYCHOCO, Ok., May 6.—A Quarterman, who disappeared March 30, has returned. He says he was kidnaped by two strangers, and when he came to his senses found himself on board a ship bound for Central America.

Lost Both Money and Monkey.

PARIS, May 6.—Sala Rubini and his wife, natives of Venezuela, were travelling on the Continent, reported to the police the loss of almost 10,000 francs and a pet monkey. Mrs. Rubini thinks that the monkey is following the thief.

The Civil Service Extended.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Acting upon an order issued by the president on April 23, 1891, the civil service commission has extended the rules and regulations of the classified civil service to the United States fish commission.

Princeton Loses $30,000.

NEWARK, N. J., May 6.—The late Daniel Price bequeathed $60,000 to various charitable and benevolent institutions. A bequest of $30,000 to Princeton was withdrawn in a codicil.

More Smallpox at Newark.

NEWARK, N. J., May 6.—Two new cases of smallpox were discovered in Newark.

SEVEN DEAD IN THE WRECK.

The California Express Plunges Through a Missouri Bridge.

ENNIS, Mo., May 6.—The California express of the Santa Fe road went through a bridge east of Medill, Mo., at an early hour. The heavy rains had undermined the trestlework. The engine had reached the east end of the bridge when the structure fell with a crash, hurling the cars and coaches to a heap thirty-six feet below. The wrecked train consisted of one Pullman sleeper, one tourist sleeper, state car, passenger coach and baggage car.

The following were killed: Lon Marlow, Tenth and Main streets, Kansas City; S. E. Perkins, Westport, Mo.; Luther Cornine, Kirksville, Mo.; J. C. Graves, editor, La Plata, Mo.; William Hines, Oklahoma City; Mrs. G. Rose, Brush or Bunch and child of nine months of age. Another child of two years of age was not injured. The women and children were from San Bernardino, Cal., and were on the way to Allegheny, Pa., to visit her two sisters.

The following is a list of the injured:

William Adams, Yorkshire, England; Mrs. Jane Henry, Riverside, Ills.; W. M. Isbell, Riverside, Ills.; J. J. Wood, Chicago; F. C. Cowling, Chicago; N. Lancaster, Chicago; H. M. Cutler, Chicago; J. F. Hartgen, Reading; W. Allen, Allegheny, Pa.; Mrs. E. T. Allen, Allegheny, Pa.; Robert Shields, Lexington Junction, Mo.; Express Messenger A. Roban; Brakeman Martin Bogal.

As soon as possible the train crew hastened to the assistance of the imprisoned passengers and did everything in their power to rescue them from death by drowning or from the crushed and broken timbers.

GOVERNOR PATTISON FORGIVING.

He Asks That Editors Jordan and McLaurin Be Liberated from Jail.

PHILADELPHIA, May 6.—In quarter sessions court No. 1, before Judge Thayer, the case of W. T. Jordan and J. J. McLaurin, of the Harrisburg Call, charged by Governor Robert E. Pattison with criminal libel, was called for trial. Pleas of guilty were entered by both defendants.

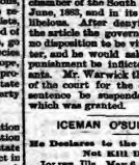
The libel complained of was published in The Call on Oct. 25, 1890, under the following caption: "Turn on the Light—Robert E. Pattison Unfolds Up to Date What the Blaze of the Calcium Reveals—The South Penn Infamy—True Inwardness of the Most Villainous Legislation That Ever Disgraced the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Perfidy, Dishonor, Crime—Judge Black's Scathing Exposure of the Veto That Never Reached the Senate—Thrilling Tale of Base Treachery — Unmasking a Self Extolled Champion of the Good, the True and the Beautiful."

The article purported to state the secret history of the passage through the executive chamber of the South Penn railroad bills in June, 1889, and in its character was most libelous. In addition to all the charges in the article the governor stated that he had no disposition to be vindictive in the matter, and he would ask that the minimum punishment be inflicted upon the defendants. Mr. Warwick then asked the leniency of the court for the defendants and that sentence be suspended for three weeks, which was granted.

ICEMAN O'SULLIVAN DEAD.

He Declares to the Last That He Did Not Kill Dr. Cronin.

JOLIET, Ills., May 6.—Patrick O'Sullivan, one of the three men sentenced to state's prison for life for the murder of Dr. Cronin, died in the prison hospital here. Ever since



PATRICK O'SULLIVAN.

he entered the prison his health has been delicate and as he gave up all hope of securing a new trial he has declined rapidly and when a month ago he had an attack of the grip, it quickly developed into rapid consumption. It had been known for two weeks that his death was only a question of days.

Of the three men convicted of Dr. Cronin's murder O'Sullivan has been considered the one most likely to make a confession. But O'Sullivan maintained his innocence to the last and up to an hour before his death he said he was guiltless. Father Daniels said O'Sullivan never spoke a word of confession to him but maintained that he was innocent.

Two Dead and Two Injured.

NEW YORK, May 6.—A section of the collar floor in the fourteen story Havemeyer building at Cortlandt and Church streets fell, killing two men. The dead are Albert Zimmer, of 601 East Eleventh street; August Desola, 44 Baxter street. Jack Hurley and Otto Pabst received scalp wounds.

The Third Army Corps Election.

BOSTON, May 6.—The annual meeting of the Third Army corps resulted in the choice of Colonel William L. Candler, of Massachusetts, for president, and Captain Benjamin Murphy, of New Jersey, for vice president. Colonel F. Livingston Welling, of New Jersey, was elected secretary.

She Eloped with an Oil Well Driller.

BUFFALO, May 6.—George Thomas, of Brocton, Chautauqua county, has asked the police to assist him in locating his sixteen-year-old daughter Emma, who he thinks eloped with Wilbur Reede, a Pennsylvania oil well driller. The police think the couple are married and are in Rochester.

The Pope Is Displeased.

ROME, May 6.—The obstinacy of certain higher members of the French hierarchy in antagonizing the republic has so displeased his holiness that he has notified the French cardinals that they must not deviate from his amicable policy toward the present government of France.

Attacked by a Tiger.

READING, Pa., May 6.—Lawrence W. Scott, who had charge of several vicious tigers belonging to Forepaugh's circus, was attacked by one of the animals here. His scalp was lacerated in a frightful manner, but he may probably recover.

President Adams Resigns.

ITHACA, N. Y., May 6.—President C. K. Adams, of Cornell university, has resigned, "on account of grave and seemingly irreconcilable differences of opinion in regard to matters of administrative importance."

The Marshal Got the Drop First.

CREEDE, Colo., May 6.—Jack Pugh, one of the hard characters of Creede, was shot and killed by Marshal Carter. Pugh pulled his gun, but Carter got the drop and fired, the ball severing Pugh's spinal column.

More Hope for Halliagan.

JERSEY CITY, May 6.—Edward W. Halliagan, who murdered his wife in Jersey City, was sentenced by Judge Wertz to be hanged June 3. This is Halliagan's third death sentence. His counsel will appeal again.

A Sad Error.

Marie—Why, Ethel, what is the matter with Pidge?

Ethel—Isn't it too bad? I gave him to the laundress to wash and she starched him!—Harper's Magazine.

Only a Figure of Speech.

"Your bean stays quite awhile when he calls?"

"Y—s."

"I should think you would find the time go slowly"

"Oh, we manage to squeeze through it."—Yarmouth Register.

FOR BUNCOER O'BRIEN'S ESCAPE.

Three Men Indicted at Utica for the Offense.

UTICA, May 6.—The grand jury that has been investigating the escape of Buncoer O'Brien handed up an indictment against O'Brien for escaping and against Keeper Buck, Deputy United States Marshal McElwaine and David J. Dischler for aiding and abetting O'Brien to escape.

McElwaine was arrested and is now in jail. He expects to get bail. Dischler has not yet been found.

Deputy Sheriff Condon went to Deansmore to arrest Keeper Buck. O'Brien will probably not be arrested right away, as no trace of him has as yet been reported to the authorities.

Rudini's Cabinet Must Fall.

ROME, May 6.—The fate of the Rudini cabinet has been sealed. A vote of confidence in the cabinet was rejected in the chamber by a majority of twelve against Rudini and his ministry. Rudini's fall is now irrevocable. It is the prevalent conviction that he has not grasped the Saracco scandal as successfully as he should have done. It is not considered likely that Signor Crispi will be recalled by King Humbert.

Status of the Exam Case.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—A report has been floating around that the congressional committee investigating the pension bureau would recommend the dismissal of General Raum. When asked as to the report, Chairman Wheeler said: "There is no truth in it as far as I know. The committee has no fault to find with General Raum's status, and I am positive no member of the committee has."

Followed Her Betrayer to America.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Concetta Galloni, an Italian girl, twenty-two, has begun an action against Frank A. Gaynor, a wealthy artist, to recover $50,000 damages for breach of promise of marriage. Gaynor is said to have met the girl in Italy in 1888. She says that he is the father of her child.

Connecticut Nearly Out of Debt.

HARTFORD, May 6.—State Treasurer R. S. Henry has determined to call for redemption the remaining $300,000 state bonds that are subject to call. They are to be paid July 1, and when these are paid the state of Connecticut will have paid every dollar of the debt that is payable until 1908.

Judge Torrance's Daughter Weds.

BIRMINGHAM, Conn., May 6.—The marriage of Miss Margaret Torrance, daughter of Judge Torrance, of the Connecticut supreme court, and Walter Holmes, Waterbury, Conn., was solemnized in the Congregational church by Rev. Charles W. Park.

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The glass topped table is seen in many drawing rooms. It is a charming receptacle for a collection of *fans*, snuffboxes, medallions or tiny precious bits of china. There must be a soft lining of pale blue, green or rose, which forms a delicate and artistic background for these dainty bits of bric-a-brac.

The plan is copied for ornamental quilts at present, and the most elegant are those made of Bargarven art cloth embroidered with Scotch rope linen, which comes in exquisite shades. The Bargarven art cloth comes in shades of blue, old gold, green and mahogany, as well as white, and in four different weaves, and is fifty-two inches wide, some weaves in white being seventy-two inches.

An innovation in the matter of piano cover is to lacquer the wood, instead of hiding it under a cover, in water green, pearl gray, shell pink, yellowing green and other colors used alone or in combination.

A beautiful bureau set may be made of shirt sheer muslin in this way: If the bureau has a flat top cut a piece of the muslin long enough to cover it, then stamp upon it a conventional pattern of wild roses if it is a pink room, or nasturtiums if it is a yellow room. Work them in silks using a long and short stitch for the outsides of the flowers. Cover all the plain part with solweb etching in fine silk. Finish the edge with a hem and lace. Have a piece of silk, of satin, either white or a suitable color, to just cover the top of the bureau under the muslin one. A square for the top of the pincushion should be made to match.

To make a handsome bedspread from a linen sheet, have large diamonds stamped all over it, and work them in outline stitch with dark blue Scotch linen floss. Finish off the edge with a crocheted edging. Another way is to fringe out the linen sheet all around, making a knotted fringe.

Above the frieze make two or three rows of drawn work, through which is run blue or colored satin ribbon, large bows of satin ribbon of the same color being put at each corner.

Canary yellow is a particularly good background for bric-a-brac or china. Soft yellow silk drawn in tight straight folds has an excellent effect behind shelves on which china is placed. We know of one lovely dining room where all the best china is on view in the room and is kept in old Dutch mahogany cabinets, with leaded glass fronts and canary yellow silk backs. The combination is extremely pleasing, the yellow background showing off the delicate tints of the china and the soft light red of the old mahogany harmonizing well and well with the rest. These cabinets are rather low and extend nearly around the room.

To Remove Glass Stoppers.

Sometimes it is very difficult to remove a glass stopper from a bottle. A cloth wet in hot water sometimes is sufficient, but if this fails remember that the principle is to expand the neck of the bottle by heat and not the stopper. With hot water the latter is often heated equally with the neck, and thus the desired effect is not produced. By holding the neck of the bottle about half an inch above the flame of a lamp or candle, says The Industrial World, in a few seconds the most obstinate stopper will generally come out. Care must be taken to turn the bottle rapidly and not allow the flame to touch the glass, as it might crack it. When the glass is thoroughly heated a steady pull and twist will almost always bring out the stopper.

Rice Cream.

Bake one ounce best rice in half a pint of milk with a little cinnamon. When done remove the skin from the top. Dissolve one-fourth ounce gelatine that has been soaked in a little cold milk in half a pint of boiling milk, add the yolk of an egg and three teaspoonfuls of white sugar. Stir over the fire for five minutes, mix it with the rice, then pour in a mold to set. Serve in a glass dish with raspberry jam put round it in nice little piles.

An Odd and Pretty Cushion.

In the cut is depicted a quaint hanging pincushion. The circular center is cut out in coarse linen and filled with bran; it is

A HANGING PINCUSHION.

then covered with garnet colored plush and surrounded by a puffing of cream spotted gauze. The back is faced with cardboard and a ring added to suspend the cushion to the wall.

Raisin Cookies.

Two eggs, one cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of butter, one cupful of chopped raisins, one-half cupful of sour milk, one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in the milk, spice to taste and sufficient flour stirred in to make the mixture very stiff. Roll out quite thin, cut strips about two inches wide and four long and roll around the finger as if curling the hair. Fry in butter till of a delicate brown. Sprinkle with granulated sugar.

Frothed Sauce.

Put the yolks of two eggs into a basin with a dessertspoonful of powdered sugar, the finely grated rind of a lemon, a wineglassful of white wine and the juice of a few drops of vanilla essence. Stand the basin in a stewpan half full of boiling water, or in the bainmarie, and whip the sauce over the fire till it is quite light and a thick froth.

With people who cannot use cod liver oil cream is said to act like a charm for a consumptive tendency. Aged people, growing children, invalids and those who have feeble digestion are sometimes greatly benefited by taking sweet cream in liberal quantities.

A SONG OF CONTENT.

What if the wind rise up in might,
And gather blackness till day is night,
And lightnings through the darkness play,
And the rain like a cataract strikes by?
The sun is my friend, and the heavy rain feeds
The flowers and trees and the tender blades
Here is my heart stirs like them,
As sweet as illies can be, I trow,
For I am glad to content me.

What if King Winter's mailed hand
Lay waste our beautiful flower filled land?
What if the wind and raging storm
Tried their fierce power to bury the form
The sun is my friend, and the days run fast,
And Winter's every moment brings here
The blessed cheer of spring's sweet gifts to me
The birds of May for their song well.

And that is enough for me.

—Emma C. Dowd in Youth's Companion.

THE WOMAN LAWYER.

Her Clients Are Not Chiefly Women, as Many Suppose.

A woman student of the law, whether in an office or a law school, has some peculiar experiences. To a single woman among a class of men the dilemma of the lectures as to sitting mute or addressing a gentleman. Most of them will soon assiduously ground, and fixing the eye upon the desk boards, with a slight tone of query in the discourse, a clear sound, "Gentlemen." One professor was always careful and courteous enough to begin with the phrase, "Lady and gentlemen."

It is also amusing and gratifying to see the refining effect of the lady's entrance into the lecture hall or library of the school. If the class has been rather free, not at once and voluntarily come down from the tabletop on back of the next chair they are assisted to their elbows after a time as the lady hands over to her fellow student. Of course these are always some men who heartily disapprove of a woman's presence within the walls of the law school, and are pleased to show their disapproval in any way short of actually rude conduct. I have never known of anything more rude in behavior toward a woman than a sneer.

When the woman lawyer puts out her shingle, or in modern fashion inscribes her name on the plate-glass sheets on the corner of her building, her first experiences do not differ much from those of her brothers who are just beginning. People of course do a few cases "around" among her first clients, who go to her because they "think they will get more sympathy from a woman." When one or two of these have come to shown the door, their reproaches for her inhuman hard heartedness are particularly severe, because they "expected better things from a woman."

Her clients are not, as many suppose, chiefly women. On the contrary, she is more likely to be employed by men who want to let her a chance to show what she can do. Therefore her cases are as likely to be questions of business contracts as controversies that are connected with matters popularly supposed to be within a woman's sphere.

When she appears in court the woman lawyer finds the judge and the attending counsel as courteous and as deferential as they would be in her drawing room. They will treat her as an equal, except that they will accord her by placing chairs, bowing her leading and general attentions, which, in fact, her sex for their male colleagues. In fact they treat her very much as they would treat the distinguished lady lights of the bar if they were brought before her—that is, with a deferential courtesy.

This, of course, is only the case when the woman lawyer behaves as a lady. If she takes a position and a bullying tone, or as if to demand special recognition, she will receive the treatment she deserves. But such conduct is rare, happily so far, extremely rare among our women at the bar, and is much lamented by others who are in public opinion weighed in the same balance with them. Chicago Times-Herald.

Mary A. Dissett in Youth's Companion.

Treatment of Oiled Floors.

An expert in hard wood floors says that it is a common thing for a servant to apply wax to an oiled floor before the coat of oil has become thoroughly dry. The wax surface is undoubtedly the best finish a hard wood floor can have, but the method of polishing with a wax polishing brush when it is new, but when the wood has finally been brought to a high state of polish by rubbing, the case is changed. The great many people who have laid down hard wood floors in their kitchen have become disenchanted with them because of the ease with which they can be scrubbed and treated in the ordinary way. Such a result is likely to follow such a method of treating a hard wood floor. Never scrub or wash any such floor with alkali soaps or strong alkalies is sure to produce such results. A hard wood floor must be finished with oil, shellac or varnish, and for obvious reasons the oil finish is the best for kitchen use. A dirty floor may be wiped with a damp cloth, or if necessary a little soap and water may be used, but the spot then must be dried thoroughly and rubbed with a little parquet oil.—New York Tribune.

A Woman's Chances for Getting Married.

Here is some information about the percentage of women who marry, which is very interesting.

Taking the earliest marrying age to be 15, which is the minimum in most civilized countries, it has been found that the relative chances of marrying at certain points of her progress through life, a woman's chances of marriage stand in the following ratio:

Between the age of 15 and 20 years, 14½ per cent.; 20 and 25 years, 32 per cent.; 25 and 30 years, 20 per cent.; 30 and 35 years, 9½ per cent.; 35 and 40 years, 6½ per cent.; 40 and 45 years, 2½ per cent.; 45 and 50 years, ½ of 1 per cent., and between the ages of 50 and 60 years, ¼ of 1 per cent. Above the age of 60 her chances are only 1-20 of 1 per cent., or 2 in 1,000.—London Times.

How the Fans Fans Started.

The custom of wearing black patches to shade the skin was in fashion some time in the habit of applying in the Sixteenth century pieces of black velvet or other dark stuff to the temples for the headache. A fashionable lady noticed one day that these were becoming and brought them into use in France, whence the custom spread into Europe. They were worn not only by women, but by royalties and the clergy, though their use was not general among men. They were called mouches, and were made round, square, oval, and in the shapes of all sorts, so that a lady's face sometimes had the appearance of a menagerie.—[illegible] Commercial Gazette.

THE FRESHEST ONE.

A dog will affect to the cleanest master, but he will not drink whisky with him.—Galveston News.

The trade mark of S. F. White & Co. was granted deposited and issued by taking the moon cure.—Yonkers Statesman.

Prince Bismarck's favorite author is probably Hegel. Certainly, he wrote a book entitled "Hegel's Tomb."—Chicago News.

Teacher (in grammar class)—Tommy, correct the sentence, "I has a good time." Tommy (promptly)—I kissed Susan twice.

Occasional Only.—Tenant—Does this chimney always smoke like this? Landlord—Oh, no, only when there's a fire in the grate.—N. Y. Sun.

Made no difference.—"Have you ate, still at it. You'll just ruin your complexion with tan and freckles." "Oh, I don't care. I'm engaged."—Harper's Bazar.

"Father," asked a boy, "why do they call this place the Exchange?" "Because, my son, it is where we exchange money for experience."—Boston Bulletin.

"Just see that trombone player. His face is red as a beet from blowing hard." "Yes, he certainly ought to know what is meant by strains of music."—Boston Herald.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Leland Stanford has purchased 120 beautiful new Bibles to put in the rooms of the students at the Palo Alto University.

George Francis Train is about right when he defines the Farmers' Alliance as "nothing in the world except a kick against poverty."

Mr. Patrick Egan is in luck, and it was certainly very handsome in his wife's friend Delmonico to give him so clean a bill of health before shuffling off his mortal coil.

Judge Tourgee, who is said to be saying very prolifically, in an intimate story teller, and knows many rich yarns of episodes in the South with which he entertains his friends.

Governor Hill is to start for the South on Oct. 28 in order to reach Atlanta in time for the meeting of the Grady monument. They say he will make a speech there "when he gets there."

The "Sons of Lemmers" may find consolation from assuming the mnemonic name of S. = Hon. E. Burd Grubb. Now can call him "Burdie" and still keep within the stolen limits of verosity.

BITS OF INFORMATION.

The Vatican contains 2.8 staircases and 1,600 different rooms.

A cooking school is a part of the public school system of Milwaukee.

Not less than 1,000,000 pounds of rubber are annually used for bicycle tires.

The rabbit can stand a lower degree of temperature than any other animal.

The Bourdon expedition has discovered an entirely new race of Indians in Labrador.

It is said that $3,000,000 of English capital is invested in the Harney Peak tin mines of South Dakota.

Recent researches show that persons having a tendency to gout improve more rapidly by abstaining from fruit.

The Waltham and Elgin Watch com-

SPARKS FROM A SMITH'S ANVIL.

Truth sometimes walks slowly. Falsehood takes long strides.

Love and sometimes can't be well described. The great test be felt.

When trying to outwit others take care that you don't outwit yourself.

Many men prize themselves on being self-made. In some cases the workmen did not know their business.

When a man is near his nineteen year, like o'crripe fruit he is liable to fall from the tree of life at any moment.

When an honest man inserts the money in which he lives, his insurance is a lottery in which he hopes to draw a blank.

When you bury your friend, bury his faults with him. There should be no resurrection of the faults of the well be of the body. De mortuis nil nisi bonum.

When a wife leaves off her mourning she escapes from the gloom of Winter to the light of Spring, and is fully prepared to enjoy the sunlights of another Summer.—Yonkers Gazette.

BITS OF KANSAS WISDOM.

Every man is religious when he is scared to death.

People who have nothing to give are the only cheerful givers.

He who is useful is the incarnation of the highest religion or creed.

Man philosophies with you in your distress, but it is the women who console.

The longer a man has been dead the less positive his friends are that he is with the angels.

Probably one reason so many nice girls marry poor husband's is that they never meet any other kind of men.

A man always has more or less no difference whether he speaks the truth or not, he accomplishes very terms of him.

A friend is never apt to believe a bad story on you than an enemy. In hoping it is false, a person proves it is not; but a friend, hoping it is not true, believes it is.—Atchison Globe.

FICKLE HUMANITY.

Met him.

Met him again—in love with him.

Met him again—no longer in love with him, but he in love with me because I am so beautiful.

Met him again—he is still more in love with me, not only because I am beautiful, but because I am also good. Sorry for him.

Again I met him—he is colder than he was. I, however, am inclined to think that I am in love with him after all. How lucky he is, and how angry mamma will be!

Mamma proved to be strangely pleased. Makes me angry, for I know she is not a good judge of a young girl's heart.

Flirted with him outrageously to make mamma mad—wouldn't succeed.

Engaged to him—glad.

Married to him—sorry.

This Date in History—May 6.

1536—Joseph Addison, author of the Spectator, born at Milston, Wiltshire, England. Died at Holland House, London, June 17, 1719.

1682—Peace of Ryswick concluded between France and the Triple Alliance.

1758—Frederick Henry De Lavalle Montmorenci, Duke of Luxemburg, Count de Chatillon, died at Paris; born in Lorraine, 1702.

1840—Queen Victoria married.

1861—Virginia, Arkansas, Tennessee, Virginia, in secession.

1862—Battle of Williamsburg, Virginia, in which Generals Hooker, Kearney and Peck were severely wounded; died on the 6th; born 1815.

1863—Laurence Fitzroy Hitchcock, ex-secretary of Union university, died in Amherst, Mass.; born 1811.

1864—Battle of Chilliau Immigrant steamer lists by a United States deputy marshal on charges of violating the neutrality laws, the vessel and cargo were libeled and the marshal sehere, giving rise to complications.

The Easiest Cheat Story.

Landlord—Good morning, sir; hope you enjoyed a good night's rest, sir?

Traveler—Yes, thanks, pretty fair.

Landlord—Saw nothing of the ghost that is said to appear from time to time in the room you occupied?

Traveler—Ah, yes! I did though.

Landlord—And how did you get rid of the intruder?

Traveler—I offered him a glassful you, sir, when he vanished with a [illegible] of supreme disgust.

Landlord—Oh! Ah! Well, I never!—Familien-Wochenblatt.

Yarnin' John.

Harry Furniss, the caricaturist of London, has a man in his employ made to Washington. He is as bright as a silver piece right from the mint. Some one suggested to him that he should stop over and attend a dinner of the Gridiron club.

"We would like to put you on the gridiron," suggested a correspondent.

"That would hardly be right," spoke up the little servitor. "I have heard of putting a gridiron on a furnace, but never a Furniss on a gridiron."—New York World.

He Got the Right Girl.

Briggs—That was a narrow escape Sedgewick had, wasn't it? You know he was just about to marry a girl when he found that she owned $1,500 a year on her dresses.

Griggs—Yes, but he's married all the same.

Briggs—True, but he didn't marry that girl.

Griggs—He didn't; who did he marry, then?

Briggs—Her dressmaker.—Cloak Review.

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AN ORDINANCE

To establish a grade on West Fourth street, from Grant avenue to Monroe avenue.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the grade on West Fourth street, from Grant avenue to Monroe avenue is established as follows:

Beginning at a point on Avenue at an elevation on the westerly curb corner of twenty-nine and eighty-eight one hundredths (29.88) feet above the city base and on the southerly curb corner of Grant avenue at an elevation of forty feet above the city base, and running thence with a straight descending grade to the easterly curb line of Monroe avenue, at an elevation of thirty-four and seventy-seven one-hundredths (34.77) feet above the city base.

Section 2. That all ordinances, so far as they conflict with this ordinance, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council May 2, 1892.
Approved by the Mayor May 4, 1892.

A. GILBERT, Mayor.

Attest—F. W. RUNYON, City Clerk.
Fees—$3.75.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Dividing the Fourth Ward of the City of Plainfield into Two Election Districts." Approved June 4, 1891.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the fourth election district of the Fourth Ward of the City of Plainfield, as established by the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Dividing the Fourth Ward of the City of Plainfield into Two Election Districts," approved June 4, 1891, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

The fourth election district shall include all the territory and inhabitants thereof contained in that portion of the Fourth Ward of the City of Plainfield, lying at the northern section of the center line of Fourth street with the center line of Grant avenue; thence northwesterly along the center line of Grant avenue to the center line of Monroe avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Monroe avenue to the center line of Front street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Front street to the center line of Somerset street; thence northeasterly along the center line of Somerset street to the center line of Front street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Front street to the center line of Clinton street; thence northeasterly along the center line of Clinton street to the center line of Fourth street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Fourth street to the point or place of beginning.

Section 2. That section 2 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2. That the second election district of the Fourth Ward of the territory and inhabitants thereof contained in that portion of the Fourth Ward outside of and not included in the foregoing boundaries of the fourth election district.

Adopted by the Common Council May 2, 1892.
Approved May 4, 1892.

A. GILBERT, Mayor.

Attest—F. W. RUNYON, City Clerk.
Fees—$3.75.

AN ORDINANCE

For the Assessment of Taxes for the Year 1892.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the Collector and Assessor are hereby authorized to make such assessments, levies and be required by law for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-two for the following purposes, viz: For the payment of Fire, Library, Police, Fire and Street and Contingent Funds, the sum of thirty thousand (30,000) dollars, for the payment of the interest on the bonded debt of said City, the sum of twenty-four thousand (24,000) dollars to be raised by taxes, for the payment of the principal of the bonded debt of the City of Plainfield, the sum of thirty-five thousand (35,000) dollars to be raised by taxes, for the payment of the interest on the Public Library and Sinking Fund, the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars to be raised by taxes, for the payment of the interest on the Fire Department bonds, the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars to be raised by taxes, for the payment of the interest on the Park and Cemetery bonds, the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars to be raised by taxes, for the payment of the interest on the Water Department bonds, the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars to be raised by taxes, for the payment of the interest on the Sewer

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BOROUGH COUNCIL.

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING HELD LAST EVENING.

Fifty Dollars Reward Offered for the Arrest of the North Plainfield Burglars—All Claims Ordered Paid—Other Business.

The borough Council met in regular session last evening. In the absence of Mayor Saunders Councilman Hageman called the meeting to order at 8:30 o'clock. On motion Mr. Hageman was elected as chairman. Councilmen Connolly, Hummer, Neal, Needham, and Schenck responded to roll call.

The following claims were presented:

Edison Electric Light Co.	$241.50
Patrick Kellegher	3.50
M. Powers	80.40
J. W. VanHorn	4.00
Wm Pangborn	18.75
T. W. Morrison	24.00
Davis & Stevens	21.00
Henry Goeller	2.00
P. Seeder	2.00
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Callahan Hose Co.	500.00

The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and approved.

The bond of Borough Clerk Henry H. Brokaw for $500 was read and accepted.

Mr. Neal from the Committee on Streets reported that a number of the streets of the borough had been scraped and repaired. He stated further that Harrison street was in a terrible condition and he thought it should be put in good condition at once. The report was ordered filed.

Mr. Irs Biker and others petitioned Council to place electric lights on Mountain avenue and Grand street. The petition was referred to the Committee on Lights and Public Health.

Mr. T. H. Keller and others petitioned Council to appoint H. D. Pangborn a special marshal. The petition was referred to the Committee on Marshals.

Collector H. N. Spencer and others petitioned Council to appoint special marshals for Rockview, Washington and Willow avenues and suggested the names of Peter Dowlinger and James Stewart. The petition was referred to the Committee on Marshals and Licenses.

Mr. Irs W. Biker and others petitioned for a crosswalk on Mountain avenue. The petition was referred to the Committee on Streets.

On motion of Mr. Needham the Committee on Streets were instructed to report in reference to the repairs on Brook avenue at an early date.

Mr. Hageman, the chairman, stated that he had had a conference with Mayor Saunders that evening and that the Mayor thought the Council should take some official action in reference to the recent robberies in the Borough.

Mr. Neal moved that a reward of fifty dollars be offered for the arrest and conviction of the thief or thieves, and that posters signed by the Mayor and Clerk offering such reward be posted throughout the borough and that a notice to that effect be placed in each of the daily papers. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Hageman in reference to the petitions for electric lights on the outskirts of the borough. He said eighteen in all had been petitioned for, and he thought some action should be taken. He further stated that the residents had propositions from several electric companies and threatened to destroy the line unless the lights were placed.

The Committee on Fire, Water and Lamps were on motion instructed to place eighteen extra lights as in their judgment they thought best.

On motion of Councilman Hummer, Peter Dowlinger and James Stewart were confirmed as special marshals.

The Auditing Committee reported the various claims correct and they were ordered paid. The meeting then adjourned.

PERSONAL.

Mayor Saunders of North Plainfield is confined to his home by illness.

The Misses Marie and Agnes Steinhauser of Jersey City are visiting their aunt, Miss Rose Verdon of Somerset street.

Mr. Dawson Coons is soon to lose one of the best fishermen in this vicinity. As reported in yesterday's News he succeeded in catching seventy-four plump catfish in New Market pond Thursday night.

Miss Mary French of West Front street left to-day for Hackettstown, N. J., to visit her uncle, Rev. Geo. D. Whitney, who was formerly pastor of the M. E. church here, but who is now president of the Hackettstown Seminary.

Bishop Scarborough of the Diocese of *New Jersey will visit Holy Cross church* to-morrow morning, preach and administer the rite of confirmation. He will also be present at the afternoon service. He is the guest of the rector.

A well-built, muscular looking young man, may be seen "going it" these the afternoons, on a Columbia road-racer, on the county and Springfield roads as if he was in a particular hurry to get somewhere. That is the Borough Clerk, Mr. Harry Brokaw. *He is to be in the* now famous road-race. Modesty is one of his virtues, his friends say, but they also greatly hint that someone they know won't be the last one in, by any means.

Mr. Henry Saltonstall, the Elizabeth Athletic Club captain who was to compete in the road race, in which many Plainfield Bicycle Club boys are entered, and who was considered one of the "toughest" opponents on account of his well-known *ability to go fast*, is said to be out of the race entirely because of injuries recently received from a fall at Westfield. His many friends here will regret to learn this fact whether they are interested in bicycle racing or not, as Mr. Saltonstall is very popular. He is a brother of Mrs. W. L. Paterson of East

AT THE CASINO TO-NIGHT.

A Fantasmic in Cork to be Presented To-Night.

A Fantasmic in Cork is to be presented at the Casino to-night by members of the Union County Chantry Club. The programme of the evening's performance is a follows:

Those who will take part in the "Opening Chorus" will be: Interlocutor, George D. Phillips; bones, George A. Albro and J. F. Harrison, Jr.; tambos, A. P. Connelley and E. W. Kimble; and Elmer R. Runyon, Geo. Schoonmaker, C. E. Brooks, Geo. O. Stevens, H. W. Beebe, Fred. W. Wale, Wm. H. Bieger, W. S. Elder, F. O. Hilliard, A. Arveschon, B. M. Stockton and T. R. VanBoskerck.

The complete programme will consist of the following order of exercises:

PART I.

Overture—Mama's Wedding Night ..... By the Company

Ballad—"Can you then love another" ..... Rieger
W. H. Bieger.

Comic Song—"Tuxedo" ..... Vidal
G. A. Albro.

Song—"I Pose no Foe" ..... Pinsuti
Albert Arwesbon.

Comic Song—"Meet a Coon Tonight" ..... Vidal
W. Elmido Wale.

Ballad—"When the Tide Comes In" ..... Rieger
Fred. W. Wale.

Song—"Love will Conquer All" ..... Chapman
Albert Arwesbon.

INTERMISSION.

FINALE.

"Two Mechanical Dolls."

"Baby Mine" ..... G. D. Phillips
"Dolly" ..... G. A. Albro
Dancing Dance ..... G. D. Phillips
Clarinet Solo—"I'll take a girl, so do I" ..... Vidal
Yawning ..... G. A. Albro
Banjo and Song ..... G. A. Albro

TO CONCLUDE WITH
The Black Crooks,
OR
Initiation at the Saturday Afternoon Club.

Minnie Ha, Ha—(The Daughter of the Regiment) ..... Mr. Brooks
Corporal Schultze ..... Mr. Koehler
Charles Brady ..... Mr. Wale
Will-O'-the-Wisp ..... Mr. Moore
Seventh Regiment Jim ..... Mr. Foden
Mamie Fitzwilliam ..... Mr. Elder
Albert Edward Pennyroyal (one of the Wests) ..... Mr. Stockton
Mosquita George ..... Mr. Stevens
Little Boy Blue ..... Mr. Hilliard
Sweet of Con ..... Mr. VanBoskerck
Hillside Teasle ..... Mr. Irins
Bob Acres ..... Mr. Schenck
Puck in Tights—(Star of the East) ..... Mr. Fisk
Capt. Kidd—(Keeper of the Golden Rule) ..... Mr. Wilcox

WHEN PROPERTY OWNERS PAY UP.

Manning Avenue will Then be Macadamized.

At the meeting of the Branch Common Council last evening Councilman Neal from the Committee on Streets reported that all the subscriptions but about twenty dollars had been received from the owners of Manning avenue, and as soon as the amount subscribed had been paid in full the Committee would proceed with the work of macadamizing the street.

BREVITIES

—The work on the new electric street railway is progressing slowly.

—The Crescents of this city and the Unions of Westfield are to contend in a game of base ball this afternoon.

—*A full assortment of choice seeds and* vegetable plants at Spencer's, 76 and 78 Somerset street. See advertisement.

—Mr. A. D. Thompson is now the owner of a quarry and stone crusher near Trenton, formerly owned by Mr. L. A. Hammer.

—The warm weather of the first part of the week caused the trees to advance rapidly. The bloom on pear, apple and cherry trees came out amazingly. The *prospects for a good fruit year are ex*cellent, so those who pretend to know, say.

—At a regular meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., held last Thursday evening, three new members, Messrs. J. Van Cleef, Bert Bodine and Garrett Schenck were initiated into the order. They also took the Oriental Degree.

—A good way to learn what the *Kitchen Garden is, and what they do* there, would be to attend the "Rainbow Tea" next Tuesday, from 4 till 10 p. m. in the W. C. T. U. rooms, when the girls will exhibit their work. An orchestra from Newark will furnish music during the evening.

—It was sort of "first come first served" at The Albion last evening, and without meaning it as slang, the late comers were sot in it. Every room in that commodious building was taken and the genial proprietor and clerk, much to their regret, had to turn away many patrons. Hereafter the this time last guests will engage ahead.

—Through some public and quiet private conversations made to the posters of the "Kate Castleton Dandies," a by no means small audience witnessed the reality at Music Hall last evening. The performance did not belie the notice that the audience felt greatly shocked by the display, but when there did not seem to be any press back.

The Produce Co. Has a New Owner.

The Plainfield Produce Co., has disposed of the business to Mr. L. A. Hammer, Borough Councilman, who, this morning, took complete charge and will continue business at the same place, 20-21 North avenue. The agreement between the parties interested was signed Thursday.

Mr. Hammer invites everyone to call.

A Serious Charge.

Simon F. Cole was arrested yesterday at Somerville and admitted to bail in the sum of two thousand dollars to answer to the charge of having, by abortion, caused the death of his sweetheart, Miss Josephine Haver. The girl's father, Mr. William Haver, is the complainant.

The Weather.

Cooler and clear, followed by rising

A MOCK TRIAL.

CHARGED WITH STEALING A HAT THAT DIDN'T FIT.

Acting "Lawyers" of Unknown Ability, a Judge and Impartial Jury, and an Imposing Sheriff, all Figure in Vincent Chapel in a Discussion of Law.

ESIROUS that the course of the law should be widely understood, the Epworth League of the M. E. Church held a mock trial last evening in the lecture chapel, before a large audience. The trial was caused by the arrest of Mr. James Carson who was charged by Mr. Solberg Davis with having stolen from him a high silk hat valued at $25.75, and which Carson said there being committed at the Public Library, Saturday evening, March 19th.

Mr. Carson retained Mr. Chas. Scudder for his counsel and Mr. Davis secured the services of Mr. Oscar Crowell, who acted as prosecuting attorney. Judge Charles Applegate presided, and, using a formidable looking gavel for a RYDE, succeeded in keeping order.

Mr. Edgar Serrell filled the office of sheriff. In memory of Carson's victory he wore as his badge of office a red tin paper cutter, and his imposing countenance for advertising purposes.

The court was opened by the clerk, Mr. Harry McGee. The jury, consisting of Messrs. Ed. Stevens, Wm. Stevens, Mr. Gifford, Miss Norwell, Miss Minnie Hart, Mr. Christensen, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Dunovein, Miss Chandler, Miss Augiemann, Mr. Oscar Mr. Hyde, Mr. Lewis and Mr. were sworn in. Mr. Geo. R. Cornwell acted as foreman.

Mr. Campbell opened the prosecution by calling as his first witness Mr. C. M. Smith, then Mr. Clarence Peck and Mr. Ralph Campbell. The latter was sworn "I do" to the following oath: "Do you solemnly swear that the witness you shall give and the evidence you shall give, and the other fellow, is not the truth the whole truth or anything of the truth."

Mr. Campbell's testimony in chief showed that Mr. Carson had stolen the hat from the Public Library March 19th, kept it until Monday, when, the following poor he took it to a hatter's store.

At this point Mr. Serrell wanted to know whether the clerk in the hatter's store, Mr. Ralph Campbell, had asked Mr. Carson when he brought the hat into the store, "Where did you get it? or "Where did you get that hat? Mr. Crowell was informed and the case proceeded.

Mr. Scudder for the defense showed that Mr. Carson had informed Mr. Clarence Peck and Mr. Campbell, the former of whom Frank Hyde, Former Sheriff Lewis and Alfred Lounds, who witnessed to that effect.

Mr. Scudder amazing up the both learned counsel were named, which will be of the Democratic convention of 1892 and Mr. Scudder's own ability as an advisory body. The league will do the work of committees and the committee that will be necessary until the State Committee are actually in working trim. Mr. Scudder's speech was a model of its work of this character. They spent considerable in the Jersey City contest, and which objects are distinctly visible. work. They are now getting ready a series of campaign documents that will be issued from time to time. The league also proposes to have a number of speakers who will be posted on the issues of the campaign, and who will be ready to go into any part of the State at short notice. Whether they are paid for their services, however, the speaker, John Griffith of Plainfield, will continue the work that he has already been doing. Democratic committees will be asked to co-operate with the league, the latter being to concentrate the energies of the clubs to each county committee. Should there be a county convention

EDITORIAL NOTES

Rumors of the American Boomer.

Three days after the Cheyenne and Arapahoe lands in Oklahoma were opened to settlement the population of those lands was 97,000, people who had come to stay, find homes and grow up with the country. Nowhere else in the history of the world has a settlement of such size been made in so short a time. A single wagon train that crossed the Cherokee strip two days before the opening was five miles long. Photography was invoked in aid of the law, and where a "sooner" was caught sneaking into the reservation before the time a United States marshal pressed a button on him. When afterward he came in with an innocent air to claim his land, he was confronted with his own picture and could only retire in silence.

For twenty-four hours men stood in line before the land office at Kingfisher, Oklahoma, waiting to get their claims certified. Food was brought to them, or else they went hungry. During the night some of these enthusiasts slept on the bare ground, so as to be there when their turn came. It would have been easier to work for a lot and get it after the towns were laid out, but who thinks of that when his blood is up?

On the forward fringe of the struggle crowed were tanner men, gamblers, bonton sweaters, boomers, thieves, cutthroats and a band wagon loaded with Salvation Army people. One feature of the migration strongly resembled that of the pilgrim fathers of New England. Each considerable colony of settlers had with it a preacher or some one who could fill the place of one. On Easter Sunday these held divine service, and many a man who was losing his money in gambling games turned at the sound of the hymns, threw away his cards and silently glided in among the worshipers, who reminded him of far different scenes. At other points of the motley camp there were men galloping around upon race horses, training them for the great run of Tuesday

At the Sisseton reservation in Dakota the swiftest of the town site racers arrived half an hour before the general crowd. This crowd consisted chiefly of 200 men and half a dozen women, but the first thing those 200 men did was to settle the Indian on eligible town sites, before they had got themselves settled. American men against the world! Thirty minutes after that a grocery store and a restaurant were in full operation, and a number of shanties were building rapidly and the American flag was waving over all. This is now the American starts a town, and nobody else on the globe can do it to equal him. A marked feature of these boomer settlements, too, is the law and order sentiment that from the beginning characterizes them.

What Caused the Russian Famine.

Murat Halstead writes in The Cosmopolitan about the politics of the Russian famine. The manifest cause of the famine was the failure of the crops last year. The real cause in Mr. Halstead's judgment is the vast army that Russia keeps composed of men that ought to be tilling the soil. Russia no more needs a great army than the United States does, he declares. Her vast territory and population protect her from invading conquerors themselves, so that she needs no army for defense. No more does she need it for offense; for when she does gain victories over a weaker country the other European powers will not let her enjoy the fruits of them, as in the case of the war with Turkey. Therefore, the soldiers should be disbanded and put to work. Mr. Halstead continues:

> One-fourth of the forces she has under arms would be ample for the enforcement of order and discipline, and the conversion of military sentocracy would be unqualified gain. The superior soldiers ten years ago have sent home to till the soil hundreds of thousands of the soldiers who are a vain show, and their product would be twice as large as it is now.

The prevention of famine and the promotion of the public credit would have strengthened the empire at home and advanced far beyond all the myriads who could be drawn out in array for battle. The imperial policy has been the maintenance of the army and borrowing money at high rates, squandering labor and capital upon an establishment that makes no return except in its contribution to the degradation and profligacy of the few and the general impoverishment that results in the sharp set misery of the many.

The late Eugene Cowles, who died at El Paso, Tex., was intended by his father, Edwin Cowles, to be his successor on the Cleveland Leader. But the young man's talents did not run that way. He deserted newspaper work soon after his father's death and turned his attention to invention. He it was who first applied electricity to the separation of aluminium from clay. The process was very successful and the Cowles Aluminium company now operates the largest dynamo in the world. It would have been a fortune to the late Eugene Cowles, if he had lived, to find that his son was a success in one field though he was not in journalism. Too many wealthy self made men have the mortification of seeing their expensively educated sons failures altogether.

In Holland the men have become such devotees to the native gin that they can no longer be trusted to work the switches of railways. In consequence the switchmen have been discharged and switchwomen put into their places. The women are not drunkards. 'Tis well. Women were ever good at working the switch.

REED ATTACKS HOLMAN

The Treasury's Watchdog Accused of Inconsistency.

SECRETARY NOBLE IS WILLING NOW.

It Is Said That He Will Give the Pension Office Investigating Committee the Information They Asked For—Did Congressmember Reed Misrepresent Him?

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Representative William S. Holman, of Indiana, the "watch dog of the treasury," was again attacked in the house for his attitude concerning appropriations. Thursday Congressman Lockwood (Dem.) assailed Mr. Holman's policy and this attack was supplemented Friday by ex-Speaker Reed.

Consideration of the river and harbor bill was progressing peacefully until a paragraph making a large appropriation for improvements of the Ohio was reached. While in the provision for that appropriation was a clause setting aside $18,000 for the construction of a dike or embankment at Lawrenceburg, Ind., Mr. Holman's home. It was represented in the bill that the appropriation was for the purpose of utilizing the current from the Miami river, which flows into the Ohio at that point, to cut away a bar in the latter river. As Mr. Holman made no objection to this item in the interest of economy Mr. Reed assailed him bitterly.

Holman and Reed set to fight.

He said that the interest from Indiana was only human in wishing to aid his own people, but his idea of pleasure economy should not be allowed to prevent its every other manifestation. He was narrow and parsimonious in his nature. This work Mr. Reed believed to be unnecessary as it was not recommended by the engineer corps.

Mr. Holman said that if he had been twice so mean at the misfortune of the people in some town in Mr. Reed's district from overflow, fire or cyclone, or, as he (Reed) had sneered at the unfortunate people of Lawrenceburg, Ind., who suffered from the overflow of the Miami river, there would be no words low enough to be coined.

Mr. Reed said the reply of the gentleman from Indiana indicated the peculiar condition of his mind. He (Reed) had not sneered at the gentleman's constituency; he had criticised him because he believed him to be inconsistent.

"I want to impress upon this house," said Mr. Reed, "the painful fact that during fifteen years of service in this body I have never seen the gentleman from Indiana (Mr. Holman) vote against a single proposition for the benefit of his state or anything or anybody in it, while at the same time he has professed to be above selfish interests."

The house was now on the tips of expectancy now, and Mr. Holman, drawing himself out of his chair, appeared to be considerably agitated. Mr. Reed read from the reports of the engineers to show that they had never recommended any appropriations for embankments at Lawrenceburg although there had been an appropriation made for that very purpose. An appropriation bill passed in the last six or eight years.

That house allowed the Lawrenceburg provision to remain in the bill.

Secretary Noble Willing Now.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—A entirely new phase has taken place in the matter of Secretary Noble's refusal to furnish the special pension investigating committee of the house certain correspondence relating to discharged special examiners in the pension bureau which was requested by the committee. After consultation with the work of the committee say Secretary Noble will furnish the correspondence, and is perfectly *willing to do all he could to assist the committee* in its work. It is also intimated that Commissioner Raum in his letter to Chairman Wheeler, in which he said the secretary refused to furnish the papers, did so without the authority of Secretary Noble. In the event of the receipt of such an official from Secretary Noble, Judge Wheeler will be relieved of the necessity of presenting to the house a resolution laying the facts of the refusal before it and asking for action in the matter by that body, which step he would have taken after the meeting of his committee on Monday next.

Salisbury on Home Rule.

LONDON, May 7.—Lord Salisbury presided as grand master at the annual meeting of the Primrose league. He said that the death of Parnell had removed a more formidable foe to the unity of the empire than any that remained. He believed it to be best even for the tender mercies of Archbishop Walsh and his friends! Home rule would be a message to Ireland, not of peace, but of a civil war animated by the deepest religious antagonisms.

The Keeley Cure Abroad.

CHICAGO, May 7.—Negotiations have been completed for establishing Keeley institutes in England and France for the cure of the liquor habit. Dr. Keeley has sold the British and French rights to use his cure to an English syndicate, headed by J. J. Vickers, for an immense sum of money and a big block of stock.

Both Sides Are Determined.

BARRE, Vt., May 7.—The situation of the striking granite cutters is unchanged and both sides are determined. The granite manufacturers have appropriated $250,000 a month here. The strikers are leaving town and merchants fear a long fight.

Roche Will Read the Poem.

BOSTON, May 7.—James Jeffrey Roche, of the Boston Pilot, has been engaged to read the poem at the dedication of the "High Water Mark" monument at Gettysburg, on June 2, and General Henry H. Bingham, of Philadelphia, the oration.

Seal Fleeter Will Be Warned.

VICTORIA, B. C., May 7.—British Columbian sealers have called upon the minister of marine to see that the close season duly enforced and not summarily dealt with according to Secretary Tracy's instructions.

Editor Childs Leaves Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 7.—George W. Childs and party left the city for Colorado Springs, where Mr. Childs will take part in the dedicatory exercises of the Childs-Drexel Home for Union Printers on May 13.

Out of the Sugar Trust.

PHILADELPHIA, May 7.—There was a rumor today that the Franklin Sugar Refining company had withdrawn from the sugar trust, but the rumor could not be verified.

Two Died on the Same Gallows.

LITTLE ROCK, May 7.—L. D. Slaughter and Tom Bailey (colored) were hanged at noon for murder. Both executions took place at the same time and on the same gallows.

IN THE POLITICAL ARENA.

That Alleged Anti-Harrison Conference.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Ex-Senator Platt, before leaving for Washington, denied that he was going to Pittsburg to consult with Senator Quay as to buying Harrison delegates. Quay as to buying Harrison delegates. Platt said he was called out by a story published at Pittsburg that Senator Quay and Chris Magee had left Washington for Pittsburg, where they would hold a conference with Secretary Elkins, among them ex-Senator Platt, of New York, and General Tracy, that Quay and Magee might help the anti-Harrison delegation against the president, and that ex-Speaker Reed has prepared a proclamation stating the reasons why Harrison's nomination would be disastrous.

Mr. Platt also said that so far as he knew there was no truth in the report that the anti-Harrison members of the New York delegation to the Minneapolis convention had agreed to support John Sherman for president.

To Down New Jersey's Big Four.

JERSEY CITY, May 7.—A meeting of Democratic delegates of the Abbett-McGrath-McLoughlin-Davis faction in New Jersey will be held in Jersey City next week. At this conference it is said will be all of those men who are opposed to the Cleveland movement in the state, and their avowed object is to map out a line of action by which the "big four" may be driven from power.

It is alleged that the leading spirit in the new movement is no other than Senator Smith, an avowed enemy of Abbett and McGrathism. Other prominent men in the movement are said to be Senator Allaire, late president of the state senate, Judge Depue, of Hunterdon, General John P. Stockton, ex-Governor Bedle and Chancellor McGill.

Potter to Return, Too.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 7.—It is announced here *by the friends of ex-Governor Albert* G. Porter that he will resign his post as minister to Italy on Aug. 1 and return home by Sept. 15 to participate in the Indiana campaign. This is taken to mean that Porter will be the Republican candidate for governor if his friends can control the convention.

FASHIONS

Spring Paris Fashions.

SEEN ON THE BOULEVARD.

Easter Sunday morning in Paris all the fashions for the year were shown for the first time. As their influence is felt in this country, we give a sketch here of one, a *walking dress. It is a combination* of steel-grey surah, white satin ribbons, with green and white striped gauze, spotted with black chenille, and a pettcoat of plain white woolen stuff. The hat is of steel-grey straw, with black-and-white striped silk ribbons and tea roses, while the gloves are grey.

VICTORY FOR DR. PARKHURST.

He Secures the Conviction of Hattie Adams at New York.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Hattie Adams, who has been on trial for several days past charged by Rev. Dr. Parkhurst, the well known divine and president of the Society for the Prevention of Vice and Crime, with having kept a disorderly house, was found guilty by a jury of keeping a house of assignation. The jury recommended the woman to the mercy of the court. A new trial will be asked for.

The case has attracted attention in all parts of the United States, owing to the memorable midnight visit of Dr. Parkhurst to the house kept by Miss Adams on West Twenty-seventh street, on which occasion copies of a most disgraceful character were smashed, which have since been identified in virtually every instance by certain persons. "Gustave" Erving, a Christian worker, and a detective of the Vice society and Gardner Colby, Parkhurst's guide in visiting the house has been the subject of a very wide discussion among clergymen throughout the country. A few have condemned the raid, but many others have approved of his conduct.

Count Mombelli's Divorce Suit.

PARIS, May 7.—The young Count Mombelli, son of the famous Italian general and ambassador at Paris, Count Mombelli, and Marquis de Waldare, was plaintiff at Blois in a suit for divorce against his wife. The count surprised his wife and her lover, Ornesko, in flagrante delicto. When the latter came up for trial counsel for the wife pressed a postponement of the case on the ground that she had not received a citation.

The Salvationists Stampeded.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Pa., May 7.—The meeting at the Salvation Army hall in this city last night was interrupted and the worshipers panic-stricken by a man who mounted the stage and attempted to murder Captain David Maize with a dirkknife. Several persons were knocked down, and the man's arrest was only effected after a lively tussle. The man was frenzied by drink.

One Million Francs Stolen.

PARIS, May 7.—The police are investigating the mysterious robbery of a box which contained 1,500,000 francs in stocks and bonds from a van belonging to the Eastern Railway company.

A SOP TO THE STEERAGE

The Chinese Bill Thus Described at Omaha.

PRESIDENT HARRISON DESCRIBED.

Methodist Lay Delegates and Ministers Attack Him, but Other Majority Reports of the Exclusion Committee Favored the Dropping of the Vexatious Subject.

OMAHA, May 7.—At the meeting of the Methodist conference the action of President Harrison in signing the Chinese exclusion bill so soon after it was presented to him was severely condemned. The lay delegates, who are in favor of Chinese immigration, produced a resolution to declare up a protest against the bill. They telegraphed the president in regard to the affair, and now feel that the president has directly snubbed them. Their arraignment of the president's course was extremely bitter. In spite of these feelings, however, the committee on Chinese exclusion split on their report.

The Protest Presented.

Judge Lawrence, of Ohio, offered the majority, which was presented before the president had for good reasons signed the bill, the matter he died and nothing more done. Dr. Swindoles said that the conference must at once take some steps to protest against the passage of the bill. He had done to prevent the law, but something must be done to protect the Chinese in the United States and the Americans and the missionaries in China or there would be lost of life. Finally a substitute for the resolution be recommitted to the committee for future action. Judge Lawrence believed the matter should be referred to a select committee for further consideration. Dr. Swindoles denounced the president and congress and said that the Chinese had the same right to come to this country, notably the Irish. He believed this question should take action in no uncertain tone in relation to it. Dr. Buckley, of New York, called on the delegates to be careful in their actions. He attracted to get a copy of the bill and make a clear report on the subject.

Dr. Swindoles again made an earnest appeal for action on the bill. He regard the bill as a step backward. Finally Professor Little seconded, through a series of motions and calling for the previous question, in having the matter of the majority and minority reports, consisting of five ministers and four laymen. Dr. Dunn, of California, asked that the members of the committee be appointed from the Pacific coast. This was carried. There was a universal sigh of relief when the vexatious question was temporarily disposed of.

Two Brothers Die Together.

BERLIN, May 7.—Fagenstrom Brothers, wholesale dry goods and carpet dealers in this city, have committed suicide. The elder was found in his room with a bullet wound in his temple. His brother hanged himself in the attic. They were financially embarrassed. Coming so soon after the Friedlander and Hantmeyerstein affairs, the suicides of the Fagenstroms confidence and another panic is feared.

Snapped a Pin Into Her Eye.

NEW YORK, May 7.—James H. Swinarton, vice president of the American Strawboard company, and Anna E. Swinarton, his wife, have sued George La Bontillier, who keeps a dancing academy, for damages for $50,000 damages. While Mrs. Swinarton was shopping in the store one of the cash boys snapped a pin into her right eye, destroying its sight.

Another Body in a Net.

NYACK, N. Y., May 7.—George Barnett, while pulling up his shad nets, brought to the surface the body of a man. This is the second found in the same way in a week. The body is that of a colored man. It is supposed to have been a victim of the hotel burgs which capsized off Rockland lake last winter.

Ex-Assemblyman McCarthy Dead.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 7.—ex-Assemblyman Thomas McCarthy, of this city, is dead. He was a son of the late ex-Congressman and ex-State Senator Daniel McCarthy, and was forty-four years of age.

Queen Victoria Buys Land in St. Louis.

LONDON, May 7.—The granting of American registry to the steamships City of New York and City of Paris has aroused an unexpected storm of opposition here now that it is known that the famous lines will avail itself of the new right.

Another Daredevil Victim Dead.

PARIS, May 7.—Victor Hemmond, who was taking refreshments at a table in the restaurant of M. Very at the time of the explosion which avenged the arrest of Ravachol, died of his injuries.

Four New Police Captains.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The police board have appointed four captains to succeed. They are: John J. Delaney, John Gallagher, William R. Haughey and F. W. Martens.

The Triple Fight Button Changed.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—The Olympic club has changed the dates for the Sullivan-Corbett, Myer-McAuliffe and Fitzsimmons-Pritchard contests to Sept. 5, 6 and 7.

Editor Clymer's Jury Disagrees.

NEW HAVEN, May 7.—The jury in the case of Editor Clymer, of the Naugatuck Citizen, on trial charged with libel, disagreed.

Composer Guirand Dead.

PARIS, May 1.—Ernest Guirand, the composer, died as he was preparing to deliver a lecture in the conservatory.

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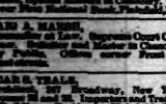

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PATTISON ON THE DEAL.

The Governor's Attitude Toward the Coal Combine.

HE APPEARS TO BE FULL OF FIGHT.

The Gigantic Enterprise, He Says, Is Against Law and Public Policy, and He Promises to Do All in His Power to Break It Up.

HARRISBURG, May 7.—Governor Pattison has been interviewed on his attitude toward the Reading coal deal. He was asked if the legal procedure already adopted against the Reading was the best and most speedy one.

"Yes," replied the governor. "I considered the subject with great care in consultation with my legal advisers—the attorney general and others. Every possible method of reaching the legal merits was discussed. The plan that was adopted was deemed the most expeditious; indeed, the only proper course, having in view an early decision by the supreme court. I first heard of the combination through the public press when I returned from Adjutant McClellan's funeral.

Reasonable Expedition Used.

"While the matters was under inspection, the letters of J. Cassett and of Mr. Powderly, of the date of Feb. 19, came to me. The attorney general used reasonable expedition in studying the subject under consideration, and then the parties were invited to meet Mr. Hensel in the chamber of the supreme court. The rest of the business is known to every one who reads the papers. Mr. Hensel filed his bill in equity, and Reading has put in its answer. Mr. Hensel is now engaged in sifting out the points in the answer that are not contested.

"A writ of quo warranto would be an arbitrary proceeding that would prove futile, I think. It means, speaking in popular language, that I would be asked to declare the charters of Reading, of Lehigh and of Central New Jersey forfeited. Hundreds of millions of securities—stocks and bonds—would become valueless without authority of law if the writ were successful. Yes, hundreds of millions would be in peril. Bona fide holders, not merely capitalists, but small investors—trust funds, widows and orphans—would be the sufferers.

Too Radical a Measure.

"I do not believe the courts of Pennsylvania would consent to so radical a measure. Neither do I think the people of Pennsylvania ask for or would sustain any such proceedings as wiping out the charters of the three coal roads.

"An application for a preliminary injunction would result in nothing. There would be no more of a practical nature accomplished thereby than in the equity bill. I consider the attorney general's bill a splendid legal paper. Able lawyers throughout the commonwealth also commend the bill.

"The permanent injunction ought either be affirmed or denied not later than October. The Reading answer is a very long and complicated document, and the attorney general must now sift out all the points in the document that do not deny the allegations of his original bill. Then the disputed questions of fact must be decided by a jury."

The South Pennsylvania Case.

"In the South Pennsylvania case your attorney general at the time, Lewis Cassidy, immediately applied for a preliminary injunction against the Pennsylvania road. He fought the case through the courts and defeated the scheme of consolidation," remarked the reporter.

"Yes, but the case was a different one. There was really no South Pennsylvania road in operation. It was only a partly completed line.

"The preliminary injunction prevented the consummation of the bargain. Reading, Lehigh and Central New Jersey have, as you know, made their bargain and put it in operation. The state was not informed of the transaction until it was consummated. So you see a preliminary injunction would not be useful under the existing conditions."

"Was there an opportunity, governor, to raise the question of public policy as an argument against the combination?" was asked.

"The subject of public expediency is raised because any violation of the wise provision of article 17 of the constitution ought never surely be regarded sound public policy. Any such combination as that of Reading and the two other railways is contrary to public policy.

"To any combination of capital, any union of corporations which leaves the public at the mercy of a few men I am unalterably opposed. I disapprove of any such combination. Officially I will do all that lies in my power to prevent; personally I do not hesitate to condemn in the strongest terms of disapprobation I can employ.

"All up and down the Lehigh valley there is already suffering as a result of the rail way combination. There will be much more by and by.

"A conspiracy to limit production or to artificially raise rates is contrary to the spirit of our laws and to the ideas of the people of Pennsylvania and of the United States. It is the duty of the officers of the law to prevent all illegal combinations that will perilize of exactions at the expense of the people. Speaking for myself, I will do all I can to thwart such combinations.

The Law's Delays.

"Was there a way by which a jury trial of this case could have been reached that would have expedited matters?"

"A jury trial of the facts claimed by the defendants in their answer to the attorney general's bill in equity will be useful to the state. Mr. Hensel, as I mentioned, is now engaged in collecting the points of difference between the bill and the answer, and a jury will decide the question for the facts. This whole procedure has progressed faster than the South Pennsylvania case, which appears to receive general commendation. I have been a few days and a half reaching a trial of the libel suit I brought against a Harrisburg newspaper. It was set for trial at this present term. There about three months only have elapsed in this great Reading case, involving hundreds of millions."

Governor Pattison Accused.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The New York Herald states that Governor Pattison is said to have refrained from annulling the Reading deal on the advice of political friends. The Herald declares that as this corporation has plainly transgressed the fundamental law of the state which gave it the right to exist, he could declare its charter vacated by its own illegal acts. That would stop the deal then and there.

Antonio Yznaga Dead.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Antonio Yznaga, a wealthy resident of this city and well known throughout the country, is dead. Two of Mr. Yznaga's daughters married well known Englishmen, one the Duke of Manchester and the other Sir John Lister Kaye.

CYCLONE AND EARTHQUAKE.

Pennsylvania Experiences Both of Them Yesterday.

Destruction.

GETTYSBURG, Pa., May 7.—A cyclone of extreme violence struck this place, uprooting trees and completely unroofing the Central hotel and the residence of H. C. Fickling adjoining.

An Earthquake Shock.

LANCASTER, Pa., May 7.—A slight shock of earthquake was felt in Terre Hill and other sections of North Lancaster county Friday. The shock was but of a few seconds' duration. The ground swayed and houses were shaken.

Struck by Lightning.

CHESTER, Pa., May 7.—During a severe thunder storm Julius Tuprowa, a German residing at Norwood, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. He was walking along the road, accompanied by two friends and his wife. One of the men was severely burned on the arm and the horse was killed.

The Cyclone at Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—A severe wind and rain storm passed over Washington, unroofing a number of houses. The frame steeple of the Hamline Methodist Episcopal church was blown off and hurled across the street. Telegraph, telephone and fire alarm wires were blown down.

ALLEGED CENSUS FRAUDS.

Empire State Democrats Accused by the New York Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The New York Tribune declares that wholesale alterations were made in the original enumerators' returns for the census of the state taken Feb. 16, and that fully 250,000 names returned as alive were changed to make them count as citizens.

The Tribune asserts that there were forced in the Brooklyn returns additions in about twenty counties and that an arbitrary addition of 28,639 was made to the population of Brooklyn. Eighteen or twenty clerks were at work for days in the house making fraudulent changes in the figures, according to The Tribune's story, which also alleges that the Democrats abandoned the scheme to telescope the returns further when they couldn't make the figures agree with those already given out.

Premier Rudini Resigns.

ROME, May 7.—The Marquis de Rudini has announced the resignation of the ministry in consequence of the vote of want of confidence in the chamber of deputies. Great political excitement continues to prevail. The Austrian and German representatives are in constant communication with their governments and the utmost anxiety is felt both in Berlin and Vienna. At the French embassy there is joy felt over the downfall of the Rudini ministry and the causes leading to it, which Frenchmen declare assures the severance of Italy from the triple Alliance.

Knights of Malta Chosen Officers.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., May 7.—The Knights of Malta elected the following officers of the supreme grand commandery: Supreme commander, E. G. Jones, Paterson, N. J.; generalissimo, R. D. Rutter, Lebanon; captain general, Louis E. Stila, Philadelphia; treasurer, Richard Stewart, Philadelphia; recorder, H. D. Miller, Philadelphia; senior warden, E. J. James, Allentown; warden, Aaron Lowe, Danville; sentinel, Harrison Sellers, Philadelphia.

Depew May Orate at the Fair.

CHICAGO, May 7.—Chauncey M. Depew may yet deliver an oration at the dedication of the World's fair buildings. His friends are exerting every influence to get a place for him on the programme for Oct. 12 next. Congressman Breckenridge, of Kentucky, who was chosen orator of the day several months ago, is heartily in favor of clearing the house of the occasion with Mr. Depew.

Iceman O'Sullivan's Funeral.

CHICAGO, May 7.—The remains of Patrick O'Sullivan, who died in the state penitentiary, where he was serving a life sentence of imprisonment for complicity in the murder of Dr. Cronin, were taken to Monroe, Wis., today for burial. State's Attorney Longenecker says, "Iceman O'Sullivan died game, but I'm positive that he would have made a full confession if he had not been intimidated."

Miss Clayton the Most Popular.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Last night fully 17,000 people attended the Actors' Fund fair. Miss Estelle Clayton was voted the most popular actress, while Charles Dickson was voted a similar honor among the actors. Each was the recipient of a handsome prize.

For the Loss of His Son's Affections.

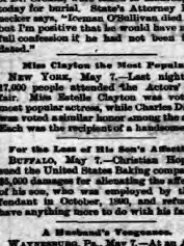
BUFFALO, May 7.—Christian Hopf has sued the United States Baking company for $5,000 damages for alienating the affections of his son, who is employed by the defendant in October, 1890, and refused to have anything more to do with his family.

A Mustard's Vengeance.

WAYNESBURG, Pa., May 7.—At an Aleppo township wake Jacob Miller surprised Enoch Bosworth and Mrs. Miller in a room together and put Bosworth's throat. The latter is dead. Miller has not yet been arrested.

An Ploche the Winner.

LORENZO, May 7.—The 1,000 guinea stakes at Newmarket were won by La Fleche; The Shave, second; Adoration, third.



—Life.

Something Like a Hoax.

A Jefferson avenue merchant was busy in his office yesterday when a book agent called on him.

"I have something to show you," insinuated the agent, slipping and sliding up to the desk.

The merchant looked up.

"And I have something to show you," he said politely.

"I beg your pardon," said the genial peddler.

"I have something to show you," repeated the merchant, rising and pointing across the room. "It has hinges on it and a knob, and it will slam behind you. Good day," and he sat down again as the agent accepted the present and passed out.—Detroit Free Press.

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The great eagle owl (Fig. 1) which is one of the largest of the owls, being more than two feet in length, is hardly at home among the cage birds that compose the remainder of our sketch, but it has been repeatedly bred in aviaries and generations have even been reared in confinement.

The chough (Fig. 2) was formerly a common bird in England. Now it is confined to the cliffs in the southern and western

NOTABLE BIRDS.

counties, and is common in the Channel Islands. It is one of the most graceful of the crow tribe, and its glossy plumage is in striking contrast to the coral red of its beak, legs and feet.

Immediately beneath the drawing of the chough are shown a pair of mynahs (Fig. 3), Indian species that are celebrated for their brilliant plumage and commonly kept and esteemed as cage birds. On the opposite side of the picture we have a pair of black capped lories, representatives of a large group of parrots which inhabit the Moluccas, New Guinea, and the adjacent islands. Partly obscuring these is figured a green bulbul (Fig. 5) from India, one of the most lovely of its tribe, although it is surpassed in the brilliancy of its coloring by the Gouldian finch (Fig. 6), so named in honor of one of the early Australian ornithologists, the author of Gould's series of folio monographs on birds.

Two well known English species are also included in our plate—the sober colored nightingale (Fig. 7) and the pretty little bottle-tit (Fig. 8). The first is the queen of songsters; the wonderful richness and melody of its notes and the deep feeling of sadness which pervades its performance leaving all competitors at a distance. The little bottle-tit has but a humble song, but its globular nest is familiar to most country residents; and when its little family emerges from the nest, and a dozen or fifteen young ones, hardly larger than humming birds or bumble bees, are seen following their parents, they afford as pretty a sight as can delight the eyes of a naturalist.

About Lichens.

In popular language we hear these plants usually spoken of as "mosses," a name which, unfortunately, belongs by right to little leafy plants very different from lichens. Popular Science News tells how lichens may easily be distinguished at sight, and illustrates a common species as follows:

A TYPICAL LICHEN.

which, with few exceptions, grow only in the water. Finally, the fact that lichens, after all, get—i. e., derive all their nourishment from the air—serves to separate them from fungi, which require for food either living animals or plants or else their decomposing remains.

Among the first specimens a student is likely to collect there will almost surely be found examples of the species known as Parmelia conspersa, which grows most plentifully on stone walls and rocks in pasture land. Its general form is shown in the cut. The upper surface is pale greenish or straw color, becoming dark-colored with age; the under surface is dark brown or black. Upon the upper side there are almost always to be found a number of chestnut colored saucer shaped fruits. This parmelia will answer as a typical example from which any pupil can get a good idea of the essential parts of a lichen and their general structure.

Paper for Sleepwalking.

The adaptability of paper is regarded as likely to lead to a solution of the problem of sending dwellings and buildings to sea fireproof. It is now found, says The Industrial World, that paper can be made perfectly fireproof, while remaining somewhat of the same texture as before. Australian architects

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A FANTASIE IN CORK.

MEMBERS OF THE UNION COUNTY COUNTRY CLUB THE CORKERS.

The Casino Thronged Saturday Evening to Enjoy the Fun—An Affair that Would Have Done Credit to Professionals.

There was a roaring time at the Casino Saturday evening. An audience of over five hundred people on pleasure bent, at one dollar a head, made Amateur Minstrelsy there, entitled "A Fantasie in Cork," a success both socially and financially. The programme was as given in Saturday's News.

There was laughter in all the variations of the scale from the dulcet music of the murmuring brook to the thunderous burst of excessive mirth that shook the audience if it did not shake the rafters.

It was a brilliant society gathering that was present on the occasion and everybody's face was radiant, as if the heart was glad. And how could it be otherwise with everything so irresistibly funny, and with funny friends doing the same as naturally as if they were born so instead of made up for the occasion, and had careful rehearsing.

The "gags" were new—at least to those who had never heard them before. Indeed if most of the performers had not already acquired fame and fortune in their fields, they could certainly win laurels as "corkers."

It is hoped the success of their first entertainment will lead the members of the Union County Country Club to further efforts. They can enjoy the work while a friendly public enjoys the fun, and then the money earned in this way can be advantageously used to help along some local charity, thus doubling the happiness. Then while the rich and famous may laugh and be merry, that may bring gladness also to the poor and unfortunate, who will know that they are not forgotten.

BREVITIES

—Manager Keller of the Crescents has loaned Windish, one of the pitchers.

—In another column Mr. A. L. Cadmus publishes a card of thanks to the Brewers.

—The Epworth League of the M. E. church will celebrate its anniversary next Sunday evening.

—Some person as yet unknown on Saturday last poisoned a dog belonging to Mr. Wm. Addis of Orange street.

—Messrs. Hallock & Davis with their usual enterprise are out with the first announcement of all styles of Spring ties.

—Edward Wilson went fishing in the new Market pond last night and returned to this city this morning with twenty-six catfish.

—At about four o'clock yesterday afternoon one of the Royal Blue Line trains struck and instantly killed a goat near a Washington street bridge.

—A horse belonging to Pearson & Gale came frightened on Somerset street at one o'clock this morning and ran away. No damage resulted.

—There is to be a meeting held at the Concord Club house this evening to protest against the Township Committee indiscriminately granting licenses.

—The members of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Green Mission Chapel will hold a meeting in the lecture room of the chapel tomorrow evening at eight o'clock.

—The Normal class, will, this evening, commence the study of the interesting book of Deuteronomy. A cordial invitation is extended to all. The class meets at eight o'clock, in the primary department of the First Baptist church.

—The strong Brighton Athletic Club team will meet the Crescents on the North Plainfield grounds on Wednesday this week at four p. m. Keenan and Ford will be in the "points" for the Crescents. A good game is expected.

—The Rev. Mr. Dwight preached for Park Place Chapel congregation last evening. His sermon was on the care of the Providence, founded on a text: "He bears all our cares; He feeth for you." The chapel was well filled.

—The annual meeting for the election officers of the Y. M. C. A. will be held the association rooms on Thursday evening, May 12th. The annual report of the President and Treasurer will be rendered. All members are urged to attend.

—A young man named "Buck" Naylor was arrested Saturday night by Marshal Pangborn on the charge of drunkenness. When arraigned before Justice Crossley this morning he pleaded guilty to the charge. The Justice suspended sentence.

—The Elizabeth Journal says: "the Crescents of Plainfield, are to have a new star this season. "Chic" Hofford, who has been playing with the Troy team in the Eastern League, has secured his release from the Troy club and will captain the Crescents. The Central League team will feel the effect of his work, no doubt, and the Crescents are be congratulated.

—The New York Sun of Thursday contained an article about a ride taken by a Mr. Sinclair on what is said to be the fastest train in the world. The man rode between the pilot and cylinder in a box. He says the engine, which has six and a half feet drivers, made 240 revolutions per minute. When Uncle Bill Atco was the boy he had a man on with him in the same way, and his engine with five feet eight-inch drivers made 325 revolutions per minute, which is considerably over. C. A. Hoagland's mill has also made over time.—Somerset Democrat.

GREAT BASE BALL SCORES.

The Various Games Played in this Vicinity Saturday.

The Crescent base ball team crossed bats with the Unions of Woodbridge on the grounds in this city Saturday afternoon.

The day was cold and only about four hundred persons were in attendance. The game was "tame" and there was not much enthusiasm shown.

The Crescents were the victors. They defeated their opponents by a score of 11 to 6.

The Boys' Club team succeeded in defeating the Unions in a game of base ball Saturday afternoon by a score of 23 to 21. The game was an interesting one. The score was by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boys' Club	2	1	2	5	1	0	0	2	9	1—23
Unions	1	1	2	3	0	5	0	9	0	8—21

The Westfield base ball team played a game of ball on their own grounds Saturday afternoon with the Plainfield Bicycle Club's team. The Westfield team won by a score of 28 to 7. Only six innings were played.

The members of the Westfield ball team wore crepe on their arms Saturday out of respect to the memory of the late Patrick O'Connor, their former third baseman.

TO HAVE A SPECIAL CAR.

Something of Interest to Melopoia Members.

Chiefly through the efforts of Mr. Andrews arrangements have been made with the Central Railroad Company to have a special train from New York stopping only at Plainfield, composed of the club cars, to accommodate the Melopoia members and their friends who attend the Patti Festival concerts Tuesday and Thursday evenings. The special will leave New York at midnight.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Garret Dreir and Mr. Harry Dreier of West Front street have located in Colorado.

The family of Mr. Dart of New York now occupy their new home on North avenue, Elmwood.

The members of the Fanwood Whist Club meet Thursday evenings. As a rule the evenings are very pleasantly spent.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mattison of Flemington returned to their home yesterday from a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mattison of Linden avenue, North Plainfield.

Mayor Gilbert will speak to members of the educational classes of the Y. M. C. A. at the reception to be held at the association rooms to-morrow evening at eight o'clock.

Patrick O'Connell, who played third base last year on the Westfield ball team, died in Brooklyn Friday from pneumonia. His funeral took place from his late residence yesterday afternoon. A number of Plainfielders attended.

Two Small Fires.

The roof of Kenyon's machine shop on East Third street caught fire Saturday afternoon. An alarm was sounded and the department turned out. The damage was slight.

Just previous to eleven o'clock Sunday morning an alarm of fire was sounded from box 45, situated at the corner of Muhlenberg Place and South Second street. The fire proved to be at A. L. Cadmus' Mill and was caused by a spark from a passing locomotive. The flames were extinguished before much damage resulted.

Bowling Notes.

The Crescent League Bowling team succeeded in defeating the Elizabeth Field team, Friday evening, by a score of 1,511 to 1,389. The score in detail is annexed:

CRESCENT.		ELIZ. FIELD CLUB.	
Lyman	177	P. Davis	146
Vail	187	Fleming	124
Neal	118	Brokaw	110
Williams	148	Weber	141
Emerson	130	Smith	160
J. Doane	146	Price	85
Doane	155	Morrow	139
Thien	122	Tobin	141
Waters	175	R. Davis	161
Van Winkle	165	Whipple	182
	1,511		1,389

Bishop Scarborough at Holy Cross Church.

Bishop Scarborough visited the Church of the Holy Cross yesterday morning and confirmed a large class of young people. The administration of the rite was very impressive. The Bishop preached an earnest and forcible sermon from Acts 1: 4. He was not present at the afternoon service, as announced, the Rev. E. M. Rodman, assisting the rector. The attendance was large at both services.

Turned his Family Out of Doors.

William Rondtree, a resident of Grove street, was arrested at two o'clock yesterday morning by Marshal Pangborn. He is charged with being drunk and disorderly and turning his family out of doors. He will be given a hearing before Justice Crossley this evening at eight o'clock.

A Wandering Boy.

Last evening at about ten o'clock the police found a horse and carriage wandering about the streets of the city. Two men were seated in the vehicle and both were asleep. They, evidently, were under the influence of liquor. The policemen awakened them and they drove off.

FINISHING ITS WORK.

THE BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS READY TO WITHDRAW.

Contractor Mahon Accepted a Big Reduction of his Alleged Claims—The County Collector's Report.

The last regular meeting of the Union county Board of Freeholders of 1891-92 was held Thursday afternoon. Another session to close up the financial matters of the year will be held to-morrow.

There was a full attendance Thursday, and in the lobby and halls two or three of the incoming members and some of the men who are looking for places in the new Board were waiting.

The session was largely taken up with the auditing of bills and the the passage of the same. There were several reports and the initiation of routine business.

The committee appointed to settle with Bernard Mahon, a contractor, who brought suits against the county for claims aggregating, in his allegations, to $62,378.14, made a very gratifying report. These claims of Mr. Mahon, he alleged, were due for excess work on county roads, damages, etc. The committee reported that the matter was settled by the payment to Mr. Mahon of $6,800, and they recommended that he be released from all further obligations.

The report of the committee was accepted and the recommendation unanimously adopted.

County Collector Wood's annual report of receipts and disbursements was read, with the accompanying certificate of the auditors of his accounts attesting its correctness. The receipts for the year were $430,328.05; disbursements, $396,720.90, leaving a balance to credit of the county $33,607.

Freeholder Littell offered a resolution appointing William Lahey keeper of the Summer street drawbridge in this city, at the salary of $315 per year, Lahey to take the place of Mr. Shawell, who recently died. The resolution was adopted.

After a brief discussion as to the general condition of the county roads, it was decided upon the resolution of Mr. Roll, that the members of the Board go over the system on Monday and accept those roads not officially accepted. The members assembled at ten o'clock this morning at Kerou's livery stable, and in carriages made the trip.

To-morrow morning the Board will meet for final adjournment.

New Incorporations.

The following articles of incorporation were filed in the Union county clerk's office last Friday. Phillips, Ferguson, Hanold & Company. The incorporators are J. B. Phillips, T. Ferguson, W. W. Hanold. The objects of the company are to manufacture chairs, Paris white, etc. Business will be conducted at Westfield and New York. This capital stock is $50,000.

The South-Eastern Wire Nail Co., have also filed articles of incorporation. The capital stock is $1,000 and business to be conducted at Plainfield and New York. The company will manufacture wire, nails, etc. The incorporators are I. Kaufman, H. B. Newhall, C. L. Phillips.

A New Church.

The new church building of the First Unitarian Society on Park avenue, near Seventh street, is to be called All Souls' Church, and will be dedicated next Wednesday evening. The sermon will be by the Rev. Minot J. Savage, the pastor of the Church of the Unity in Boston. Other clergymen who will participate are the Rev. D. C. H. Easton of New York, the Rev. Theodore C. Williams, the Rev. John W. Chadwick of Brooklyn, and the Rev. Robert Collyer. Visitors will be able to return home by train the same night.

The Bicycle Recovered.

The bicycle belonging to Mr. George Cornwell, which was stolen from in front of the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Friday evening was recovered at Newark Saturday night. The thief proved to be a fourteen-year-old boy. Captain Grant and Mr. Cornwell went to Newark Saturday night. The boy was brought back to this city. He confessed the crime.

He says he only took it for a ride and did not mean to steal.

The May Walk.

A large number of the Germans of this city went on a May walk yesterday. They met at the corner of Somerset street and Greenbrook road at an early hour in the morning, and then proceeded to the mountains, enjoying the day and watched the rising of the sun. The day was spent in feasting and other festivities. During the afternoon much gaiety as foot ball, base ball, etc., were engaged in.

The Good Housekeeper Catches the Early Fly.

[From the Louisville Courier-Journal.]

The warm weather will soon be here, and then all flies will have sprung on board. Of course, nobody will buy fly paper now or kill off the flies that are there to be caught by the vain fashion. Prevention is rarely thought of in connection with insect or vermin. The first flies, the first roaches, and the first rats are always allowed to increase. We are a nation of bad housekeepers, and are not improving.

New Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Fanwood Club, held last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mr. Stephens.
Vice President—C. W. Smith.
Secretary—Harry Robinson.

The Weather.

Slightly warmer and partly cloudy, with rain.

OLD FIREMEN.

The Members of the Old New York Department Visit Plainfield.

Mr. Jacob Blimm of Somerset street yesterday entertained twenty-one members of the old New York Volunteer Fire Department of which he was a member. The party arrived on the eleven o'clock train, went to his hotel and sat down to a banquet.

After they had satisfied their appetites they visited the various engine houses. Afterwards Mr. Blimm secured carriages and the firemen made a tour of the city. They were delighted with Plainfield and so expressed themselves as they left on the 5.16 p. m. train. The names of the visitors are as follows: Ex-Foreman James R. Burne, Augustus Balmer, William Winterson, Wm. J. Adams, Chas. W. Morgan, Jas. Morgan, Jas. McVey, Samuel Harris, Geo. Welford, Jas. Mennis, Wm. J. Cathy, Jas. McLean, Richard Hamblin, Thos. McBride, James Mullen, Geo. Widder, Richard Warner, Patrick Brady, R. M. Wood, R. D. Hall, and J. D. Dickerson.

The old firemen were shown the silver hose carriage belonging to Alert Hose Company. Many of them remembered having seen it many years ago in New York.

A Fire Destroyed.

A correspondent of a foreign exchange says that the only reliable means of ridding the hen roost and pigeon loft of vermin is a preparation of sulphur and carbon, technically known as sulphuret carbon. In France it has been thoroughly tested, and we are assured that it works like a charm. It kills the insects which prey upon fowls and pigeons without injuring the birds. A bottleful of the solution will last several days, and the cost of it is small.

Put two ounces of the sulphuret of carbon in a bottle open at the mouth and hang it by a string in the hen house. At the end of eight days the bottle should be refilled. The remedy is said to be infallible. If as good as claimed to be it should be known to every farmer's wife and poultry raiser throughout the land.

Fire Engine Horses Ran Away.

The team of horses used in drawing No. 2's engine to fires became uncontrollable yesterday morning and ran away. In leaving the house one of the wheels of the steamer struck the tree over the building and badly barked it. The horses ran down Front street at a breakneck speed and the driver was unable to stop them until they were above Marsh, Ayers & Co., paint store.

A Bell Presentation.

The members of Harmony Fire Engine Company No. 1, of Trenton passed through this city this morning in a special car attached to the 8.40 train. They were bound for Elizabeth and in the car they had a bell which they were to present to one of the Elizabeth Engine companies. The company attracted considerable attention.

Mr. Babcock Buys Laing's Hotel.

The property on West Front street, known as Laing's Hotel has again changed hands. Saturday George H. Babcock purchased the land and buildings from the First National Bank for $32,000. Mr. Babcock is undecided as to what he will do with his new purchase.

A Mad Dog Shot.

Another mad dog was shot at Westfield last Wednesday evening. The animal was owned by Mrs. Geary, of Geary street near Westfield avenue and bit a large dog belonging to Wm. Kelly. Robt. Woodruff, Sr., had in part a bloody encounter. Charges of shot into the dog before it died.

It is "The City Produce Co," Now.

Mr. L. A. Hammer, who took complete control of the produce business Saturday morning of Mr. A. L. Cadmus, Jr., soon was the head, will continue business at the same well-known stand on North avenue under the firm name of "The City Produce Co."

—Among the thousand and one recently invented dental and surgical appliances is an ingenious device of French origin for producing local paralysis of the nerves, in order that minor dental and surgical operations may be painless. It consists of a glass tube filled with a highly volatile liquid. One end of the tube terminates in a closed nozzle an inch in length. This may be broken off, and the break leaves an orifice opening into the tube. Meanwhile the heat of the hand vaporizes the liquid, and the stream of vapor may be directed against the parts to be deadened of feeling. The parts are in effect frozen, and the condition continues long enough for the completion of the operation. It is asserted that the effects are unaltered by the action of the vapor.

A CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to return my thanks to the fire department and all others who rendered prompt and valuable service in checking the fire at Commercial Mills, on May 3d.

A. L. CADMUS.

PHILIP BLOCK,

NEW AND SECOND HAND Clothing

Bought and sold. 51 West Front street.

Cleaning and repairing neatly done at shortest notice and lowest prices. 9 6

IF YOU WANT

FINE ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER

Cheese, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at

25½ NORTH AVENUE,

Also on hand canned goods, pickles, etc.

THOS. CARTY, 12 1m

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

CUT BOTH THEIR TONGUES OUT.

That is How a Former Sweetheart Treated Man and Wife.

Los Ores, N. M. May 9th. (Special.)—Two weeks ago Isabella Mariano was to be married to Jose Pedro. He, however, proved faithless, marrying instead Angelica Montzan.

The jilted girl slowly recovered from the prostration into which her lover's perfidy threw her, and yesterday afternoon, entering the apartments of Pedro and his wife, found them both asleep.

She cut their tongues out and fled, only to be captured by the City Marshal after a desperate struggle, in which the latter was severely wounded by the maddened woman.

Pedro and his wife will live, but never be able to speak again.

A SHOCKING MURDER.

A Man Kills his Wife and then Throws Himself in front of a Train.

Canaseia, L. I., May 9th. (Special.)—A shocking murder and suicide, which were discovered here late last night, have caused a great sensation.

Abel Smith, a young colored man, lived with his wife, Miranda, in a hovel on the flatlands, a short distance from the village. During a quarrel in the evening Abel killed his wife with a shotgun.

Leaving her body, fairly riddled with heavy bird shot, lying on her bed, Abel walked to the railroad, near the house, and threw himself in front of a Canarsie train.

Deeming Very Savage.

Melbourne, May 9, (Special.)—The execution of Frederick Baily Deeming, the convicted murderer, waste-day set down for May 23. Deeming is kept in irons to keep him from injuring himself and others, for he is at times very savage, while in his best mood he is forbidding and morose.

Little Sermons on a String.

Never be idle.
Make few promises.
Always speak the truth.
Never speak ill of any one.
Act up to your resolutions.
Keep good company or none.
Be just before you are generous.
Never borrow if you can possibly avoid it.
Keep your own secrets if you have any.
Good character is above all things else.
Never play at any kind of game of chance.
Keep yourself innocent if you would be happy.
When you speak to a person look him in the face.
Save when you are young to spend when you are old.
Always live, misfortune accepted, within your income.
Good company and good conversation are the very sinews of virtue.
Your character cannot be essentially injured except by your own acts.
If one should speak evil of you, let your life be so that none will believe him.
Never run in debt unless you see a very certain way to get out again.
Make no great haste to be rich if you would prosper; small and steady gains; give competency, with tranquility of mind.

—"Hands Across the Sea" is the title of the next play to be presented at Music Hall.

—Plants of all kinds at prices way down is the specialty offered by the United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association this week.

—The oldest pair of matched horses in Connecticut belong to Eli Wakelee of Ansonia. They are 31 and 32 years old, and have been owned and used by him almost daily for seventeen years. The next oldest pair belongs to George Coz, who owns the Revere Mills in Portland. They are 30 and 30 years old. They were both raised on Sex farm. They were broken when three years old, and have never been separated in their labors. Mr. Coz has refused $600 for the team, estimates that they have drawn not less than 6,000 tons of ice, and during the whole time he has never carried a whip.—Ex.

IN the great contest men work too hard and too long; they fret and worry over-much: Work is good: striving is good: but "the first rule of the game" is this—

Have some E-O for breakfast.

DEATHS

WILLIS—At Netherwood, May 7th, Edward Willis, Sr., in the 70th year of his age.

Funeral services from his late residence, Sunday afternoon, at two o'clock p. m. Interment private.

HEADQUARTERS FOR PLANTS : OF : ALL : KINDS!

No Fancy Prices Asked,

AT THE

United Tea & Coffee Growers' Association,

The Champions of Low Prices. 22 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

WHERE CAN I BUY A GOOD SHOE for $2.00?

Say Nothing. Come to Us.

Doane & Van Arsdale,

22 WEST FRONT STREET.

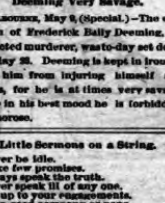
The One Price Boot & Shoe House.

DON'T COOK YOUR MEAT.

Buy it cooked. Ready for the table. A. G. Vogeler, the West Front street butcher, now sells all kinds of cooked meat, including cooked corn-beef, roast ham, roast veal, pickled pig's feet, etc.

All Kinds of Fresh Meat Also on Hand.

17 WEST FRONT STREET.



In compliance with an ORDINANCE just passed by the City Fathers, every Bicycle must be equipped with

LAMP AND BELL,

under penalty of $20 fine.

A large and complete assortment of Cycling goods can always be found at the

Wheelmen's Headquarters,

Corner PARK AVE. and FOURTH ST.

FRANK L. C. MARTIN.

Cent-a-Word Column.

HELP WANTED.

A DRESSMAKER wants a competent forewoman. Only experienced women need apply. Address "B," care of Evening News. 12 2-3

HANDS wanted to make white pants. Good prices given, at No. 3 Madison avenue. 1-3

WANTED—A girl as cook, washer and ironer. Apply to 12 Franklin place, between 12 and 2 o'clock. 9 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Good cook, washer and ironer. 10 Crescent avenue. 9 2

BOARDERS WANTED.

AT 19 Craig place, furnished rooms with board. Table boarders accommodated. 5 5 1m

FOR SALE.

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased at Elmwood Park, Somerset street. Address R. F. M. Chase, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to E. C. Mulford, real estate broker. Call and see them. 300 feet above the sea level. 2 18tf

FOR SALE — Green sod. Cheaper than grass seed. John Barry, 243. 44-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

GARDEN-WORK done, lawns fixed, flower-beds arranged, by a thorough landscape gardener. Call 39 East Second street. 6-8

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order, bought and sold. Call Parsonage store, 14 Somerset street. 3-30tf

WANTED—For the next thirty days water closets to clean at three dollars each. Borough only. John Barry, Box 243. 44-tf

The Time has come when all should buy their CLOTHING At Home

providing they can get Quality, Style and Fit, just as good and cheap. Note the

Acme Tailoring Co.

guarantee to do, and prove a Perfect Fit or no Sale.

We have the Largest Assortment of CLOTHS & CASSIMERES in the State. Our store is Exclusively devoted to Merchant Tailoring.

Kindly give us a call for inspection.

Acme Tailoring Co.,

No. 219 West Front Street.

John H. Frank, Pres. and Treas.
Walter C. Limberger, Sec. 3 31 3m

STRAW : HATS!

We have received a good assortment for Men and Boys.

Hallock & Davis,

5 West Front Street.

Don't Forget we keep MEN'S FURNISHINGS. Also Trunks and Bags.

V. & W. Say:

Never were there such inducements offered in Dry Goods as we are now offering through out our entire store. Read the list of specials that we have for the coming week.

For Thirteen Cents

We will sell one case of Cotton Crepe Cloth, one of the handsomest 10c fabrics that have been brought out this season. They are unsurpassed for wear, and you will like them. Real value 25 cents.

Mattings.

Upwards of 2,000 yards sold last week and we want to sell as much the coming week, and to do it we have marked clearing out prices on our entire line. You will find we have the finest assortment of styles in this town.

For Thirty-nine Cents

We will sell 100 bedsacks.

Spring Coats.

Now is your chance. We put on sale to-day 200 fine Spring Coats for ladies. Colors, cadet blue, tan and black. Sizes 32 to 44. The same styles sold one week ago for $7.

For Ten Cents

You have your choice of 100 different styles of Fine Dress Gingham. Real value 15 cents.

For Eight Seventy-five

You buy a fine 112 piece Bedside percaline quilt, never sold for less. Would be cheap at $10.

Special prices on bleached and brown sheeting for this week.

EVERY BOY WHO COMES TO OUR STORE THIS WEEK WITH HIS MOTHER, GETS A BASE BALL BAT FREE.

Parasols.

Have you seen our assortment? 'Tis the largest we have ever displayed, and the prices are the lowest.

Van Emburgh & White.

$50 REWARD!

The Mayor and Common Council of the Borough of North Plainfield offer the above sum for the

Arrest and Conviction

of the person or persons who effected an entrance into the residence of Augustus Van Deventer and J. H. Alexander, situated in the borough of North Plainfield, on the night of May 3, 1892, and removed therefrom articles of value, consisting of clothing, silverware, etc.

W. L. SAUNDERS, Mayor.
Attest: H. H. BROKAW, Clerk.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Electrical discharges have been used for clearing fogs on the seacoast so successfully that it is said a single discharge clears the atmosphere temporarily of fog in a circuit of 150 feet.

Electrical workmen should never hold the ends of small battery wires in their mouths to test the current. A man who was in the habit of doing this lately died from copper poisoning.

A soft rubber disk fixed upon a rubber spring has been invented to aid the hearing of the partially deaf. This is inserted in the ear, and is shaped so that it will focus the waves of sound upon the natural ear drum. It has been used with eminent success, as by it many partially deaf persons are able to dispense with the cumbersome, long ear trumpets.

The late Colonel Richard Biddle Erwin, of the editorial staff of the New York Tribune, was a direct descendant of Benjamin Franklin, being the grandson of that beautiful Sally Franklin who was so dear to her father's heart. But the family is not extinct. Colonel Erwin left a brother, Rear Admiral Erwin, commander of the Mare Island navy yard at San Francisco.

A correspondent of the French paper La Nature has been able to take the photograph of a land torpedo at the moment of explosion. The result is an interesting one. The ascending jets of earth resemble in the black and white picture bunches of growing plants. But from such photographs engineers will be able to calculate how much soil a torpedo of given size can dislodge.

What Doctors Cannot Do.

A strange address indeed is that delivered by Professor Herrmann Nothnagel, of Vienna, before the Association of German Naturalists and Physicians. Here is one of the most learned physicians in the world talking to a body of men only less scholarly than himself. And what does he say?

This, for one thing: The various diseases of the blood, ailments that pass through different phases and stages, the innumerable host of diseases of the nervous system "to this time have furnished no more opportunities for a real cure than the soil of Alaska for the successful cultivation of the date palm."

Infectious diseases must run their course and all the doctor can do is to support the patient meanwhile by nourishment and hygienic measures. "Whichever way one turns he will strike limits." Diseased conditions may be arrested in their initiatory stages sometimes, but after they have culminated never. The pathological conditions which cause calculus may be arrested sometimes, but after the calculus is formed nothing but the surgeon's knife can take it away.

No doctor can cure malaria while the patient remains in malarial districts. Alcohol, morphine and bromide relieve temporarily the pain in certain diseases, but never stop the disease itself.

To sum up: Disease must heal itself. The painful symptoms of the sufferer are nature's effort to right the system and put it to working correctly. The doctor can only endeavor to sustain the patient while nature does this work "by dietetic, hygienic and climatic influences: here by the removal of excitants there by methodical stimulation of the matter changes of the nervous system.

The Best Education.

An inquiring person who has been investigating the typewriting occupation finds that she who gets the best paying place, with the easiest hours and the most privileges in a city establishment is the country girl. This is because the young lady from the rural districts is better educated than the city girl. She knows grammar and spelling, and has been used to writing compositions and punctuating since she was a child. She therefore knows how to prepare matter either for correspondence or for the press in much better shape than the average city girl can do.

This is strictly true. Our best public schools today are in the country. City girls from infancy go in for clothes and shows, seeing so much of both around them. The girl in the quieter, healthier life of the country finds her greatest pleasure in the public school and the village literary society. Young men and women in the country are consequently sufficiently educated for practical purposes when they can pass examination and obtain a teacher's certificate. This is their diploma of a good common school education. In the term "country" we include the country town. It is probable that of the same number ten in the rural district could pass examination for a public school teacher's certificate in ordinary English branches where two could do it in a city. There are in the city not the same enthusiasm and reverence for learning that reign in the country. It is partly because there is so much more to divert the city child's attention.

The superior education of the country young person is also owing partly to the fact that in the country there are comparatively few foreign children to corrupt the language and muddle young ideas.

AN ATTACK ON READING.

Gov. Abbett's Fight Against the Coal Combine.

THERE ARE LAWS ENOUGH, HE SAYS.

Consequently No Extra Session of the Legislature Will Be Called, but Fred Kendlog's Course in the Jersey Central Will Not Be Set Aside If Possible.

TRENTON, N. J., May 9.—Governor Abbett is determined to prevent the consummation of the Reading deal. He will not call an extra session of the legislature, as was his first intention, because prohibitory legislation is not necessary. There is a law sufficient to break the combine, he says, and it will be invoked at once. Attorney General Stockton has been directed to appeal to the court of chancery to have declared invalid the lease of the New Jersey Central to the Port Reading Railroad company. If the court grants the relief the combine will be broken, as control of the New Jersey Central is necessary to the success of President McLeod's big scheme. The Port Reading is owned by magnates of the Philadelphia and Reading and the Lackawanna and the Jersey Central were leased to it a few years ago, as it now turns out, for the especial purpose of this deal. The New Jersey Central could not be leased directly to the Philadelphia and Reading because the leasing of home corporations to foreign corporations is not permitted by the laws of New Jersey.

A Corporation on Paper Only.

The attorney general to sever the tie between the New Jersey Central and the Port Reading will allege that the latter is a corporation on paper only and has no existence in fact but only in name. In support of the allegation he will show that the Port Reading has never made any return to the state board of assessors for the purpose of taxation. The law requires all railroad companies to make returns annually. The failure of the Port Reading to comply with the law, according to the authorities here, proves its insignificance and its failing sufficiency as a corporation will be relied upon for proof to show that the leasing of it to the New Jersey Central is an evasion and fraud on the law forbidding leasing to foreign corporations of nonresident owners. Attorney General Stockton is getting the papers ready and a bitter fight will undoubtedly ensue. The Port Reading will go into the fight backed by the owners of all the roads in the combine.

Miners Are Murmuring.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 9.—Murmurings of discontent among the miners of the Wyoming valley since the consummation of the Reading deal are increasing, and an organized effort is being made by them to resist it. John S. Hadrack, one of the most prominent labor leaders in the anthracite region, said last night that the spirit of unrest was universal among the workingmen.

"They have waited patiently," he said, "for some bona fide action by the state government looking to the enforcement of the constitution against the combine, but have become disgusted at the evident indecisivity of those in position to bring the combine to terms. Now they propose to take the matter into their own hands. The men say that in order to pay the guarantee given by the Reading one of two things must be done.

"The price of coal must be advanced forty cents a ton or the wages of the miners reduced 7½ to 10 per cent. They cannot see how it is possible to advance the price of coal in the market, and they conclude that the only other alternative is a reduction of their wages to the starvation point.

"It is the universal opinion that the policy of retrenchment already inaugurated by the Reading will bear heavily upon the miners, and for the sake of their homes the men are determined that the constitution shall be obeyed or serious trouble will follow."

Chinese Threatening Foreigners.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—Advices from China show that villainous antiforeign placards have again appeared on the walls of Kiukiang. Some were posted on the torii down at Shanghai, whereupon a larger number was put up. The Christians have been warned that they are to be driven out.

Sallie McClelland is Great Force.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 9.—Byron McClelland's stable, the property of Colonel Twesig, Bermuda's right foreleg is so badly injured that he will not start in any of the big handicaps. Sallie McClelland has almost recovered her old form, and her owner believes she will again be a winner.

A House Thief with Three Wives.

MALDEN, Mass., May 9.—The Malden police are looking for Clifford Savory on a charge of horse stealing. Savory also has three wives, one living at 12 Green street, one in Melrose and one in the Maplewood district, where he has been living under the name of John E. Holmes.

The Kiss Cost Him Five Dollars.

WOBURN, Mass., May 9.—James Torrey, a Winchester farmer, was fined five dollars for kissing Mrs. Mary Stuart. The plaintiff said she did not mind the kiss at the time, but had been annoyed by neighbors making fun of her about it.

Suicide in a Furnace.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—Charles Tenetis, a stevedore, jumped into the furnace of the tug Governor Irwin and roasted himself to death. No cause for the suicide is known except that he was drunk and despondent.

Gas Leaked and She Died.

JERSEY CITY, May 9.—Mary Meyer, eighteen, domestic in the employ of C. C. Brown at 128 Mercer street, was found dead in bed asphyxiated by gas, which had poured from a loosely connected fixture.

More Police for France.

PARIS, May 9.—Among the bills to be submitted to the chamber is one providing for an addition of 1,000 men to the force of police, on account of the inability of the police to deal with the dynamiters.

Miss Emma Allerton Dead.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 9.—Miss Emma E. Allerton, for twenty-four years principal of the Poughkeepsie High school, died suddenly in this city Sunday.

The Barnaby Will Case.

PROVIDENCE, May 9.—By consent of counsel the Barnaby will case, on the supreme court docket for Thursday next, has been postponed till October.

The Mich. Mill Burned $120,000.

LUDINGTON, Mich., May 9.—The Butler & Peters Salt and Lumber company's mills were destroyed by fire. Loss, $120,000.

METHODISTS AND EDUCATION.

Many Delegates Finish a Great Conference Session.

OMAHA, May 8.—The meeting of the Methodists at Exposition hall in the interest of American university and Christian education was well attended. Bishop Hurst presided. The first speaker was Bishop Newman, of Omaha, who took as his subject "The Genesis of the American University." "The Aborigines of the Country and the Institutions of the Church" was Dr. Payne's subject and he spoke in a feeling manner of the necessity of church education. Bishop Foster spoke on "The University the Defender of Our Faith," contending that the sneers of the infidel or the gibes of the deist can only be combatted by those educated in all branches. "The University in Relation to the Mission Field" was Dr. C. C. McCabe's theme. He contended that education was absolutely necessary to prepare work in the missions in order to acquire tongues of the heathen.

Dr. Frank M. Bristol took for his text "The Practical and Higher Education." His chief point was that educated people would not tolerate an uneducated pulpit. "Providential Aspects of the American University" was the theme of Dr. J. W. Poucher, D. D., of the Ohio Wesleyan. He believed the establishment of an American college at the national capital, under control of the Methodist church, would add much to the dignity of the church and of its ministers. "The American University—Why the Methodists Should Build It" was fully handled by John E. Searles, Jr. A collegiate sequel to Yale and Oxford was badly needed by the Methodists, he argued. "The American University, a Worthy Mark of Our Twenty-first Anniversary," was Dr. Moore's subject. He believed the time had come to build a great college, and that by so ordering this conference would have a mark that would redound to its credit in ages to come.

FASHIONS

A Striking Costume.

BEATED IN THE PARK.

In a Parisian Park the artist sketched the brilliant costume shown here. It consisted of a jacket bodice in white cloth, trimmed with very dark green velvet, a worn with a skirt of pale green and gray striped pekin, grey gloves, and a hat to match.

For Summer Evening Wear.

Evening gowns for summer wear will be made of diaphanous materials, which come under a great variety of names, but may be simply classified as gauzes, chiffons and grenadines. They are printed in the large floral designs of the Pompadour period, vivid in the harmonies in color, dainty and summerlike in effect, and are made up over bright silk linings with great skill in the avoidance of seams and great mystery as regards fastenings.

The new bets give opportunity for wearing and showing a quantity of hand jewelry in the form of combs, hat pins and ornaments.

Linen cuffs have been recalled into the ranks of fashion and will be worn with link buttons with tailor gowns.

His Neck Was Broken.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 9.—Pinkey Marks, a tough, went on a ballon tenor and bouncing on Ninth avenue and negan a fight. He defended himself with an ax and the Italians used bricks. Joe Palle, one of the Italians, was trying to effect a settlement when Marks' neck was broken by a flying brick, dead ensuing in a few minutes.

Negroes Looking Toward Africa.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 9.—About 1,000 negroes attended a mass meeting here, organized an emigration society to place colonies in Africa and resolutions indorsing Senator Butler's bill, that whites and blacks cannot exist together, and asked the press to urge congress to pass the law.

Derailed by a Cow.

BRADFORD, Pa., May 9.—Freight train No. 21 on the Erie Railroad ran over a cow one mile east of Carrollton, N. Y. The engine and seven cars were derailed and ditched. Brakeman C. S. Brown had a leg broken, and Fireman E. A. Cobb is seriously cut and bruised.

Captain Bogardus Beaten.

ST. LOUIS, May 9.—Captain Bogardus, at one time champion wing shot of the world, and W. T. Reszrot, of Illinois, shot a live bird match here yesterday, each shot at seventy-five pigeons, and Rezrot succeeded in stopping sixty-five, Bogardus scoring but sixty-four.

Denounced by Dr. McGlynn.

NEW YORK, May 9.—Dr. McGlynn lectured in Cooper Union on the school question, denouncing the parochial schools as out of sympathy with the progress of the republic.

Pinkham Still in Jail.

NEW YORK, May 9.—Ex-President Charles H. Pinkham, of the Bank of Harlem, passed Sunday in the city prison. He does not know whether or not he will be able to get bail.

Bitten by a Mad Dog.

JAMESBURG, N. J., May 9.—Charles Ehrs, son of Frederick Ehrs, of Jamesburg, was terribly bitten in the face by a mad dog. The boy's wounds were cauterized.

Four Waiters Perished.

LONDON, May 9.—Scott's famous Haymarket restaurant was burned to the ground and four waiters perished.

WE MAY HAVE HAWAII YET

An Annexation Scheme Afoot in the House.

SILVER MEN AGAINST COOLIDGE.

Western Senators Will Endeavor to Prevent the New French Minister from Going Aboard Because He Is a Pronounced Gold Man and They Fear Him.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—It is said that Representative Bloom, chairman of the house committee on foreign affairs, has made a cautious canvass among leading members of the house to see what congressional support can be obtained for a scheme for the annexation of the Hawaiian islands. The matter has as its origin in the belief that it would be more politic for the United States to secure possession of the islands than to allow England either to seize them or establish a protectorate there.

Dr. Mott, who is the confidential agent of the United States, was seen by a reporter in regard to the matter. He was not in the confidence, he said, of those reported to be interested in the move. When informed that the suggestion of annexation had come from himself, Dr. Mott said that he knew not aware of any such move there and passed the matter over lightly, but made the statement that if the United States made Hawaii a fair proposition looking toward annexation it would be well received by the latter country.

To Call Up the Bland Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Representative Pierce, from Rhode Island, is making his endeavor to secure a majority of Democratic signatures to his petition to call up the silver bill, produced on petition, which reads as follows: "We, the undersigned Democratic members of the Fifty-second congress request the committee on rules to bring in an order fixing a day when a final vote shall be taken on the Bland bill and amendments and to prevent filibustering on the said bill." Following this draft are the names he had secured, which number 105.

"If," said Mr. Pierce, "Speaker Crisp decides that the three members of the rules committee are to be counted then we will have to secure the names of 115 members instead of 113, but we are sanguine of getting the necessary number."

The Ocean Greyhounds Wanted.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Mr. Frye occupied one hour of the senate's time in reference to the house bill authorizing an American register to be given to the City of Paris and her sister ocean greyhound of the Inman line, City of New York, conditioned upon the company building two other vessels of equal size and speed in this country.

The senate committee of commerce, of which Mr. Frye is chairman, had authorized him to report the house bill favorably to the senate and to urge its immediate passage, and this he did. This week the senate will discuss the foreign relations committee's bill to give United States courts jurisdiction over offenses committed against aliens.

Another question likely soon to come to come up during the week is Mr. Kyle's resolution for investigating the shops at cities, and Mr. Morgan has given notice of another bill to authorize the president to confer with the president's message about the suggested international monetary conference, which is on the vice president's table.

The Anticpation Bill.

It is probable that a test vote on the bill introduced by Representative Hatch, of Missouri, aimed at the suppression of gambling in the shape of dealing in options, as the anticpation bill, will be had in the house this week, and in anticipation thereof much earnest work is being done by its supporters to secure its consideration.

To Turn Down Coolidge.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—An effort will be made in the senate to defeat the nomination of T. Jefferson Coolidge, of Boston, to be minister to France. Several prominent silver men are the leaders in the movement, and their course is actuated by the fact that Mr. Coolidge is a pronounced gold man. They think a man of his opinions would be likely to accept the offer by which the United States government is making to arrange an international monetary conference.

For an American Monte Carlo.

NEW YORK, May 9.—M. P. Phillips, who was sent to France by a syndicate of capitalists to study the workings of the gaming rooms at Monte Carlo, arrived on La Bourgogne. The syndicate will endeavor to get permission to open a resort similar to Monte Carlo at one of the American pleasure resorts.

A Ticket Scalper in Trouble.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 9.—Detective J. G. Doyle has arrested Guthrey T. Scogan, a ticket scalper, on the charge of being implicated in the stealing of $14,000 of mileage tickets and blank passes from the Northern Pacific station at Crookston, Minn.

With the Yellow Flag Flying.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—The steamer City of Tokio, from China and Japan, came into the harbor with the yellow flag flying. Small pox was discovered among 1,200 Chinese just as the vessel was leaving Yokohama.

Slid the Money Under a Bridge.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., May 9.—Herbert Darrough has confessed that he stole $2,300 from the Pacific Express company and has recovered the money. During two days and nights he hid it under a bridge.

She Is 106 Years Old.

BURLINGTON, N. J., May 8.—Surrounded by several generations of her family, a host of friends and members of the Baptist Sunday school, Mrs. Martha Post celebrated her 106th birthday Sunday. During two days and nights he hid it under a bridge.

Hotel Men to Meet.

NEW YORK, May 8.—The Jersey hotel men left in a special train for Detroit to attend the annual meeting of the Hotel Men's Benefit association, which convenes there on May 10.

More Dynamite Abroad.

BUDAPEST, May 8.—Two dynamite bombs were exploded in Verecke last evening. The second totally destroyed the house of Notary Papp. No one was killed.

Investigating Young's Case.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The Washington correspondents have begun an investigation into the dismissal under charges by the senate of Executive Clerk Young.

Court Tavern Resigns.

ROME, May 8.—In consequence of the cabinet crisis Count Tavern, appointed ambassador to Berlin in di Lemay's place, has resigned.

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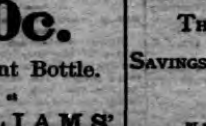

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Mysterious Meeting of Republicans at Washington.

PLATT, QUAY AND BLAINE CONFER.

Have They United on Senator Sherman, General Alger or Mr. Blaine as Their Favorite for the Presidential Nomination?—Cleveland Democrats to Meet.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—There is a manifest disposition among the so called anti-administration Republicans to belittle the importance of the conference held in Wash'gton by ex-Senator Platt with Senators Hiscock and Quay, Representatives Boutelle, Colonel Duffield and other friends of other candidates for the presidential nomination. Senator Quay, for example, when urged to say frankly what occurred between him and Mr. Platt, replied:

What Senator Quay Says.

"Really the meeting of Mr. Platt and myself is not worthy of public importance. I am not ready to be interviewed on the subject of the presidential nomination, and that fact ought to show you that the conversation between Mr. Platt and myself was of no political importance."

Representative Boutelle was equally reticent. He had two long consultations with Mr. Platt and Secretary Blaine, but insists that his interview with Mr. Platt was wholly unimportant in a political sense. Nevertheless, Mr. Boutelle, who was so disgusted with the political situation a fortnight ago as to declare that he did not take enough interest in the next presidential campaign to go to Minneapolis, is now full of buoyant cheerfulness, and did not deny the report that he will, after all, go to the Minneapolis convention.

The Cry for Blaine.

A good deal of significance was attached to the declaration of Senator Hiscock after the senator's long conference with Mr. Platt that he was more confident than ever that President Harrison would be renominated. There is good authority for saying that Mr. Platt, when he left here, did not agree with Mr. Hiscock's opinion.

Despite the effort of these antiadministration leaders to obscure the importance of their consultation, a great deal of meaning is attributed to them by others. It has become fairly well understood that no name has yet been agreed upon by them in opposition to that of President Harrison, and it is equally well understood that some of those Republicans who think a renomination a serious handicap upon any presidential candidate believe, with Senator Hiscock, that the renomination of President Harrison, unless Secretary Blaine consents to head the ticket, is already secured. The cry of these men is still for Blaine, who continues to preserve silence, but to exhibit his restored health in public every way.

The Hall at Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 9.—The work of decorating the convention hall has begun in earnest. The painters have practically completed their work upon the skylight and timbers. The latter have been painted a mazzarine blue. The glass above will be of the same blue, only in a lighter tint.

At the centers of the four sides of the hall will be suspended from the talons of enormous eagles silken flags from thirty to fifty feet in length, the flags ever brought into Minneapolis. The eagles measure twelve feet from tip to tip. To still further carry out the patriotic idea two American eagles, captured in the Rocky mountains, will be suspended at the speaker's stand, one on either side. The importance of recognizing the tin industry of America will not be overlooked, and on the face of the balcony will be placed at proper intervals shields with the name of the state, all upon a background of bunting.

Senator Sherman's Chances.

NEW YORK, May 9.—The Herald says, Will John Sherman receive the Republican nomination at Minneapolis? It will be a curious political commentary if this man, who labored zealously in 1884 and again in 1888 to secure the prize and failed, should now have it thrust upon him when he is giving no thought to it and has apparently abandoned his presidential ambition.

One thing is certain, each of the political leaders as Platt and Miller in New York, Quay and Cameron in Pennsylvania, Foraker in Ohio, Dudley in Indiana and Clarkson in Iowa purpose defeating the president if they can. The question is, Who can they select best fitted to accomplish this result? Will it be ex-Speaker Reed, of Maine, or Alger, of Michigan, or Allison, of Iowa, or will it be the veteran legislator, Sherman, of Ohio? Of all the number Mr. Sherman is by long odds the most prominent.

New York's May Convention.

SYRACUSE, May 9.—Arrangements for the May convention of Democrats are being made quite rapidly and the indications are that it will be as extremely large convention. It will also be extremely interesting for there is an alleged attempt being made to fill portions of the hall with Hill Democrats, who will do all in their power to make the meeting anti-Cleveland.

The convention will be called to order by Charles S. Fairchild, of New York city, and Franklin D. Locke, of Buffalo, will be chosen as chairman.

So far the list of signers for the convention in different parts of the state number 120,000, but it is asserted that the complete list to be bound and sent to the Chicago convention will contain at least 200,000 names. The delegates will be instructed for Grover Cleveland.

New Jersey Republicans Organize.

TRENTON, May 9. — The New Jersey League of Republican clubs proposes to do some earnest work in the coming campaign. County leagues have been formed in Ocean, Cape May, Morris, Middlesex, Passaic, Somerset and Warren counties. Several clubs already exist in the capital city, and the league will be pushed forward until every ward has its club. The object is to secure Republican organizations in every township in the county.

Secretary Noble Sued for Libel.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Secretary Noble while in New York recently was sued for libel by William Lapham, a former employee of the interior department. Lapham was removed by Secretary Noble, and in the letter of dismissal the secretary is alleged to have used libelous statements against him.

Killed Her Baby at Her Request.

BROOKLYN, May 9.—The confessed infanticides, Adam Hass and Peter Schultz, together with Hass' daughter, the murdered baby boy, Mary Wertheimer, have been held for the coroner. The men killed the baby at its mother's request.

He Thought Johnnie Was Right.

Tommie's mother caught him in the very act of pounding another small boy, and she had a frequently admonished him for this fault.

"Come here," she said sharply, as she dragged him off. "Haven't I told you not to fight the other boys? Come along in the house, now, and I'll give you a whipping that you won't forget very soon."

"Well, mamma," whimpered the boy, "Johnnie Muckle said you was a regular old scratch cat and I was acloggin him for it."

"That doesn't make any difference; I tell you I'd whip you for fighting and I'm going to do it."

"Let me loose a minute, first," he blubbered, holding back.

"What for?"

"I want to go and apologize to Johnnie for lickin him for what he said."—Detroit Free Press.

Taking a Bath.

—Fliegende Blatter.

Asbury Park Carpenters Compromise.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 9.—The carpenters' strike has ended. An agreement was reached by which the workingmen will work ten hours a day until June 15, after which they will work but nine hours for the same compensation.

Do Oro and Manning Will Play.

NEW YORK, May 9.—The forfeit money to bind the continuous pool match between Do Oro and Manning against Powers and Worger has been posted. The match will be for $500 a side at Tammany hall, May 26, 27 and 28.

Close Call for Earle's Hotel.

NEW YORK, May 9.—A fire in the building adjoining Earle's hotel drove out the guests at 2:15 a. m. and caused a loss to Jenkins & Co. of $24,000. Earle's hotel was damaged $300 by smoke.

Attacked the Princeton School.

BROOKLYN, May 9.—The Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott, of Plymouth Church, preached a sermon against the spirit of traditionalism in theology, in which he attacked the Princeton school.

It Was a Fatal Runaway.

BALTIMORE, May 9.—Hamilton McP. Brown, son of one of the wealthy Brown Brothers, bankers, died from injuries received in being thrown from his carriage by a runaway team.

With the Alabama's Fleet Aboard.

SAVANNAH, May 9.—The United States steamers Kearsarge, Philadelphia, Newark and Vesuvius are here. The Kearsarge was brought up to the city by the old pilot of the Alabama.

Short in His Accounts.

CHESTER, Pa., May 9.—Henry H. Barr, agent of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad company, has been arrested charged with being $40,000 short in his accounts.

Like President Harrison's Case.

Ex-President Hunter, of the Philadelphia (Pa.) National Bank, Under Arrest.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—Theodore F. Hunter, ex-president of the Philadelphia National bank, was arrested at his home in Pennsylvania by United States officers upon a warrant issued by United States Commissioner Bell, charging him with making false entries in his report to the comptroller of the currency. He was brought to this city and held in $10,000 bail for a hearing by Commissioner Bell. The report in which the false entries are alleged to have been made was dated May 13, 1892. The information upon which the warrant was issued charges Hunter with making false entries with intent to deceive the comptroller of the currency and the directors of the bank.

The case is said to be similar in its character to that of President Marsh, of the Keystone bank. It is not known exactly in what condition the bank's affairs are. Hunter was unable to obtain bail and was locked up.

Irish Catholics Do Not Demand It.

ROME, May 9.—The Vatican is preparing a reply to the petitions of Roman Catholics in Germany, Austria, Italy, Belgium and the United States, praying that distinct hierarchical systems be granted to each nationality. The reply will be negative, pointing out that the Irish Roman Catholics of the United States, as are all other Americans, hate made no demand for a separate hierarchy.

Close Call for Six Yale Men.

NEW HAVEN, May 9.—Six Yale men spent Saturday night in a struggle for life in a leaking boat on Long Island sound. They, on board were, Frederick Tozer, Thomas Harry Westbrook Dunning, Everett Clement Hill, Henry Shore Noos, Raymond Lloyd and Giles Goodrich Gough. They were only saved from sinking by a tomato can, which they used to bail out the boat.

Is Pender a Pinkerton Man?

NEWARK, N. Y., May 9.—Saloon Keepers Michael Horton, Thomas Gilloody and John J. Pender have been arrested here on a charge of defrauding the West Shore railroad company in conspiring with passenger conductors to resell tickets. It is believed that Pender is a Pinkerton detective, who succeeded in getting into the confidence of Horton and Gilloody.

America's Wealthiest Maid Ill.

NEW YORK, May 9.—Miss Mary Gwendoleg Caldwell, who is reputed to be the wealthiest unmarried woman in America, is very ill in this city with typhoid fever. Miss Caldwell's fortune is estimated to be about $10,000,000.

Wife and Hired Man Arrested.

VIRGINIA, Ills., May 9.—Mrs. William Healy and Robert Woodson were arrested charged with the murder of the woman's husband. Mr. Healy was a prosperous farmer of Chandlerville and Woodson was his hired man.

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OUR YOUNG FOLKS

HOW TO MAKE A KITE.

Plain Instructions in the Art of Kite Building by an Expert.

Here is the practical way in which a writer in The Farm Journal tells a boy how to make a kite. Whittle out three pieces of straight, light wood—pine is good—a little thicker than a slate pencil, two of them 31 inches long and one 19 inches. Notch the ends slightly, but don't split. Lay the two 12-inch ones together, and about 9½ inches from the end wrap a few times with strong thread. Spread like an X; lay the middle of the other stick on the crossing, and wrap with thread in two directions.

Carry the thread spirally around to the end of one stick and pass it in the notches around the ends of all, tightly fastening at the end you started from. Lay this frame on news or tissue paper, cut so as to leave a ¾ inch margin outside.

DIAGRAM FOR MAKING A KITE.

Fold down the margins and fold them down over the thread of the frame and ends of the sticks. Don't leave wrinkles in the paper.

This kite is almost large enough to "raise" with ordinary cotton twine. When dry make small holes where the black dots are in the sketch, pass pieces of the twine you will fly it with from the front (the paper side is the front) around the sticks, through the other hole, and tie in front. They should be stretched no more than is black lines in sketch. Fasten the two upper strings together by the cord a, and tie the end of your twine to fly by at about b on the "belly band." Practice will soon tell you whether this should be slipped higher or lower. At middle of "tail band" fasten a ball of strips of muslin or bits of folded paper for a string. For this size kite tail should be used about ten or twelve feet long.

The Mandarin and His Rat.

A mandarin once caught a rat
Upon a sunny day,
And thought he'd teach him little tricks,
To pass the time away.

He gave his cunning captive cheese—
The captive liked the fun;
And soon, attired in soldier clothes,
He learned to shoot a gun.

The children all would crowd around,
And clap their hands and cry,
To see the rat roll a hoop
To please the mandarin.

Full soon that rat with little sticks
Would drum upon a pan;
Or lightly skip across a rope
With parasol and fan.

The rat he liked the mandarin,
The mandarin the rat;
And when his day of tricks was done,
He'd sleep within his hat.

They grew at last to be good friends,
And liked each other well;
And thus they lived year long—
How long I cannot tell.

—R. R. Monktrick.

Mysterious Timbuctoo.

A city long surrounded by mystery is Timbuctoo, in the western Soudan. By looking on a map of Africa you will find it a little north of the Niger river. A writer tells in Golden Days that Timbuctoo was visited by Europeans but five times in 250 years. The first visitor was Paul Imbert, a French sailor, who in 1630 was ship-wrecked on the African coast, fell into the hands of the Arabs and was carried to Timbuctoo as a slave. He died in bondage, having no record of his experiences. In 1825 Major Laing, an Englishman, commissioned to explore the Niger river, crossed the desert from Tripoli, reached Timbuctoo in 1826 and was there murdered, leaving no record of his visit.

Nothing daunted, Rene Caillie, an adventurous Frenchman, in 1828 started from Senegambia to explore the secrets of the mysterious city. He learned Arabic and the customs of the Arabs, and in the guise of a pilgrim traveled by slow stages and made his way inland through various Mohammedan tribes. Finally he reached the forbidden city, where he spent some time, and when he returned to Morocco and thence to Paris he told the story of his travels.

Twenty-five years later Doctor Barth, a German savant, entered Timbuctoo and confirmed Caille's reports. Then the city remained isolated, as before, until Doctor Oscar Lenz, another German explorer, entered its confines in 1880, and from his recently published work it is learned that Timbuctoo is a big market, a meeting place of traders, where the products of the south are exchanged for those of the north, but it is not likely to develop into a large city, unless under European influences. There are, however, indications that Timbuctoo will soon cease to be a mysterious city, as the French, descending the Niger in a gunboat, have twice reached the environs of the town in the past three years.

Shower and Sunshine.

This is April feet,
With the flying foot,
Flying smile and tear,
Mingled song and sigh,
Welcome, April, dear!
Welcome—and goodby.

Elastic Fiber from Peat Bogs.

The extensive peat bogs of Germany and other Continental countries are now being worked with a view of obtaining an elastic fiber which, when free from dust, is used in weaving carpets and other textile fabrics. Formerly this material was only employed for fuel purposes.

A SONG OF LOVE.

O, love, love, love!
We ever go armed a thing!
Sweeter than lilies the fire has red,
Or the blushing maiden's passionate head,
Sweet is life, when living is bliss,
But love—O, love is sweeter than this!

O, love, love, love!
We ever go armed a thing!
Stronger than poisons or wind or flame,
Or fortune's crushed sting:
Stronger than death is the brave,
But love—O, love conquers death and the grave!

—Emma C. Dowd in Springfield Homestead.

GETTING ALONG WITH ONE SERVANT

How One Woman Was Able to Entertain Some Friends on a Wash Day.

Two friends were attempting to arrange to day at which each could regularly meet, staying in the city for a short time, could be invited to the home of one or the other for luncheon. There were difficulties owing to many other engagements. The only possible day was the next Monday, but Mrs. Crane, who kept two or three servants, was obliged to have behind every-thing by her house Monday. If she should tell her cook she wanted something extra for the midday meal there would be such a to-do in the establishment that she would be glad to leave the kitchen.

"That settles it," said Mrs. Jones at once. "Come to my house."

Of course some explanations passed, as Mrs. Crane knew her friend kept but one girl, and could not imagine how she could even think of such a thing. There seemed to be no other alternative, however, so they separated after a few more words about the hour.

When the time arrived and Mrs. Crane had rung her friend's doorbell, a neat looking girl in the cleanest of white aprons admitted her. She was shown at once to an up stairs sitting room, where Mrs. Jones looked as calm and unruffled as if there were no such things as washings and washing days. Together with Mrs. Crane, who had already arrived.

The luncheon was just splendid, not elaborate, but consisting of several fixed up dishes, which take time, including some very delicate hot muffins and oyster patties. The one girl waited on the table, as if she never did any other kind of work. Mrs. Crane refrained from making remarks just as long as she possibly could, when she leaned back in her chair with the question: "How do you contrive, Mary, to do so much with only one girl? Do you put out your washing?"

Mary laughed at her friend's intensity. then replied: "Our clothes are washed, dried and sprinkled, all ready for ironing. In fact, I shouldn't be at all surprised if, after the lunch dishes are washed, Ellen ironed the handkerchiefs and napkins. My domestic and myself are in perfect harmony, almost as if we were sisters. We like each other, the result is we work together. You see, I don't think much housework can be thrown off when two intelligent, well women set about making a success of whatever they have planned. I explained to Ellen the circumstances and she entered heartily into all the arrangements. Of course I am very fortunate in having one such a girl, but I do think that too many domestics make work."

All were interested by this time to know where she obtained such intelligent help, how much she paid her and many other questions. It soon became evident that the washings at the Jones' house were very small, due to many conveniences in the kind hearted mistress, who wore few frills and

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AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting to the Plainfield Street Railway Company and regulating the construction and operation of a street railway therein, and granting to said Company the use of electric motors as the motorive power of its cars," passed April 21, 1891.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That section 1 of the ordinance hereinbefore recited be and the same is hereby amended as follows: By striking out the route designated in the section of the following:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of West Sixth street with the southwesterly line of Park avenue; thence northwesterly along said West Sixth street westerly to Plainfield avenue; thence northerly along Plainfield avenue to West Seventh street; thence through West Seventh street westerly to Monroe avenue; thence through Monroe avenue northerly to West Fourth street; thence through West Fourth street westerly to Grant avenue; thence through Grant avenue northerly to West Front street; thence through West Front street westerly to the westerly side line of Park avenue, and also from the intersection of West Sixth street with the southwesterly line of Park avenue; thence southwesterly along said Park avenue to the northerly line of North Plainfield township.

Section 2. That section 2 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended as follows by striking out all the words of said section which begin with the words "and the said Company" in respect to operating the same and substituting therefor the following: "and the said Company shall be obliged to build or construct that part of said road hereinbefore described as beginning at the intersection of Monroe avenue and West Seventh street and the point of the intersection of Front street with the southwesterly line of Park avenue, within the time limited in the ordinance hereinbefore recited, and shall be obliged to put in operation its cars upon the entire line of said road within one month after the Common Council shall direct the said Company to proceed and Council directing said company to proceed and operate."

Section 3. That section 13 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended as follows: By striking out all the words of said section which begin with the words "and the said Company" in respect to said section and substituting therefor the following: "In this section the said Company is referred to as the proposed Company." Passed and approved April 6th, 1892.

Section 4. That section 20 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended as follows: By inserting in said section after the words "by the terms and conditions in this ordinance," the following: "and the said Company is hereby authorized to operate the same," and by striking out the proviso contained in said section, which begins with the words "provided, however," and ends with the words "of the said road."

Section 5. That the said Board is hereby judicially determined that the provisions of the ordinance hereinbefore recited, and of this and the preceding and said ordinance as amended hereby, are reasonable and proper for the use of the public streets of the city are lawful, the intention of the Common Council and of the said Plainfield Street Railway Company in accepting the said ordinance shall remain in force subject to the option of the Common Council to repeal the same, in case said company fail within six months after the passage of this ordinance to accept the same upon some other method of propulsion for their street cars.

Adopted by the Common Council May 2, 1892.
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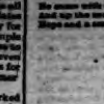
IN MEMORIAM.

He came with a power, and dire terror,
And up the mountain stairs he went;
Hope and a smile on his face were bleached



He boarded the other in his late,
And when we reading a bit pass'd,
But one either stopped him before he had ended.

And this is the manner in which he expired.

—Yankee Blade.

An Old Spanish Yarn.

A painter had been commissioned to paint the images of a saint on the refectory wall of a convent. The price stipulated was very low, but it was agreed that the painter should have all the provided at the expense of the convent until the work was finished. But the only food supplied to the poor artist was beans, cooked and water. The day for unveiling the fresco at length arrived. The friars stood round the artist, the curtain was removed. It was no doubt a very fine picture, but the saint had his back turned toward the spectators.

"What does this mean?" shouted the indignant prior.

"Padre, I was compelled to paint the picture as you see it, for the saint could not bear the smell of onions.

A Girl's Pastime.

"It's awfully amusing
To see you women try
To find your hidden pockets,"
said Jack with a sneer sly.

"Well, yes it's rather funny,"
Said Maud his summer girl,
With smile on the last passing
And slight caress she cast.

"The quest of dinners
Must have the best of cares,
Though we can't find our pockets,
We can always find purses."

—Philadelphia Press.

The "Busted" Boarder.

The boarders who this summer sought for quieted change and rest
At mountain, lake and seaside have resigned
And turned their faces homeward with their pocket-books compressed,
The hard-a'ters got the change, the landlords got the rest.

Certainly Not.

The most painfully forgetful man on record applied for a marriage license at Sellersburg, Ind., this week. He remembered his own name, but that of his lady love's wife had to be suggested by a friend before the ordinary could fill out the papers. Of course a man can't be expected to remember everything.—Mascot Telegraph.

Sherbert's Dream.

Down by the sea, the deep blue sea,
Herbert was wanking the waves at play,
As they danced and sparkled, as if in glee,
On that beautiful summer day.

The murmuring sea sang "lullaby,"
And Herbert's eyes closed to the drowsy tune,
While his fancies wandered far away
Into dreamland very soon.

He thought a mermaid sat on a rock,
And with golden comb combed her silken hair,
Which fell to her waist in a golden shower—
No lady was e'er so fair.

And the mermaid sang, "Oh, come to me,
And live in my pearly cave;
Oh, come to me through the deep blue sea,
And dwell 'neath the murmuring wave!"

And she beckoned him on, while she sang her song,
'Till Herbert awoke in affright;
The rocks were there, and the sea so fair,
But no mermaid was even in sight.

The Tomb of Mother Goose.

Dr. A. P. Keil, Professor of Native and Modern Languages in Hanover College, during his trip through New England this summer made a point of looking up everything that he could find which was of historical interest. Among other places he visited the graveyard of the old South Church, in Boston, and while there he found an old and battered tombstone with the following legend:

Here lyes ye Body of Mary Goose,
Wife to Isaac Goose.
Died 1856.

Immediately the thought came to the Professor that this might be the tomb of the original Mother Goose, and his subsequent investigations have proved it to be true. Strange, indeed, does it seem that Boston, famed as she has always been for culture, should now be the very resting place of their first poetess, the author of "Mother Goose's melodies."

Girls, It's Not a Good Plan

To say unkind things to your mother, and then think a hasty kiss will efface the bitter words?

To "make fun" of a new girl in school because she isn't one of your clique?

To get very intimate with another new girl in school and tell her all your family history?

To borrow some of your sister's pretty lingerie and wear it out before you return it?

To pride yourself on your uncompassionable will when it is only your unconquerable temper?

To be very confidential with Mary, the house maid, one day and arrogant to her the next?

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1775—Ira Allen, brother of Ethan Allen, one of the Green Mountain boys in 1775, born in Bucks county, Pa.; died 1851.

1800—James Bowen, abolitionist, born at Tiverton, R. I.; died at Newport, Dec. 3, 1884.

1813—John Brougham, actor and dramatist, born in Dublin.

1831—Napoleon Bonaparte died in Palma and defeat of the Moslems.

1864—Maj.-Gen. Geo. Sherman surprised Johnson in retreat, at Spottsylvania there was a pause, but Major General John Sedgwick was killed by a sharpshooter eight battles since here were fought.

1865—Jefferson Davis was captured near Irwinville, Ga.

1882—Wm. Slavatsky, the famous theosophist, died in London. Margaret Connolly, aged 130, was formed to death in Beaver Meadows, Pa.

Strengthens Her Baptists Enough.

"Well, my boy," said the old gentleman, "I understand you've been fighting."

"I was in something of a scrap," replied the youth.

"Well, I suppose boys will fight, and there's no use trying to stop it. You don't look much the worse for it."

"Got off pretty light, sure," said the boy.

"Lick the other fellow?"

"Well, hardly."

"Um. Got licked, hey. Did you follow your old father's advice?"

"Yes, sir."

"You struck the first blow?"

"Yes, sir."

"And hit him hard?"

"As hard as I could."

"Knocked him down?"

"Knocked him flat."

"And that didn't end the fight?"

"Well, I should say not."

The old gentleman looked puzzled.

"Then, fanny," he said, "I never knew it to fail when I was a boy."

"Maybe, when you were a boy, the other fellow didn't fall on a brick pile and get up with a half brick in his hand and chase you a mile. That'll knock most any kind of a system silly."—Chicago Tribune.

A Warning.

"What'll I be when I grow up, mamma?" asked Tommy.

"I don't know, my boy; but if you don't stop eating cake every time something I think they'll make you the town crier," said mamma.—Harper's Young People.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter	3	2:12 p.m.	Third Quarter	19	2:42 p.m.
Full Moon	11	5:52 p.m.	New Moon	26	2:40 p.m.

UNION COUNTY ORPHANS' COURT.

In the Matter of the Sale of the Lands of Reverend Joseph Bodwell, for the Payment of her Debts.

By virtue of an order of the above stated matter on the fourteenth day of April, A. D., 1892, I shall sell at public vendue on Saturday, the fourteenth day of May, A. D., 1892, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all of Reverend Joseph Bodwell, late of Plainfield, deceased, the same mentioned in said order, that is to say:

All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northeasterly side of Center street, which stands 100 feet northwesterly from the corner formed by the intersection of said Center street with Second street, and from said beginning point running thence (1) northeasterly and parallel with Second street 165 feet to a point; thence (2) northwesterly and parallel with Center street 50 feet to a point; thence (3) southwesterly and parallel with Second street 165 feet to a point in Center street; thence (4) southeasterly along the northeasterly side of Center street 50 feet to the point or place of beginning. Containing by estimation one-fifth of an acre of land more or less.

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DAMAGES CLAIMED BY MRS. KIELY FROM THE CITY.

Because She Fell on an Icy Sidewalk in Front of Blimm's Hotel—The Case Heard Yesterday—Plaintiff Non-Suited.

Mary Kiely, who brought suit against the city and Jacob Blimm for $10,000 damages for injuries sustained in breaking her hip because of a fall on an icy sidewalk, yesterday lost her case.

The case was regarded by the Mayor as one of great importance to the city, not only because of the heavy damages which a jury might award in this particular case if it was decided in favor of the plaintiff, but because of the danger-ous precedent that would thereby be established. If parties injured by falling on icy sidewalks may resort to the city for damages for broken limbs, so might those suffering injuries resulting from other defects in sidewalks or roadways, and in view of the present condition of some of our streets, that possibility was enough to make it the duty of the city to strain every nerve to prevent the establishment of such a dangerous precedent. Accordingly the city's case was prepared with great care.

At the close of the evidence offered by the plaintiff, Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh handed to the court a printed brief discussing the question of the liability of the city, and also the question of the liability of the abutting property owner.

His position was that if there were any duty owing to the city, it was a duty to the public for violation of which the only remedy was by indictment or presentment of the Grand Jury.

Respecting the defendant Blimm, he maintained that assuming the facts alleged to be true, the only remedy against him was a prosecution under the city ordinance.

The court held that the city was not liable in any event and directed that the plaintiff be non-suited so far as the city was concerned.

As to the other point, he said he could hear counsel further when the case went to the jury.

Mr. Marsh immediately replied that if the court had any doubt upon this point there was another ground of non-suit which could not possibly admit of question, viz.: that plaintiff had failed to show either that defendant Blimm owned the property in question or that he had possession of the same.

The court quickly assented to this view of the case and granted the motion to non-suit with costs.

BREVITIES

—The Crescent ball players will be given a benefit September 28th.

—The reception to the members of the Y. M. C. A. educational classes will be held to-night.

—There will be no services in the Monroe avenue or Park place chapels next Sunday evening.

—A wagon belonging to Mr. Geo. R. Pound of Middlebush struck a telegraph pole on Front street this morning.

—Another child has been born in the gypsy camp on Park avenue. It is a male child and first saw light last Friday.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Warren Mission chapel will hold a meeting this evening at eight o'clock.

—The new Jersey Trotting Horse Breeders' meeting will be held on the grounds of the Somerset County Agricultural Society, at Somerville, in August.

—The Brytons of New York will play a game of base ball with the Crescents to-morrow afternoon. The visiting club is said to be a very strong one. The management is expecting a large attendance.

—M. E. Beach, agent for the Arnold Cooker, invites everybody to 61 Park avenue, Wednesday afternoon and evening to witness the cooking of a dinner complete in the cooker. See advertisement.

—Rev. Mr. Goodrich, pastor of the Congregational church, wishes to meet all the boys and girls of his congregation and Sunday-school who are between the ages of 8 and 15 inclusive, at the church parlors, Wednesday afternoon at 3.45.

—Carpenters and builders complain that lumber of every sort is sawed very carelessly and inaccurately in these days, and that it is almost impossible to find a stick of timber that is true to measure all the way through or that has a straight edge. And yet, lumber is almost or quite double in price to what it was twenty-five years ago.

—A new distilling process has been discovered by which from two to four quarts more of alcohol can be obtained from a bushel of corn than by the methods hitherto in vogue. What a pity it is that the scientists who discovered the process of increasing the yield had not given their attention to the more important matter of diminishing the consumption of the stuff called alcohol.

—C. P. Dahm of Huntington advertised recently that he could prove that in spiritualism is a remedy for all pain. He proposes to place himself under the surgeon's knife and allow himself to be cut open, his heart removed, his lungs cut to shreds, and other dismemberments made so as to prove that he is right.—Ex. When this is done there will be one — less anyhow.

—A daughter that was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morse of Shelton recently has more relatives than the average baby. She has two grandmothers, three great-grandmothers, eleven great uncles and aunts, and six great-great-uncles and aunts. The record of mugs and spoons she has received has not been completed.

LAING'S HOTEL.

AN OLD HISTORIC LANDMARK TO BE REMOVED.

Over $50,000 to be Expended in Improving the Place—It Seems a Wise Investment.

Laing's Hotel, which, as announced in THE NEWS of yesterday, has been purchased by Mr. George H. Babcock, from the First National Bank, for $50,000, the amount of the Bank's mortgage, is to be removed into the side street, a continuation of Madison avenue, and converted into flats.

Laing's Hotel was erected on its present site in 1836, and has continued a more or less popular hostelry until the present year, when the death of Mr. John W. Laing, the owner, and the removal of the Miller Brothers, the lessees, brought its career as a hotel to an end.

In its place on Front street Mr. Babcock is to put a row of fine brick flats buildings with stores.

Laing's Hall is to be lowered level to the sidewalk and made into a store.

The hotel stables will be permitted to remain as at present, Mr. Beguine, the lessee, proving a desirable tenant.

The Jury Relieved the Plainfielder.

The suit of The Electro-Therapeutic Institute plaintiff vs. Walter L. Hetfield Executor, defendant, was tried in the Union County Courts yesterday.

The suit was brought to recover a balance of $250 said to be due the Institute for medical treatment of Amy Moore, deceased.

Chas. Bried of Newark appeared for the plaintiff, and Craig A. Marsh for the defendant.

Two New York doctors went on the stand for the plaintiff and under the fire of a severe cross examination, one of them afforded much amusement. He was so anxious to have the jury believe that he had never seen Mr. Hetfield that he answered a question by saying "no sir; I never saw him in my life and I can prove it too." Counsel was curious to see how the doctor would go about proving a negative of that kind, and gave the witness every opportunity to prove it, but the jury apparently were not satisfied.

Mr. Marsh said in summoning up that he would rest his case upon the single question as to whom the jury would believe in his client, Walter L. Hetfield, or the doctor from New York.

The court left that question to the jury as the one decisive of the whole case, and the jury on the first ballot were unanimous against the doctors.

The Music Hall Stockholders Elect Trustees.

The annual election of trustees of the Music Hall Association for the ensuing year took place last evening in the reception room of the Opera House, the polls closing at 8.45.

There were present Mayor Gilbert, Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, Councilman Arthur T. Gallup, and Messrs. John W. Murray and O. T. Waring representing as proxies 338 of the total of 600 shares, into which the stock is divided.

The members of the old Board were renominated and re-elected without opposition, the 338 votes being cast for them.

This Board is as follows:

John B. Dumont,	Craig A. Marsh,
Arthur T. Gallup,	John W. Murray,
Alexander Gilbert,	L. V. F. Randolph,
Benjamin Hegeman,	W. J. Roome,
W. B. Lowe,	Mason W. Tyler,
	O. T. Waring.

Mr. Murray incidentally remarked that he would be willing to pay to have an opposition ticket in the field, to excite more interest.

To be Dedicated Wednesday.

All Souls' Church, the new building of the First Unitarian Society, on Park avenue, will be dedicated in the evening of May 11, with eight o'clock. The Rev. Minot J. Savage, the popular, eloquent pastor of the Church of the Unity in Boston, will preach the sermon. Rev. Robert Collyer, Rev. Theodore C. Williams, Rev. Charles H. Eaton, D.D., the Rev. John W. Chadwick of Brooklyn and other clergymen of New York and vicinity will take part in the services. Several anthems will be sung by a choir under the direction of Mr. F. E. Knight of this city, who has arranged the musical part of the service. The service takes place on the eve of the third anniversary of the first Unitarian service held in Plainfield, and there is no debt on the building itself.

The last services of the society in the rooms on Second place were held Sunday. They will be held in the new church hereafter, beginning next Sunday.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. French of Somerset street, who have been spending the past two weeks on Second place with friends in Texas, returned home last evening, and report having had a most enjoyable time.

Work has been begun on the new residence of Mr. J. B. Dumont at the corner of Seventh street and Crescent avenue. The contract for the mason work has been awarded to Mr. John P. Emmons.

The new Board of Freeholders of Union county in selecting Lawyer W. K. McClure of Plainfield, as the County Attorney, did itself credit, for "Mac" is considered a pretty good fellow. The new Board is Democratic and "Mac" belongs to the same party.

—In all 162 dogs have been caught by the dog catchers.

MANUAL TRAINING IN THE SCHOOLS.

Superintendent Poland's Timely Memorandum on the Subject.

Prof. A. R. Poland, State Superintendent of public schools, has submitted to Gov. Abbott a memorandum on the subject of manual training. He says that the subject appeals to all who have the educational interests of the children and the youth of the country at heart. With reference to the system adopted in this State the superintendent says:

"New Jersey enjoys the distinction of being the first State in the Union to incorporate manual or industrial training into the schools by legislative enactment, the measure having received its signature on the 22nd of March, 1881. By an act passed on June 4th, 1888 a grant, not to exceed $5,000, is pledged to any city or school district of the State that shall raise an equal amount for the purpose of promoting the introduction of manual training. Under the stimulus of this subsidy by the State, Newark, Paterson, Camden, Hoboken, Atlantic City, Vineland, Montclair and some fifteen or twenty other cities and school districts have established manual training schools or have incorporated some features of manual training into the existing schools."

In order that the money paid by the State might secure the best educational results each school board by reading of unintelligent misemployment the governor recently directed the State superintendent to visit personally all the schools receiving State aid and to report thereon, with recommendations as to the best means of promoting the object for which the State grant is made."

The superintendent finds that several of the manual training schools have reached a height of development that makes them models of their kind, while others through lack of supervision and intelligent direction, have failed to secure any great benefit. He recommends that the State appropriation be denied to all districts that do not show by the complete organization of their work and the intelligent character that they are capable of using the State to the best advantage.

DARK HORSES WON.

The Freeholders' Caucus Surprises Union County Politicians.

The Democratic majority in the Union County Board of Freeholders held a long and exciting caucus, lasting from 3 to 7.30 o'clock last evening, to decide upon the candidates for offices to be elected to-morrow. Over twenty ballots were taken for Clerk of the Board and a dozen for County Collector.

The final result will be a surprise to the party in general, as the candidates most talked of for some office were snowed under, and dark horses came to the front for the County Collectorship and Clerkship. Elizabeth and Rahway captured the plums.

The following is the slate adopted: Director of the Board, Samuel Halliday, Rahway; Clerk, Alfred M. Cook, Rahway; County Collector, ex-Freeholder William K. Oliver, Elizabeth; County Engineer, Alderman Louis Queen, Elizabeth; County Attorney, William K. McClure, Plainfield.

No Person Would Acknowledge Issuing the Notice.

The following circular was recently issued by some person or persons in Fanwood Township:

ATTENTION!

All in favor of Law and Order are invited to meet at the

"FANWOOD CITY HALL"

on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, P. M., to protest against the action of the Township Authorities in unanimously granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors, which action is against the interests of the Township and the welfare of our children.

Prominent speakers will be present, and it is hoped that every voter of the Township may be on hand.

In response to the call about one hundred residents of that village assembled in the public house. It was impossible to ascertain who issued the call for the meeting and several persons refused to act as chairmen.

Eventually Assemblyman Kyte took the floor and denounced the underhand work of the person or persons who, he said, seemed ashamed to acknowledge it.

Remarks were made by other persons, including Mr. Young. Mr. Kyte next brought up the subject of waterworks for Fanwood Township. He thought that a system of water works should be established as soon as possible. The question of water works was not discussed further.

The meeting then adjourned.

List of Advertised Letters.

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending May 9, 1892:

Bradley, G R	Hall, W F
Brokaw, Wm L	Levecidge, Mr & Mrs
Bailie, H M	Lowe, Wm
Cushman, Harry E	Milford, Isabella
Cumming, Wm R	Noe, A B (2)
Driscoll, Harry	Powers, Mr.
Edgerton, Mrs Mary	Smith, Jack
Freeman, Mrs John	Sheppard, B R
Gardner, Mrs Sarah J	Van Pelt, Mrs Sandy
Horn, Mary	White, Mrs Wm
	Wenzel, Ludwig.

Persons calling for the above please say advertised. E. R. Fors, Postmaster.

An Indian May Dance.

The members of Miantonomo Tribe No. 118, Improved Order of Red Men, are to give an Indian May dance and fairy wigwam on West Front street next Friday evening. The following committees have charge of the affair: Messrs. J. H. Carney, Joseph E. Wenzel, John C. Miller, Frank P. Story, Wm. A. Westphal, David C. Allen, J. B. Carpenter and Charles Hobstein. The admission will be by invitation.

The Weather.

Slightly cooler and from cloudy to partly cloudy, with rain, becoming quite heavy.

ITALIAN LABORERS.

A DANGEROUS CLASS.

One Says all his Fellow Countrymen Carry Revolvers—No Respect for Our Laws Against Carrying Concealed Weapons.

An Italian, apparently about nineteen years of age, visited a local store yesterday ostensibly for the purpose of purchasing a revolver. He examined several, ascertained the price of each and then exhibited one about a foot long which he wanted to exchange for one belonging to the dealer, agreeing to pay the difference in the price.

In reply to a question as to why he found it necessary to carry a revolver he said that he wanted to be in style, as all of his associates carried such weapons, Italians are employed at or near Fanwood.

During the conversation the young fellow said that he had seen a revolver that cost thirty dollars.

The dealer discredited his statement, and then the Italian described the weapon.

He said that it was a forty-eight calibre revolver, with five barrels, and that as soon as the last cartridge had been shot off a secret spring would let a knife loose. He said further that the knife could be used to stab a person and that he thought that was the object. The revolver is an imported one.

Weather and Crop Condition.

The observers and crop correspondents of the New Jersey Weather Service report for the week ending Friday, May 6th, as follows: The temperature and sunshine have been slightly above the average for the first week in May; but that the low temperature which prevailed during the last three weeks of April greatly retarded the growth of all early-planted truck, grass and clover.

Winter grain in all portions of the State, has obtained a fine stand, and is in a most promising condition.

The sowing of oats is completed, and in some of the districts is above ground. Plowing of corn is well advanced, and planting has commenced in the southern and middle sections.

Orchard fruits show indications for a fair average yield, except in the extreme southern portion of Cape May county, where the peach trees are reported as badly scalded, and very little bloom is reported.

The precipitation for the week is below the average in all sections. Reports received from twenty-nine stations show that the average total for the State, for the month of April, is one inch below the average for the month, and is only 0.37 inch above the average for April, 1891.

Extract from Union county report:

The past month has been unusually cold, hence the Spring is backward; but the weather has been fine for planting. The potato crop is nearly all planted. Plowing for corn has begun. Plenty of warm weather and rain is what the crops need.

Mayor Rankin's Dilemma.

Mayor Rankin of Elizabeth was to perform a marriage ceremony at the City Hall at 7.30 o'clock Saturday night. With his two pretty daughters to act as witnesses, he was on hand promptly, as were the bride and bridegroom. The latter's name contained all the vowels of the alphabet in their regular order, it being Matthew Rasiouc, twenty-five years old, a native of Bohemia, and living at 218 Schiller street. His companion's name was Antoinette Kolisek, thirty-five years old, also a Bohemian. She was a widow. The couple had the male witness. An insurmountable obstacle presented itself, however, in the fact that neither of the contracting parties could speak a word of English, while the Mayor did not understand Bohemian. One of the male witnesses offered to act as interpreter, but made a failure of it. The Mayor, under the circumstances, declined to unite the pair, and they went away chattering and laughing.

Sidewalks by Districts.

The last Legislature passed a law which gives Township Committees considerable privileges in the matter of attending to the sidewalks in a town. The law provides that the committee may divide the township into districts. On call at ten freeholders in any of the districts a town meeting may be called for that district, at which the legal voters of that district only may vote. They may decide upon a sum of money to be raised for the purpose of laying or repairing pavements. This sum can be used exclusively for the purpose for which it is voted, and the committee may then repair sidewalks that need attention, or may lay new pavements on properties where the owners consent in writing to the orders of the committee. The law is good for the expense and may be sold to recover the amount expended.

The Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Mission Society of the State of New Jersey will be held on Tuesday, the 12th inst., in the First Baptist church in this city. The morning meeting will commence at 10.30, the afternoon meeting at two o'clock. Miss Sheldon, under appointment by the Missionary Board to go to Africa, Miss Mary D. Page, under appointment to go to India, and Mrs. Whitney will address the meetings. All are cordially invited.

Adjourned Until Friday.

The Union County Grand Jury decided at noon to-day to adjourn until Friday next. They will then present all the indictments found.

—The Plainfield Reform Club will hold its regular mid-week meeting Thursday evening at eight o'clock.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

A CHILD'S EYE TORN OUT.

Little Quinn Says that Mrs. Moran Did it with a Key.

New York, May 10th. (Special.)—In the Jefferson Market Police Court this morning Mrs. Mary Moran was held for trial on a charge of assault on Lizzie Quinn, 13 years old.

The child's eye was torn out with a key by Mrs. Moran.

The prisoner was held in $500 bail for further examination on Friday.

OKLAHOMA'S HORSE THIEVES.

A Battle to the Death Between them and their Pursuers Probable.

Guthrie, O. T., May 10th. (Special.)—A message just received from the posse in pursuit of the gang of horse thieves says that they are on the track of them in the Cherokee strip. Should the thieves be overtaken there will probably be a bloody battle, for they are desperate men and know that capture means death.

IOWA LOSES GROUND.

An Acre of Earth Disappears Into a Lake at West Dubuque.

Dubuque, Iowa, May 10.—(Special.)—Nearly an acre of ground on the site of the old Foelker brewery, in West Dubuque, caved in last night with a whistling sound like that of an earthquake. The earth dropped into a subterranean lake, which covers a vast body of minerals.

Big Forest Fires in France.

Bordeaux, France, May 10, (Special.)—Great excitement was occasioned here by a fire in a pine forest near the city. The powder magazine was close to the forest. The towns-people turned out to assist the firemen. Rock fires were started and the fire burned itself out. Five hundred acres of valuable timberland was burned over.

Thirty Horses Burned to Death.

New York, May 10.—(Special.)—A fire at Nos. 223 to 225 West Sixty-fifth street at two o'clock this morning did $60,000 worth of damage. Thirty horses were burned to death, and Capt. Cosgrove and Fireman Ryan of Engine Co. No. 54, were severely hurt by a falling ladder.

The Best Trees and Vines.

Trees best adapted for successful culture are the elm, maple, linden, ash, birch, beech, dogwood, pines, spruces, cedars of the willows, some of the poplars, a tulip tree, horse chestnut, catalpa, laburnum and oak.

The shrubs which seem best adapted to ornamentation are the deutzia, hydrangea, spirea, weigela, privet, flowering cherry, flowering plum and hawthorn.

Among our best and hardiest vines are the clematis, the bitter sweet, wisteria, trumpet vine, honeysuckle, morning glory, Virginia creeper and ampelopsis veitchii.

Beautiful beds may be formed by planting seeds of the portulacca, petunia, verbenas, zinnias, asters, dahlias, petunias, chrysanthemums, nasturtiums, balsams, pinks, sweet William and seeds of other well known plants.

New Jersey Educational Exhibit.

The State Board of Education of New Jersey takes the preliminary step for organizing a State educational exhibit at the World's Fair next year. A sub-committee has been appointed by the board, and a plan of organization is to be devised to secure a good exhibit. A board of directors will be established, consisting of principals of leading schools, to take charge of the work in the State. It is rather late to begin the task of making up a State exhibit for the fair, but the delay can be atoned for by greater economy. New Jersey has an admirable public school system, and it will rank among the first in the educational exhibits at the World's Fair. It should be properly represented.

"I USED to suffer awful with indigestion but I hardly ever have it now"—

That man stopped eating common oatmeal in order to

Have some H-O for breakfast.

IF YOU WANT

FINE ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER

Eggs, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at

29½ NORTH AVENUE.

Also on hand canned goods, pickles, etc.

THOS. CARTY, 12 Dec

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Our immense assortment of elegant Japanese and Chinese Mattings are now on sale, affording the best opportunity to buy high grade goods at prices either downward or by Plain 3d.

Great Revolution in prices. Fine Damask Mattings in cotton or linen warp. Come in and see what wonderful improvements we can offer you not only in Mattings but, in Carpet, Lace and Chenille Curtains, Smyrna Rugs, etc., as well.

We guarantee to save you money, and you always get the very best quality and lowest prices, at

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CALL AND EXAMINE the fine stock at

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30 WEST FRONT STREET.

Suits made to order from a fine line of goods for

$15 and Upwards.

Cut by a First-class cutter.

Cent-a-Word Column.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—Work on farm by young man. Address "Competent," care of EVENING NEWS. 9-2

HELP WANTED.

HANDS wanted to make white pants. Good prices given, at No. 3 Madison avenue. 9-2

WANTED—A respectable woman without family to do housework in the afternoons. Address "N," care of EVENING NEWS

WANTED—By family of two, a smart young girl to assist with light housework. Reference required. Address "B.," care of EVENING NEWS. 10 2

WANTED—A girl as cook, washer and ironer. Apply to 12 Franklin place, between 12 and 2 o'clock. 9 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Good cook, washer and ironer. 16 Crescent avenue. 9 2

BOARDERS WANTED.

AT 19 Craig place, furnished rooms with board. Table boarders accommodated.

FOR SALE.

A BARGAIN—Two incubators for sale cheap. Box 105, Somerville, N. J. 5 5 2m

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased at Edgewood Park, Somerset street. Address R. F. M. Care, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to R. C. Manning, next door to the bucket. Call and see them. 300 feet above the sea level. 2 1397

FOR SALE—A good farm horse. Address R. W. C. Box, Bloomingdale, N. J. 9 2

FOR SALE — Green and Concord grapevines. Cheaper than grass seed. John Barry, 343. 5-6-6t

MISCELLANEOUS.

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order bought and sold. Call Furniture store, 11 Somerset street. 5 2m

WANTED—For the next thirty days water closets to clean at three dollars each. Borough only. John Barry, 343. 5-6-6t

PHILIP BLOCK,

NEW AND SECOND HAND **Clothing**

Bought and sold. 51 West Front street.

Cleaning and repairing neatly done at shortest notice and lowest prices. 9 6

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SPECIAL SALE OF SHEET MUSIC

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A. M. Vanderbeek's,

23 PARK AVENUE.

STRAW : HATS!

We have received a good assortment for Men and Boys.

Hallock & Davis,

5 West Front Street.

Don't Forget we keep

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

Also

Trunks and Bags.

V. & W. Say:

Never were there such inducements offered in Dry Goods as we are now offering through out our entire store. Read the list of specials that we have for the coming week.

For Thirteen Cents

We will sell one yard of Cotton Crepe Cloth, one of the handsomest wash fabrics that have been brought out for the season. Only 13c per yard. Regular 20 cents and you will like them. Real value 25 cents.

Mattings.

Upwards of 2,000 yards sold last week and we want to sell as much the coming week, and to do it in the most effective way we have put every piece down. You will find that we have the finest assortment of styles in this town.

For Thirty-nine Cents

We will sell 200 hemstitch

Spring Coats.

Now is your chance. We put on sale to-day 100 of the best Spring Coats in the latest cut and black, and the price only $4. The same styles sold one week ago for $5.

For Ten Cents

You have your choice of 250 different styles of Fine Dress Gingham. Real value 15 cents.

For Eight Seventy-five

You buy a Lady's Jacket in the fashionable decorated diagonal cut. Would be cheap at $12

Special prices on trimmed and brown shouting for this week.

EVERY BOY WHO COMES TO OUR STORE THIS WEEK WITH HIS MOTHER, GETS A NICE BALL BAT FREE.

Parasols.

Have you seen our assortment? 'Tis the finest we have ever displayed, and the prices are the lowest.

Van Emburgh & White.

$50 REWARD!

The Mayor and Common Council of the Borough of North Plainfield offer the above sum for the

Arrest and Conviction

of the person or persons who effected an entrance into the residence of Augustus Van Deventer and J. H. (Alexander, situated in the borough of North Plainfield, on the night of May 2, 1892, and removed therefrom articles of value, consisting of clothing, silverware, etc.

W. L. SAUNDERS, Mayor.

Attest: H. H. BROKAW, Clerk. 7 2w

EDITORIAL NOTES

Indians at the World's Fair.

If a certain intention that has been formed in reference to the Columbian fair is carried out, then one of the most interesting exhibits at the exposition will be that made by the red Indians of America.

Delegates from a considerable number of tribes, in Washington assembled, have agreed to prepare the display and white men will aid them. The proposed exhibit will include not only a picture of the present possessions and customs of the red men, but it will go back as far as possible into the past. There will be gathered specimens of the weapons, dress, totems and utensils of the aborigines of this continent, so far as they can be obtained. Such collections of all that is available from each tribe, put side by side with the exhibit from the other tribes, would undoubtedly throw some light on aboriginal history. The Indians from the country along the Mexican border are more different from those of Canada and the northwest than an Italian is from a German, and a collection like that named might help show how this difference originated.

To the ancient relics of the tribes is to be added a show of the progress they have made in the white man's civilization. This will be only interesting in its way than the other. Besides this it is proposed that along with the other congresses at the fair there shall be an Indian congress in which the red men themselves shall bring together and place before the world what they can of their ancient legends, traditions and customs, as drawn from all sources. A printed record of these would be a contribution to universal history such as has not appeared in many a day.

Ruts.

Next to petitioning that he may love his neighbor as himself, the one good that every human being ought to pray for is to be delivered from ruts. Ruts are fatal to life, health, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. The man who wears a big sidebeard collar with a little skimpy black necktie became he got used to it when he was young may be sure that he is getting old and behind the times. There is no surer sign that a man is outliving his usefulness than that he is unwilling to change the fashion of his garments to keep pace with the prevailing mode.

As he falls behind in the fashion of his clothes, so he falls behind in his business methods and will be bankrupted. The thing that is absolutely fixed in this life is that all things are constantly changing. This is the meaning of the spirit of the times. The man who does not follow the current changes, whether in newspaper management, literature, commercial enterprise or manufacturing, is left. Wide awake and move on is the word. Feel the pulse of the time and change accordingly.

The man and woman who think the thoughts of their youth and never change them grow old. This is what age is—when one cannot learn new things any more. Mourning over past griefs and losses destroys us. The losses and griefs are past, let the sorrow for them be past also. The world is full of beauty and brightness, more and more full of joy and richness every year. Turn your face to the light and move on in the swim.

It has been found that the free lectures connected with the public school system of New York city have been productive of much good. Part of the course dealt with American history topics, and this was especially popular. The attendance at the lectures has increased materially since the beginning. Besides history there were lectures on hygiene, travel and science, with magic lantern experiments. The assistant superintendent of schools goes so far as to say that these lectures constitute the most valuable part of the New York educational system.

It has been supposed that diamonds came upon the earth in meteors, there being no known geological processes that quite fit them. But lately a quantity of gold has been found in the iron and other metals of a large meteor, so that gold comes from the heavens as well as from the earth. It would be interesting to know whether the inhabitants of the bursted up worlds whence these chunks fall were as fond of gold as the inhabitants of our planet are.

Speaking of Canada—If a man is running a feeble and hopeless competition with a strong and prosperous neighboring concern into which he has the opportunity to be admitted as a partner he may hold out long from mere stubbornness, but eventually his self interest will conquer his self will and he will give up the useless battle.—New York Sun.

There may be something in the idea of charging electric accumulators during the day with the electricity generated by the heat of the household range or furnace and making them light the house in the evening. The heat passes from the range through a series of thermopiles to the accumulator.

After all Hayti does not seem to have disliked Frederick Douglass so much, since she has invited him to represent her interests at the World's exposition.

NO NATIONAL AID ASKED

The Methodists on Record Concerning Sectarian Schools.

THE POPE FOR FRANCO'S REPUBLIC

His Holiness Declares That the Unfriendly Prelates Must Stand by the Present Government and Says That Plotting to Overthrow It Is Very Bad Business.

OMAHA, May 10.—Among the many memorials presented to the Methodist conference was one from the Troy conference which asks the general conference to expunge from the discipline section 242, the prohibition against dancing. Bishop Foster, of Boston, approved the movement and has given it his official sanction. The memorial was placed in the hands of the committee on discipline, to whom it was referred.

The woman question was brought up by J. B. Maxwell, of Nebraska, in the form of a resolution which asked that women be admitted to membership in the general conference. Without debate it was referred. W. F. Stevens, of southwest Indiana, presented a petition asking for equal lay representation.

Owing to the habit of delegates leaving for home before the final adjournment of the conference, it was resolved that unless the members received permission their traveling expenses would not be paid.

H. B. Williams offered a resolution that "owing to the fact that the use of tobacco is a stepping stone to the use of intoxicants, all Methodists recognize it as a growing evil and do all in their power to diminish or, if possible, to eradicate the use of this harmful thing." The Michigan conference, through Dr. Catten and three others, evidently believe in temporal economy, and offered this potsteel resolution:

Whereas, certain serious questions have arisen concerning the administration of the Women's Relief Corps Home and Training society in connection with the school located at Chattanooga, and

Whereas, It is generally reported that said society has spent annually $7,000 to $10,000 in support of a large faculty when really there is not pupils enough in school of sufficient grade or size to justify such expenditure, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education society committee is hereby respectfully requested carefully examine into said administration and report to this general conference at an early date.

The resolution was referred.

To Separate Church and State.

Dr. King, of New York, offered a resolution asking that the conference commend the proposed sixteenth amendment to the constitution prohibiting the appropriation of public money for the aggrandizement or support of sectarian schools in order to perpetually separate the church and state. He addressed the conference on the subject saying three things would be accomplished namely: First, the protection of the common schools; second, the divorcing the church and state; third, the banishing of ecclesiastical tyranny in politics. The resolutions were adopted unanimously amid much applause. Dr. King offered another resolution asking that no further appropriations for Indian missionary work be accepted from the national treasury as it is wrong in principle and letter. He said the time had come when this great church should not only refuse to accept money but decline to apply for it. [Applause.] Dr. Leonard, of Ohio, also favored, saying the Methodist Episcopal church should never place itself in a position where it could not protest against farming out its wards to be educated by the Roman Catholic church and the misappropriation of funds. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Ministers Defeated.

Another fight between the laity and the ministry was precipitated by a resolution offered by Dr. McDowell, of Philadelphia, to amend the rule which allows one-fourth of either order to demand the yeas and nays. Dr. McDowell wanted to amend so that neither order could force the other to go on record. The vote resulted: Yeas—laymen, 37; ministers, 216. Nays—laymen, 112; ministers, 43.

This was a defeat for the ministers, as the two orders failed to concur. H. B. Pennington, of Kentucky, offered a resolution declaring the conference opposed to all class legislation, mob violence and unlawful rule.

The Pope Against the Royalists.

ROME, May 10.—The Pope has sent a letter to the archbishop of Paris ordering him to dissolve the Union of Christian France. This organization established last autumn, ostensibly to protect Roman Catholic interests, but in reality, it is said, to spread monarchical propaganda. In explanations and directions the new brief of Leo XIII to the French cardinals leaves nothing to be desired. In it he declares that any form of legally established government which furthers the commonweal is good and should be obeyed by its subjects. Efforts to overthrow such a government, moreover, are reprehensible. This brief is regarded as a fatal blow to royalty. Among the inferior clergy, who are the confessors of the people, the publication of the pope's avowal of the republic is received with rejoicing.

Baptists and the Negro Question.

ATLANTA, May 10.—The southern Baptist convention appointed delegates to the centennial meeting to take place in Philadelphia on the 24th, 25th and 26th inst. The race question came up on the report of the home mission board. Dr. Brown said the negroes were going to the dogs, and blamed the church for the fact.

Dr. Hawthorne denounced Brown as a kicker, to bring discord into the convention. Slavery christianized negroes who had come here as barbarians and the southern white people had less prejudice against the negro than any people on earth. Governor Northen spoke of the great work the state was doing toward educating the negroes. The debate aroused much feeling.

Against the Exclusion Act.

BOSTON, May 10.—The local Evangelical Alliance adopted a resolution recording an indignant protest against the Chinese exclusion act, condemning it as unAmerican and pronouncing its passage a stain upon the national honor. Copies of the resolution were sent to the president and to the Chinese minister at Washington.

Archbishop Kenrick Failing.

ST. LOUIS, May 10.—Archbishop Kenrick has abandoned entirely his intention of confirming the first communicants this year. It is feared that the aged prelate is nearing the end. The serious condition of his health revives discussion of the probability of Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, being elevated to a cardinal hat.

Kemper Buck's Bail $6,000.

UTICA, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Judge Kennedy fixed Kemper Buck's bail at $6,000.

BILL PLIMMER THE WINNER.

He Defeats Tommy Kelly in the Tenth Round.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The fight between Tommy Kelly and Bill Plimmer for the 110-pound championship of the world was decided at the rooms of the Coney Island Athletic club last night. The fight was with Plimmer in the tenth round. Plimmer, who is the 110-pound champion of England, made a showing as a boxer that stamped him as a wonderfully clever man. Kelly, who at 107½ pounds and Plimmer at 108½. Kelly's light weight added to the fear that he was too fine for the people. Some of the Kelly was the favorite in the betting up to the call of time by 4 to 3. From the very start Kelly was out of it as a tactician. His attempts to force the fighting in the first three rounds, but he was always met with a straight punch that had him bleeding from the nose and mouth before the third round was over. After that Kelly kept away and followed the ropes from one angle to another, with Plimmer after him all the while.

Kelly's hands were quick enough, but Plimmer is a great youngster to duck his head, and most of the Harlem lad's blows went wild. Once in awhile Kelly landed on the side of Plimmer's head, but not until after the force of his blows had been expended. He kept Plimmer active, however, until the tenth round, when the Englishman floored him with a righthander on the neck. Kelly's head went against the staging with a thump, but he got up gamely and did some fast lighting after that. He went down again with the same kind of a swing in that round, and in the tenth was sent to grass twice by righthanders on the jaw. On each occasion he tried to get up but each time fell back on the floor. The last time he was counted out.

Fred Burns, of the Varuna Boat club, of Brooklyn, announced that he was authorized to match George Dixon against Plimmer for $5,000 a side at 110 pounds.

McAuliffe and Myer Matched.

CHICAGO, May 10.—The match between Jack McAuliffe, of Brooklyn, and Billy Myer, of Streator, Ill., for $5,000 a side and the championship of the world, to take place on or about the 20th inst., decided by the Olympic club, of New Orleans, has been fully arranged. Myer has signed the articles.

The "Fitz"-Fritchard Fight.

NEW ORLEANS, May 10.—Articles of agreement for the fight between Fitzsimmons and Ted Pritchard have been forwarded to England for the signature of the Englishman.

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Bids for Old Warships.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The following bids were opened at the navy department for the condemned naval vessels: Galena, J. B. Butler, Boston, $18,181; Colorado, I. L. Snow & Co., Rockland, Me., $6001; Intrepid, Matthew Gill & Co., Philadelphia, $2,252 Wyoming, J. W. Butler, Boston, $13,311.

Mrs. Drayton Cruelly Wronged.

LONDON, May 10.—Colonel Tom Ochiltree states that he has documents in his possession showing that Mrs. J. Coleman Drayton has been cruelly wronged, but will not publish them unless obliged so by legal proceedings authorized by Mrs. Drayton.

He Could Not Live Without Her.

WARREN, Pa., May 10.—Roy Loucks, an attendant at the North Warren Insane asylum, and Miss Ida Hough, a nurse from Philadelphia, with provisions for the benefit of the starving Russians, passed Dunnet Head.

The Kite to Find Peary.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—The steamer Kite has been chartered for the Peary relief expedition by the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences, and will sail for the Polar seas June 1.

A Race Riot Feared.

CHARLESTON, May 10.—A negro attempted to assassinate Eliot Call, a rice planter in Cooper river, and the whites of Hill Island lynched him, and a race riot is feared.

No Word from China Yet.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Mr. Tsai Kwo Yin, the Chinese minister to the United States, has received no word from his government in regard to the Chinese exclusion act.

BLAINE IS SURELY OUT.

Bosom Friend Manley Says He Will Not Accept.

PLATT'S MOVE TO BOOM SHERMAN.

It Is Said That He Has Appealed to ex-Governor Foraker to Bury the Hatchet and Support the Famous Senator from the Hostage State.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Postmaster Manley, of the state, one of Secretary Rusk's most faithful followers, has been in Washington for several days and has held a number of consultations with Mr. Blaine. Before leaving for home, Mr. Manley said: "There is nothing in this new talk about Mr. Blaine and the presidency. When he wrote his letter of last February to Clarkson, in which he stated that his name would not go before the convention for the nomination, he meant it. He has not changed his mind since then. He says frankly to those who speak to him on the subject that he feels better than he has for a long time, and he knows of no reason why he should not live for years, but he is conscious that he could not endure a great and unusual strain. He does not intend to place himself in a position where such a strain could not be avoided."

To Discourage Blaine Talk.

This announcement by Mr. Manley is intended to discourage the Blaine talk, which has grown so aggressive of late that some of Mr. Blaine's friends fear making the use of his name must be checked unless his too ardent and ludicrous admirers wish to force him either to retire from the cabinet or to write another more decisive letter of renunciation. A prominent Republican senator, friendly to Mr. Blaine, says:

"Mr. Blaine's friends ought not to be mentioned in the Minneapolis convention unless he is to be nominated by acclamation. It that can be done, very well. Otherwise, this rumor of the talk about his nomination only embarrasses him and damages the very cause of those would follow his flag."

Platt's Appeal to Foraker.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—A story is circulating this afternoon around the capitol, growing out of the conference of administration Republicans in this city on Saturday.

It is to the effect that Mr. Platt authorized or requested Mr. Morehead, of the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette, to say to ex-Governor Foraker, of Ohio, that if he (Foraker) would present the name of Senator Sherman to the Minneapolis convention as a candidate for the presidency, the state of New York would cast its vote for him. Ex-Governor Foraker's support for this scheme was sought upon the plea that, if nominated, Senator Sherman would resign and Foraker be sent to the senate in his place.

It is stated that McKinley was approached upon the subject, but declined to aid the scheme.

Connecticut Democrats Meet.

NEW HAVEN, May 10.—The friends of ex-President Cleveland control the Democratic state convention which is being held in this city to-day. The state committee, district and county caucuses at which the preliminary work of the convention was mapped out to be rushed at the convention, the Cleveland adherents in New Britain, Judge Welsh, of New Britain, was made temporary president of the convention, and General Edward S. Busby, of New Haven, permanent president. The platform will declare against free silver and for the tariff revision and for a revision of the state constitution.

The friends of Senator Hill and the ex-president fought battles in the Hartford and Fairfield county caucuses, and in both the Cleveland men won. The selection of delegates by the caucuses were as follows: Delegates-at-large—First congressional district, Alvan P. Hyde, of Hartford; Second district, Carlos French, of Seymour; Third district, James B. Shannon, of Norwich; Fourth district, E. C. Benedict, of Greenwich. The county delegates will be: Hartford county—R. Woods, of New Britain; Tolland county—E. C. Pinney, of Stafford Springs; New Haven county—N. G. Osborn, of Milford county—C. B. Davis, of Higganum; Windham—J. W. Welsh, of Willimantic; New London county—C. G. Beckwith, of New London; Fairfield—R. T. Wilcox, of Norwalk; Litchfield—Sidney P. Eastey, of Salisbury.

With the possible exception of Shannon and Vance, the delegates favor Cleveland. The friends of Cleveland and Hill had a prolonged and bitter struggle in the Hartford county caucus and afterward carried it into the First congressional district caucus, the Hill men being worsted every time.

Lawyer Pechall Fined.

JERSEY CITY, May 10.—Lawyer Charles J. Pechall, who was successful so far in saving the neck of Edward Hughes, the negro wife murderer, was fined one dollar by Chancellor McGill for contempt of court. He had refused to produce papers in a suit in which he is defendant.

Smallpox at the City Hall.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—Bridget Campbell, suffering from smallpox, was brought to the city hall by mistake. After lying in a room for an hour the sufferer was removed to the city pesthouse. The city hall will be fumigated.

To Honor Sir John Macdonald.

LONDON, May 10.—The committee in charge of the fund to be raised in St. Pauls of a monument to Sir John Alexander Macdonald have commissioned George Wade to execute a marble bust of the Canadian premier.

Hallinger's Case Not Heard of There.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Nothing is known at the state department about the case of Edward Hallinger, a British subject, whom it is reported was convicted of murder in New Jersey without a trial before a jury.

President Eliot and the Mormons.

BOSTON, May 10.—President Eliot, of Harvard, refuses to be interviewed relative to his Salt Lake speech on Mormonism, saying that if he ever spoke on the subject again he would do so by lecture.

Downing's Day of Doom.

MELBOURNE, May 10.—The execution of Frederick Bailey Deeming for the murder of his wife has been fixed for May 23. He has confessed to a clergyman that he killed his wife at Windsor.

Direct Will Meet Hal Pointer.

BUFFALO, May 10.—It is announced that Hal Pointer and Direct, the pacing rivals, will meet on the Buffalo track during the grand circuit meeting in August for a purse of $5,000.

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GOOD NEWS FOR THE NAVY'S FRIENDS

The Bill Granting American Registers to the City of Paris and the City of New York Goes to the President for His Signature.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The passage by the senate of the house bill to admit to American registry the two fast transatlantic steamships City of Paris and City of New York means the creation of a line of vessels between New York and Liverpool which will fly the United States flag, carry the United States mails and be always available as commerce destroying cruisers in the United States navy in case of war. It has been the fixed policy of this government for a hundred years to require every vessel flying the American flag to be built in the United States. The company owning the Inman line, the International Navigation company, has its stock entirely held by citizens of the United States.

Compelled to Fly Another Flag.

It is compelled to fly the British flag upon its vessels because they were built in Great Britain and because that nation paid them about $100,000 a year for carrying its mails and for being liable in case of war for service as British cruisers.

The steamships City of Paris and City of New York were especially constructed with a view to naval as well as passenger service. They are, with one exception, the largest, the fastest and strongest in the world. The bill passed by the senate admits to American registry these two foreign built but American owned vessels on condition that their owners contract within six months for the building of steamships of an aggregate equal tonnage and also available for use as cruisers in case of war. The two British vessels cannot ply in coastwise trade, but must make transatlantic journeys. New vessels must be under contract in six months, and must be built in American shipyards. The contracts for their construction will call for the expenditure of about $2,000,000 for American labor and material.

Senator Mills' Maiden Speech.

The bill was sent by the senate to the president by a vote of 41 to 10. Three of the negative votes were cast by Republicans—Senators Morrill, Teller and Pelton. Several Democratic senators, including Mr. Hill, voted for the bill. Before the bill passed Senator Frye briefly but clearly explained its effect, and Senator Mills made his maiden speech in the upper branch of congress. As always, Mr. Mills was forcible, and commanded the close attention of the gallery.

His argument was that Americans should be permitted to buy everything, from a ship to a pin, in any foreign market without paying duty on the purchase; therefore these fast built steamships should not be admitted to American registry unless all other foreign built ships owned by Americans were also permitted to fly the United States flag.

What the Company Will Do.

C. A. Griscom, president of the International Navigation company, was asked what the effect of the new act would be.

"If the president signs this bill," replied Mr. Griscom, "our company will as soon as possible dis,lace the British flag with the Stars and Stripes, and within six months we will award contracts to American shipbuilders for the construction of two or three new steamships of equal magnificent equipment and speed and of equal aggregate tonnage to the City of Paris and City of New York for transatlantic traffic.

"By transferring these vessels from the British to the American flag our company loses about $100,000 a year of subsidy now paid by the British government for carrying mails. We expect to make that up by increased commercial business. For example, I think that three tons of four American going abroad would prefer to sail under their own flag, provided the ships were as good, than under any foreign flag. Moreover, under the postal act of the last congress,we shall receive $10 for carrying United States mails and, if we get the contract, that will more than make up for the loss of our British subsidy."

The senate passed a resolution advising the president that in the opinion of the senate there was not sufficient ground for interference with the execution of a law appropriating $2,051,450 for the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians, which law passed on the 3d of March last year and has been held up by the president till he could consult the senate on the subject.

A bill reported by the foreign relations committee conferring jurisdiction upon United States courts in cases of crimes against state laws committed on aliens started a lively debate.

River and Harbor Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—After two hours spent in considering amendments to the river and harbor bill, to recommit it and curtail its powers (prior to its final passage), the measure was finally passed by a vote of 186 to 65. The bill as passed carries an aggregate appropriation of $21,328,975. This is an increase by $46,000 over the amount as the bill as it passed the house committee. The committee recommended only thirty-eight new projects out of a total of 600 separate items carried by the bill. It is alleged that the bill involves the expenditure of about $70,000,000 more by consequential contracts, to which it commits the government, without the necessity of further action by congress.

For Free Iron.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The Democratic members of the ways and means committee heard Representative Williams, of Massachusetts, on the bill introduced by Mr. Andrew, of his state, providing for free iron. Mr. Williams advocated free iron ore and scrap iron, and favored a duty of 34 per cent. ad valorem on pig iron and a duty of 40 per cent. ad valorem on all other iron.

The "Temporary Correct" Silver Dollar.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Representative White, of Iowa, introduced (by request) a bill for the free and unlimited coinage of a "temporary correct" silver dollar, similar to the one introduced in the senate. The bill provides that only silver the product of mines of the United States is to be coined.

No Bill Against Clark.

AUBURN, N. Y., May 10.—The grand jury has failed to find a true bill against Edwin M. Clark, of Syracuse, charged with the murder of E. A. Havens, the Woodport veterinary surgeon.

Murderer Mulvihill on Trial.

JERSEY CITY, May 10.—The trial of Jacob Mulvihill for the killing of Lamplighter Dobbs was begun here.

DELIVERED DEAD OR ALIVE.

Moulton Killed a Woman That He Might Sell Her Body.

CAMDEN, N. J., May 10.—A student in the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania named Veen received a letter signed James R. Moulton, 1,142 South Sixth street, Camden, offering to sell him for dissecting purposes the body of a fat negro woman, seventy-three years old, to be delivered dead or alive.

Moulton, who is a negro, is locked up in the police station here, charged with having at an early hour brutally murdered his mistress, Mary Ann Wyatt, seventy years old, with whom he was living. There is little doubt that the body which he wanted to sell the medical student was that of the woman he killed.

The Wyatt woman had possessed some property and had recently sold it for $600. Moulton demanded that she should give him a couple of hundred dollars. He coupled this with the statement that if she didn't he would give her to the doctors, who would cut her up. The woman was frightened, and offered to give Moulton a small sum of cash, but when she showed her money he felled her to the floor, broke her head, and then took her money.

READING REDUCES COAL RATES.

The Combine Cuts Down the Tariff 10 Per Cent.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—It is officially announced that the purpose of "fostering and encouraging the manufacturing industries along the several lines in Pennsylvania and New Jersey, and especially in view of the depression in the iron trade, the management of the Reading railroad system has resolved upon a general reduction of 10 per cent. in tolls on anthracite coal and some other raw materials, on all lines, applicable to all furnaces, mills and manufactories, to take effect on the 11th inst.

This reduction is the line of the policy of the road as announced in President McLeod's last annual report, and is a step in the direction of equalization, which his report recommended be improved. Tidewater prices at tide water and other distant points thus brings low rates to all line points.

A VICTIM OF NIHILISTS.

General Gresser Poisoned at St. Petersburg and Dying.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 10.—General Gresser, the chief of police at St. Petersburg, is dying from a mysterious illness. The cause has been traced to poison in his food, and there is no doubt whatever that he is the victim of a nihilist conspiracy. The nihilists have long been greatly irritated at Gresser for his severities, especially toward prisoners who are held merely under suspicion.

Editors en Route.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Four hundred members of the National Editorial association left here for San Francisco where their convention will be held May 18 to 20. Pennsylvania sends the largest delegation of any state, among them being State Senator P. Gray Meek, of Bellefonte; R. H. Thoma, of Shamokin; Thomas T. Cooper, of Philadelphia; State Senator Harry Hall, of St. Mary's, and H. L. Taggart and A. D. Barker, Philadelphia. Among prominent New York editors were E. H. Butler, Buffalo; J. G. P. Holden, Yonkers; A. E. Bunnell, New York; John H. Farrell, Albany.

She Was to Pay $3,000 for Him.

JERSEY CITY, May 10.—That his wife had not paid the full price for him was a portion of Harry Epstein's defense in his wife Rosalie's suit for divorce heard by Chancellor McGill. She alleges brutal treatment. Harry denied this and then said that his purchase price had been fixed at $3,000. She only paid $200, but relying upon her word he allowed her to marry him.

Riot at Jackson Park.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Two carloads of iron workers from Pittsburg, who came to take the places of the strikers on the World's fair buildings, were attacked by an angry mob of about 200 men at Jackson park. A detachment of police charged the mob, finally dispersing them. John J. Flynn and Edward Wilcox, two of the leaders, were arrested.

Hunter's Bail $10,000.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—A hearing was given J. Theodore F. Hunter, ex-president of the Farmers and Mechanics' National bank, of Phoenixville, under a charge of falsifying a report of the condition of the institution. United States Commissioner Bell fixed his bail at $10,000.

The Swiss Will Fortify.

BERNE, May 10.—France complains to the Swiss government that the undefended condition of the valley of the Rhone will allow the access of an Italian army to French territory, and the Swiss bundesrath will not be authority to fortify Morlagny and St. Maurice.

Shot Dead by a Policeman.

LANCASTER, O., May 10.—Policeman Pitts attempted to arrest a stranger who had a horse and buggy that had been stolen at Zanesville. The stranger was about to escape when Pitts shot him through the neck, killing him instantly.

Lincoln Confers with Salisbury.

LONDON, May 10.—Mr. Lincoln, United States minister, had another long conference with Lord Salisbury. It is surmised that an international conference upon the silver question was touched upon.

Killed by an Electric Car.

SCRANTON, Pa., May 10.—Annie Fisch, three years old, was playing in the street and accidentally ran in front of an electric street car. She was thrown under the wheels and decapitated.

Death Saved Him from Being Swindled.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 10.—W. A. Scott, who lives at Stone's Crossing, Johnson county, who came here en route to New York to buy $650 worth of green goods, dropped dead at the depot.

De Costa's Plea for Hattie Adams.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Rev. Dr. De Costa asks Judge Fitzgerald for clemency for Hattie Adams, and declares that in a year such actions as those of Dr. Parkhurst will be declared felonies.

Suicide with Kerosene.

CINCINNATI, May 10.—Miss Lizzie Rice, sister of Robert Rice, of the Kentucky legislature, saturated her clothing with kerosene and then set fire to them. She died of her injuries.

Gave Birth to Triplets.

WOODHAVEN, L. I., May 10.—Mrs. John Schmall, of Woodhaven, gave birth to boy triplets. Their combined weight was ten pounds. Mother and triplets are doing well.

Iceman O'Sullivan Buried.

MONSON, Wis., May 10.—The body of Patrick O'Sullivan was buried in the little Catholic cemetery at Puddle Duck beside the graves of his parents.

THE BASEBALL WORLD.

At Pittsburg—
Pittsburg.....0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 1—4
New York.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Batteries: Smith and Mack, Staub and Buck, Beard and Boyle.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland.....2 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—4
Boston.....0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2
Batteries: Young and O'Connor, Clarkson and Kelly.

At Chicago—Chicago-Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.

At St. Louis—St. Louis-Philadelphia game postponed on account of rain.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati-Baltimore game postponed on account of rain.

A Big Safe Combine.

TRENTON, May 10.—The Herring-Hall-Marvin company has been organized under the laws of New Jersey with a capital of $3,500,000. This company is to take over and carry on the business of Herring & Co., of New York; Farrell & Co., of Philadelphia; the Hall Safe and Lock company, of Cincinnati; the Marvin Safe company, of New York, and Myers & Smith, of Philadelphia.

Buffalo May Have a Strike.

BUFFALO, May 10.—A tiemp of the Buffalo street car lines is threatened. The employees recently demanded the reinstatement of some discharged men, shorter hours of labor and twenty cents an hour. It is believed that the company will refuse the demands. The men are well organized.

Death in a Cyclone Cave.

ASTHONY, Kan., May 10.—William Wilkins, and his wife and five children, colored, thinking a storm was brewing, retired into a cyclone cave at their residence. They went to sleep, and the heavy rain so undermined the house that the roof fell in. The five children were taken out dead.

Mrs. Flower's Sister Dead.

ALBANY, May 10.—Governor and Mrs. Flower while on their way to this city received a dispatch announcing the sudden death at Watertown of Mrs. Beach, a sister of Mrs. Flower. This caused them to continue their journey past Albany to Watertown.

A Suicide at Four Score.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 10.—Harvey Preston, a wealthy farmer of Dover, Dutchess county, was found dead in bed with an empty laudanum bottle near him. He was eighty years old. His two brothers ended their lives in old age in a similar manner.

France Is Waking Up.

PARIS, May 10.—Leon Say and seven other leading men have joined the anti-socialist alliance. The object of the alliance is to combat socialism. There is to be a strong effort made to stay the progress of radicalism in religion and society.

England Gets Kentucky Whisky.

CINCINNATI, May 10.—An English syndicate will take possession on June 1 of bourbon distilleries in Kentucky, with an output of 25,000,000 gallons. The capital interested is more than $10,000,000.

The Missouri on the Rampage.

KANSAS CITY, May 10.—The Missouri river is a raging torrent and bids fair to soon pass the danger line. It now stands twenty-two feet three inches, and is rising at the rate of over an inch an hour.

Pinkham Out on Bail.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Charles H. Pinkham, Jr., formerly president of the Harlem bank, was arrested on Friday last, charged with grand larceny, and was released on $6,000 bail.

Managing a Husband.

He—There isn't enough on this breakfast table to feed a canary bird.

She—Why, my dear! but there are several things I want you to order from the market, and I know you'll forget all about it unless you leave the house hungry.—Life.

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OUR YOUNG FOLKS

CHIMPANZEE AND ORANG.

Youthful Joe Succeeds the Late Lamented Sally—Jack the Dainty.

Those of our readers who have ever had an opportunity of visiting the London Zoo do not need to be told that the late Sally was one of the wisest and best mannered apes ever placed on exhibition. She belonged to that species of ape which of all the brute creations approaches nearest in form to the human species. Since her death her place has been vacant until recently a new chimpanzee arrived. Sally's successor, it seems, is not a lady at all—he is only a friend and brother, and a youthful one into the bargain. He is a small, pale faced chimpanzee youth of 3 or 4

POOR JOE, SUCH A HEADACHE!

years of age, very untrained, unstudied and badly mannered. He was suffering from a bad cold when he arrived, just after which period of his existence he was photographed. As will be seen, he is referring to the cat, his picture was taken in the box in which he had made his journey; in it are his blankets, and to it his meals and medicine are taken.

The newcomer behaves quite badly when the cold in the head troubles him. The officials apologize and say he is young and untaught, but after Sally's society manners they feel the difference. However, the cold and cough are improving and before long the chimpanzee's education will begin, when, first of all, table manners will be taught, for at present, while his neighbor the orang frisks his milk daintily out of a cup and blows the nix of a spoon, Sally's successor, in primitive fashion, dips his long, thin fingers into the fluid and sucks them clean.

Our second picture shows Jack, the orang, at supper. Orangs differ from chimpanzees in having a much longer muzzle and very long arms, so long that the fingers can touch the ground when the animals stand erect. Naturalists tell us that the projecting muzzle is much less

JACK AT SUPPER.

noticable in the young than in the adult orang. Therefore we may infer that Jack is quite well developed in person, as the intelligent process him will trained when by nature the orang is less adapted for holding itself upright than the chimpanzee.

The same orang is Malayan and signifies "man" or "rational being," while orang means "of the woods." Though playful and mischievous orangs are not so fond of mischief as chimpanzees or the monkey tribe. Chimpanzees are natives of the warmest parts of Africa, and orangs are at home in the forests of Malacca, Cochin China and some islands of that part of the world. Exile from their native climes greatly shortens the days of these entertaining creatures.

Shipwrecked.

Five little boys on five big steeds,
I met in the lane one day.
The little boys did nothing but laugh.
The horses neighed but not a laugh.

"We have not got eating, my noble man,
Riding on swift away!"
"We are going to find the Gingerbread land
—Over the hills," said they.

Their cheeks were as round as an apple is round,
Their eyes were as bright as the day,
And the rose tint of their faces fair
Was fresh as the pink tinged May!

Five little boys on five big steeds
Came back the very same way;
The little boys did nothing but weep,
The steeds had forgotten to neigh.

And I thought I heard on the rustling air,
The words of a mournful lay:
"We have found, alas! the Gingerbread land
But we'll ne'er go again for aye!"

Five pair of eyes with a mournful gaze,
Five faces that once were gay;
Now thin and pale as a shadow dim
And sad as the saddest gray.

The five small boys and the five big steeds
I have met no more to this day,
But I always think they followed them
Whenever I pass that way.

Artisanes of the Ant.

Like many other insects, the ant is very fond of sugar, to obtain which it employs a skill that is almost incredible. An observer thought he had protected his sugar basin from the attention of a number of ants by placing it in the center of a vessel full of water. To his amazement, however, he found that they got to the sugar by climbing up the wall of the room to the part of the ceiling that was just over the basin. From this spot they allowed themselves to fall down among the sugar. Several that were carried by the draft past the bowl fell into the surrounding water, and would all have been drowned but for the efforts of their mates, who succeeded in rescuing some of them. The truth of this singular occurrence is vouched for by the witness of it.

Little Queen Wilhelmina.

The queen of the Netherlands is not altogether unlike some other young folks, in spite of her lofty station, if we may believe the latest anecdote about her. Not very long ago her small majesty had forgotten to prepare a lesson for Miss Winter, her English governess, over games and gambols in the park at The Hague. The punishment for the offense consisted in drawing a map of Europe. When this task was accomplished, it appeared that in order to show her vexation at the punishment, the youthful sovereign had drawn the country of the strict English governess as a tiny dot, while the Netherlands had extended into a gigantic kingdom.

GOOD HEALTH

SEASICKNESS.

Beauty Theories. Wise and Otherwise. About Its Prevention.

For the prevention of seasickness a curious notion seems to be common that the stomach should be left empty, as remarks says The Lancet. Those have a much stouter old men and women take with praiseworthy persistence—had the result been satisfactory—breakfast, dinner and supper, a pint of porter, a red herring, and various other edibles and potables with an entire want of success in retaining them, a course of procedure peculiarly trying to those who happen to be standing, or rather lying, on the verge of the act of vomiting. We are not aware that any remedy for this affection we should recommend as follows: Take a moderate meal two hours before going on board. Remain on deck amidships, and avoid tobacco, cold, as long as possible. As soon as the premonitory symptoms appear retire to the berth, and remain as quietly as possible, and the fast on the 'tee for the first twelve or even twenty-four hours without food. Then take a small portion of dry bread and roast beef, with a cup of strong tea, if the stomach probably retains. If there is much movement of the vessel lie quiet again or even go upon deck, and in the course of thirty-six or forty-eight hours the sparrow will have recovered itself, and no further trouble will be experienced. It is a mistake to introduce a quantity of fluid, even of spirituous liquor, into the disturbed stomach; if sickness persist, a glass of champagne will probably prove serviceable. In similar persons quinine or antipyrin, chloral or potassium bromide may act well, but as a rule medicine of all kinds should be eschewed by those who do not wish to aggravate what is already hard to bear.

How We Get Our Teeth.

As eminent dentist is authority for the following: It would take too long to describe the formation of the teeth, but it may interest you to know that the enamel is derived in the first place from the epithelium, or scarf skin, and is, in fact, modified skin, while the dentine, or ivory, the bulk of the tooth is composed, is derived from the mucuous layer below the epithelium. Lime salts are slowly deposited, and the tooth gets, so to speak, set. The last remains of what was once a pulpy mass of the shape of the future tooth, and even the tooth pulp in old people sometimes gets quite obliterated by calcarious deposits. The thirty-two permanent teeth are preceded by twenty temporary, deciduous or milk teeth. These are all fully erupted at about ten to two and a half years old, and at about six years of age a wonderful process of absorption sets in, by which the roots of the temporary teeth are removed to make room for the advancing permanent ones. The crowns of the former, having no support, become loose and fall out as milk teeth. These are all supposed that the advancing permanent teeth was a powerful factor in the absorption of its temporary predecessor, but the basis many facts to prove it has no influence whatever; indeed, the interesting phenomena of the eruption and succession of teeth are very little understood. I may remark in passing that a child of six who has not yet lost any temporary teeth has in its jaws, either erupted or unerupted, no less than fifty-two teeth more or less formed.

"Never Lose Your Temper."

To a recent interviewer Miss Fohl, while greatly discussing questions of the interest of educated young ladies, says: "Keep my temper and stick to regular hours," adding the words which cynics might proclaim should be written in letters of gold in every lady's boudoir, "Never lose your temper. No woman can keep young who often loses her temper. When I feel that my temper is getting the better of me I always get up and leave the room."

ETIQUETTE

PRACTICAL PARAGRAPHS.

Brief Suggestions in Good Form for a Variety of Occasions.

From Harper's Bazar are gleaned the following useful answers to sundry questions on everyday matters:

Of course you should send your card if you do not attend a reception to which you are invited. The occasion with a bouquet which you wear of a church wedding is thanks for the invitation to the church.

You should not send at home cards while you are in mourning.

Write "With sincere sympathy" on the card sent with flowers to a friend in affliction. Married ladies' calling cards measure 3½ by 2½ inches.

In formal notes leave two of your husband's and one of your own. You do not pay a call upon the maid.

A man paying a call upon a girl who is a great deal older than he should be introduced the latter, if clever, will probably not appear until late, or will in some way arrange not to interfere with your chat with your old friend.

If you must send for a "second helping" leave your knife and fork upon the plate.

When unable to attend an afternoon reception or tea, send your visiting card during the hours of the reception. Do not hand a card to a member of the family before you are calling. Leave it on the table.

Cards p. p. c. may be left in person or sent by mail. You may send one card to Mr. and Mrs. Gaybey, the fifteen, and one to the son of the family. Inclose the cards each in a single envelope.

Don't be economical with your invitation card. Send one to Mr. and Mrs. Smith, one to the Misses Smith, and another to Mr. William Henry Smith; or, if there be two sons, you may send to the Messrs. Smith, although separate cards are better style.

Address the woman as "*My dear Mrs. Brown*," or in the third person, as "Mrs. Smith asks that Mrs. Brown will kindly," etc. Say, "How is your mamma?" to an intimate; "how is Mrs. Brown?" to an acquaintance. It is necessary to leave cards at a tea or reception.

Yes, a young woman should give her hand to a man called.

Have your tea from 4 until 6 o'clock. Your cards will read, "Mrs. John Smith, the Misses Smith." Serve light refreshments, chocolate, small cakes and ices.

Number of bridesmaids is a matter entirely of option. The bride's family make all arrangements for church and other matters connected with the wedding.

SELECTIONS

ONE SUMMER GIRL.

On the Sad Reflections of Heartless Gaybey.

To tell her that he was not a marrying man, was one of the hardest things Mortimer Gaybey ever had to do. The little lovely that came in her voice when she said she had never thought he was, betrayed to him a weight of disappointment in her feminine heart which made him feel that he had been rather a cad.

He had been back from the country a whole week, now, but try as he would, he could not get that plaintive note out of his ears. And her face, too, turned up to the moonlight with a little look of defiance in the eyes, and a trifle more quivering of the lips than usual, would not out of his sight.

He was sitting at his desk, and, after vainly striving to lose himself in his work, he gave up to himself to thoughts of his summer's infamy.

"Confound those newspaper men," he said to himself. "I thought she was only a summer girl, and that when the fall came she would be ready to forget all about me."

"That's the woman of it, though—they always do what you don't expect them to do.

"How the dickens was I to know she was in earnest? She was so easy, too! Let me call her Gladys the third time we met. If that wasn't the mark of a summer girl, I don't know what is.

"And when we got caught in the rain and I held her hand under the blanket. Great Scott! Why didn't she get offended instead of looking so pleased? And when if I could get any comfort out of it she didn't mind? I don't know a fellow who wouldn't think she was head over heels.

"I don't know what I said to her that night on the piazza when she let me kiss her. I suppose I told her I loved her. It is easy to be known better, though, than to take it so blessed seriously. Why couldn't she have looked at it the same way I did—enjoy ourselves for a few weeks and then come back to town and do no harm done?

"But she was plucky, though poor little devil. Never said anything disagreeable or made any fuss. Just that one little sob—if it was a sob—and then she tried to laugh. Poor little girl! Hang it, I'm a brute, and I'll never look at another woman as long as I live. (Aloud.) What's that Willis?

"You boy said he was to get an answer."

"H'm. 'M. Gaybey, Esquire'—I wish folks would learn to spell out my front name—'Dear Sir: We would be obliged if you would call at our office to-morrow (Tuesday) morning at ten o'clock. We have been retained by Miss Gladys Willkins, but we think that by conferring with us you may be able to avoid the annoyance and publicity of a suit. Yours very truly, Simon and Dodge, Attorneys.' Very well, Willis. Tell the boy to say 'All right.' Well, I'll be blessed. Well, well, well! Summer girl! Gladys! No woman else was ever like you. Of all the monumental, confounded idiots on earth—Life.

Found the Value of His Wife.

A Fall River clergyman tells an interesting story of a wealthy flat. He was settled in New York City, and one day had a call from a man who had been a member of the grocer headed him from his pocket book a card which the pastor subsequently found to be wrapper of paper to the name and address of a lady, and the words in a bright cent. He didn't know how to regard the token, whether as a joke or in earnest. After the departure of the caller, the minister wondering what had become of the pair, of whom he only knew that they were intending to live in New York. One day, the first anniversary of the marriage, a letter came from the man inclosing a check for $20, which he wished the pastor to accept as a private wedding fee. No explanation was given of the original compensation, and the clergyman was left to construe it as best he could. He has never learned, inclined to believe, after the receipt of the $20, that the man must have been poor at the time of the ceremony, and though why a poor man was chosen remains a mystery) folded the man so effectually that others seeing the paper might have no idea what was in it, and particularly that the lady herself would know the amount. It is evident that the man had prospered during the year and that he considered he had got his money's worth.—*Fall River News.*

The Nineteenth Century Woman.

There is an old fable of the musquitto and the elephant, called "Amos," which is insufferable, should have no marked inferiority. * * * But with this world's rapid advance through the Nineteenth age, comes the new woman, who is ever perplexing to the male atom who pokes himself for a moment to make a study of her. She has become a factor in every department of life, and is rapidly crowding out the male from the professions, practice a profession or to journey forth on foot under the green leaves of Arden. She has grown self-reliant and commands respect, equally as home in the White House or on the banks of the Nova. She never plants daisies and buttercups now-a-days, but rears the queen's affection by pulling apart their petals. You find her, instead, arranging orchids in a glass and making cynical reflections upon the worthlessness of the native race. Individual love or hate in the opposite sex is apparently all one to her.—*Scribner's.*

Sorry He Spoke.

A parrot belonging to a clergyman was generally taken out of the room when the family assembled for prayers, for fear he might take it into his head to join irreverently in the responses. One evening, however, his presence happened to be unnoticed, he being entirely forgotten. For some time he maintained a decorous silence, but at length, instead of "Amen," out he came with "Cheer, boys, cheer." On this, the butler was directed to remove him, and had got as far as the door with him, when the bird, perhaps thinking he had vindicated himself, and had better apologize, sallied out "Sorry I spoke." The overpowering effect on the company may be more easily imagined than described.

One of Mr. Flower's Stories.

Once, it is said, Congressman Roswell P. Flower and a party of friends up at his Watertown house, among them being Colonel Tom Ochiltree. The Colonel made father free with his host's wine. On his turning to go Mr. Flower enjoined him thus:

"Good night, my dear Ochiltree. Take the first of the two carriages which are in waiting. The second isn't there!"

The Colonel never forgot it. He tells it on somebody else now.

This Date in History—May 10.

1775—Louis XVI of France died.

1794—Colonel Ethan Allen and his wife, Honorable Heman Swift, and Honorable Samuel Hitchcock, agent, commissioned by Connecticut, sold 500,000 acres of land in Pennsylvania to Connecticut for $1,200,000.

1865—Paul Revere, famous for his ride to rouse the Minutemen of Middlesex, died in Charlestown, aged 80.

1869—The Union Pacific railroad was completed by the driving of the last spike at Promontory, Utah, by which the first railroad across the continent was completed.

1871—Thaddeus Fairbanks, born in Lancaster, O., he has been in congress or cabinet continuously for 37 years.

1882—Theodore Parker, Unitarian clergyman and reformer, died in Florence, Italy; born 1810.

1882—Lieutenant James Jonathan Jarvis ("Commander") died of wounds accidentally received at Chancellorsville; born 1838.

1887—The last rail was laid and the last spike driven on the Union Pacific railway at Promontory Point, U. T.; this was a most official formality, as the road was completed some time before.

1891—The Very Rev. William Keegan, vicar general of the Catholic diocese of Brooklyn, died, aged 67.

Rapid Work.

Editor Dinkyville Clarion (musing)—Good idea of mine, sending Scriber, the typesaur, over to comfort the Widow Dunsterry on the sad pastime for an elsewhere notice of her departed husband. There is nothing like taking time by the forelock. She is wealthy, and this situation of the couple to make love prospered with her. I— Hello, Scriber (to the foreman of the paper)! What detained you so long?

Scriber (cheerfully)—Oh, it took some little time for Mrs. Dunsterry and me to go over to the Rev. Mr. Harps' and get married.—Life.

Her Explanation.

Little Edith's mother was explaining a picture.

"There," said she, "are mountains, that is a river, this is a lake, and these little dots are the towns and cities."

"And these, mamma," said Edith, referring to the lines of latitude and longitude, "these are the telephone and trolley wires."—Boston Transcript.

A Rare Inducement.

Mother—I want you to be good children this week.

Freddie—What will you give us if we are good?

Mother—If you are good you can look on while your father shaves himself Sunday morning.—Texas Siftings.

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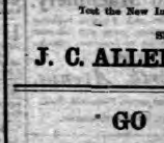

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A TALK TO YOUNG MEN

MAYOR GILBERT AT THE Y. M. C. A. LAST EVENING.

He Tells of the Association's Organization and Object—And Gives Good Advice.

HUNDREDS of young men attended a reception tendered the educational classes at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening. Mayor Gilbert was present and an address. He said:

"I really ought not to be introduced. I feel very very much at home here and that you all ought to know me. At last here I allowed my mind to go back 22 or 24 years, about the time when this association was organized.

Why you know Mr. Murray, your president, stated the last time I addressed you, that I was the father of the association. That was only half true; the association had two fathers, Mr. Newman was the other one; and it was 22 or 24 years ago when Mr. Newman and myself were young men.

Mr. Newman and I used to meet frequently on the train and at that time Plainfield was a very small place, and they used to say churches had great board fences around so you could not see from the outside in or from the inside out, and Mr. Newman and I used to talk about this, and I said to him one day, "If we only had an association here, that would be a rendezvous for the young men of Plainfield where they could go and meet with each other, I am sure it would do a great deal of good."

I am sure we could break down this denominational difference existing if we could only get hold of the young men and get them to fraternize together and become interested in worthy aims and worthy motives. And so we started the association.

Without going over its history, I only want to say I ought to feel very glad when I know how successful the Association has been, and if I have never anything else in this life put to my credit, if I only have my proper share of the credit which belongs to me for having had something to do with the organization of this Association. I certainly ought to feel that my life has not been a useless one.

I love to talk to young men, for I realize full well that the effort to guide and direct the feet of young men in the pathway of duty, in the pathway that leads to success and prosperity is one of the most promising and profitable of works, and that is one great object brother Newman and I had in mind when we organized the Association.

We feel the aim of this Association would be to draw young men to it; to surround them with environments, which would help the poor young man, laboring to gain educational facilities; to enthuse in them an interest in worthy aims, an interest that would not stop with half way excellence. We realized also that in order to make such an Association a help to young men we would have to take them when they were very young; that we would have to take them in the days of their youth.

If you want to surround them with good influences you must get hold of them when they are young.

If the young man has not been started right the chances are ten to one he will not stay right.

When a man is young he looks at life from an entirely different stand point than when he is older.

His pathway seems strewn with flowers, all the thorns are slight, that is to say, he don't see them.

Now this is just the perilous time in the career of a young man; it is the time we want to arrest his attention and get him to fix his thoughts on something more serious.

He then told them to look ahead. "Some young men" he said, "seem to feel in certain rule in life; form certain associations and reason to themselves in this way." I am hedged about by uncompromising circumstances, I can't very well get out of them; I have no influential friends; I have no one to get me into a position, that's the way young men reason. I have talked with a great many of them and I know they reason that way.

I have seen young men that everything they touched seemed to turn to gold, and they are very few; and the young man who starts out in life thinking that he can spend his youthful days indifferently and trust to luck to see him through, will find luck will never render him any service.

He spoke highly of Benjamin Franklin and said, "I remember very well when he was being entertained at the Court of St. James, and, upon being complimented for his genius, said, 'That which you call genius in me is nothing more or less than early preparation and years of unremitting toil and labor."

Now that is the secret of a very successful life.

There is no influence which exerts half as powerfully in a young man for good or for evil as the company he keeps and the friendships he forms.

A young man grows to be like his associates, there is no doubt about it.

When a young man through evil associations has tarnished his character, then he has planted in the pathway of future success a barrier that will follow him at every turn; it will rise up before him every and many a time in his life and blight his brightest anticipations.

If young men knew what a priceless treasure pure character is to a man when he go to ready to start out in the business world, why he would guard it with his life. I tell you, young men, no one assault your body and they may leave you wounded and bleeding, and time will cure all that; but when men assault your character or when your character becomes injured, you have received a mortal hurt.

The world does not look with favor on a man who has a smirch on his character.

If I were a young man if I could go back to the time I was 16 or 18 years of age, I would read the history of the growth and development of nations. Renowned men of past ages were used as examples of the success preparation and study insures.

I read an article the other day on Geo. Washington, and this arrested my attention: "there is not a young man living in this country who may not be just as great a man as George Washington if he only appreciates the fact that it is with in his power to make himself great."

Mayor Gilbert was followed by Mr. Packer, the popular instructor in bookkeeping, who made an appropriate address, after which he was presented with a gold pen by his class. A clever presentation speech was made by Mr. John B. Thatcher.

The instructor of the shorthand class, Mr. Robinson, also made a very interesting and instructive address.

Then there was the reading of two selections by Mr. Joy, after which refreshments were served.

The young men present went home feeling that a most profitable evening had been spent.

Small Pox in Craig Place.

Dr. Boone was called this afternoon to No. 39 Craig Place to attend Mr. Paamore of Paterson, who is the contractor for the street railway. The doctor pronounced the case one of small-pox and the house was immediately quarantined and disinfected.

BREVITIES

—"Hands Across the Sea" is the next play to be presented at Music Hall.

—The individual bowling contest of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum is still in progress.

—The Crescent League base ball games are now scheduled on a bulletin board at the depot.

—The Plainfield Reform Club will hold its regular mid-week meeting to-morrow evening at eight o'clock.

—Two teams chosen from the Crescent League will play a game on the Crescent League alleys to-morrow evening.

—The old Board of Union county Freeholders retired yesterday. It was considered the best the county ever had.

—John Burk was fined ten dollars by City Judge Codington yesterday. He was charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

—Next Thursday the annual meeting of the Woman's Baptist Missions of New Jersey will be held in the First Baptist church of this city.

—A large attendance is called for at the monthly business meeting of the W. C. T. U. to be held Thursday after noon at 3.30 o'clock in their rooms.

—In another column Mr. A. G. Vogeler advertises that he has fresh bologna sausage every day. It is made on the premises. He also has all kinds of fresh and salted meats.

—The fourteen-year-old boy who stole Mr. Geo. Cornwall's bicycle, appeared before Justice Nash yesterday, waived examination and furnished bonds to await the action of the Grand Jury.

—Manning avenue, North Plainfield, is being graded preparatory to receiving its coating of crushed stone, which is to deliver the residents of that thoroughfare from a quagmire. For several years past, during certain seasons, it has been almost impassible.

—A rope has been stretched across Manning avenue at its intersection with Somerset street, thereby compelling people who wish to drive through that section to go round by Jackson street or Race street. It might be incidentally mentioned that it is a rather "stout" rope.

—Mr. A. D. Thompson has not given up business in Plainfield, as many people supposed. He simply sold the produce part of his business to Mr. L. A. Hummer. If a horse is wanted, "sound, kind and gentle," etc., Mr. Thompson's able manager, Mr. H. E. Rider, will supply it. He may still be found at the office, No. 29 North avenue. He says a large assortment of roadsters, family and business horses are constantly on hand.

—A competition for a long time past has been carried on among the English ironmasters as to the degree of thinness to which cold iron could be rolled. In one case the sheets have been rolled to an average thickness of thinness of the eighteen-hundredth part of an inch—in other words eighteen hundred sheets of this iron, piled one upon another, would measure only one inch in thickness. And this marvelous fineness of work may be more readily understood when one foot is borne in mind that the great number of twelve hundred sheets of thinnest tissue paper measures a slight fraction over an inch. It also appears that these wonderful iron sheets were perfectly smooth and easy to write upon, notwithstanding the fact of their being porous when held up in a strong light.—Philadelphia Press.

The Weather.

Generally cooler and from partly cloudy to fair, followed by rains to-morrow.

A GIRL'S AWFUL DEATH.

MISS VANDERBEEK CONSUMED IN TRYING TO SAVE A PET COLT.

Her Father's Farm Set on Fire.—Her Charred Remains Afterwards Found in the Ruins of Burned Buildings.

Horace B. Vanderbeek has always been known as one of the most prosperous farmers in Somerset county, and until Monday no farm in the neighborhood of Lamington, a little hamlet ten miles from Somerville, made a better appearance than his. Yesterday his barns and outbuildings were a mass of smouldering ruins, while his 21-year old daughter Augusta had been burned to death in the fire the night before, which swept away the barns and the outbuildings in a short half hour. How the fire was started is a mystery, but everything indicates that it was of incendiary origin, although the work had to be done under the clear light of the full moon.

The flames were first seen from the house of Hezekiah Eick, who lives nearly half a mile away. It was 4 o'clock, after the gloomy hours of the night. Eick's wife saw that the barns were all on fire and aroused her husband. He could not see or hear a train coming and drove on. When upon the track he saw a train coming from Elizabeth, but he could turn about or drive across the wagon was struck. The horse was killed, wagon smashed and Eick was knocked insensible and thrown one hundred feet from the crossing.

It is supposed that the railroad company was not responsible, but had taken all the precautions the law requires, either by the blowing of a whistle or the ringing of the bell at the approach to the crossing, and the engineer and fireman swore that the bell was rung from the time the train left North Elizabeth station. It was a freight train, and they said running about twelve miles an hour.

Chief Surgeon Meyer was a witness for the company. He swore that there were no obstructions of the view of a person approaching first from the crossing, and at that point a train could be seen coming for a distance of three quarters of a mile.

In summing up Mr. Gummere allowed that Delayer Hand, the engineer, had did not take the precaution he was bound to take.

The jury were out a little more than half an hour when they returned a verdict for the full amount of damages.

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I find these facts, in case of fire, manageable. They is, therefore, no ground for the report.

T. O. Doane,
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Plainfield, May 9, 1892.

Examining the Books.

A committee of expert accountants comprising Mr. E. L. Barbour, Mr. A. S. Patterson and Mr. Corwin have been secured by Councilman Fisk to examine the books of the various city officials, with the idea of devising some plan by which the exact financial standing of the city may be known at very short notice. As it is now the various departments are not so arranged as to act as a check on each other; and it is only by a roundabout method that a correct statement of the city's liabilities and assets can be secured. Good for Mr. Fisk. If he had been in the Council during the past two years he might have helped us to escape the floundering of the old combine.

—The Independent drum corps was out for practice last evening.

COURT AND JURY.

ASSEMBLYMAN CARROLL RECOVERS DAMAGES.

Garret Walsh Seeks Damages for the Assault Upon Him by Edward Butler—Other Cases Yesterday.

There were several cases disposed of in the Union county circuit court yesterday. The suit of Michael Mahearty against Michael F. Gummere, a correspondent of the Elizabeth Daily Herald, was called and the plaintiff non-suited.

The suit of John Carroll and Michael Carroll against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for damages for the loss of a horse and wagon by a collision at Richmond avenue, occupied most of the afternoon session. Hon. Fred C. Marsh appeared for the plaintiffs in charge of the attack was going to the Newark market, and that between eleven and twelve o'clock, after the gateman goes off the post. Hadley swore that as he neared the crossing he looked and listened. He could not see or hear a train coming and drove on. When upon the track he saw a train coming from Elizabeth, but he could turn about or drive across the wagon was struck. The horse was killed, wagon smashed and Eick was knocked insensible and thrown one hundred feet from the crossing.

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A committee of expert accountants comprising Mr. E. L. Barbour, Mr. A. S. Patterson and Mr. Corwin have been secured by Councilman Fisk to examine the books of the various city officials, with the idea of devising some plan by which the exact financial standing of the city may be known at very short notice. As it is now the various departments are not so arranged as to act as a check on each other; and it is only by a roundabout method that a correct statement of the city's liabilities and assets can be secured. Good for Mr. Fisk. If he had been in the Council during the past two years he might have helped us to escape the floundering of the old combine.

—The Independent drum corps was out for practice last evening.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

KEEP YOUR EYES ON THE MOON.

There is an Eclipse Promised for To-night.

New York, May 11. (Special.)—A partial eclipse of the moon will occur this evening, and, all conditions being favorable, should be visible from 7.07, the time of the setting of the sun, until 7.34, from all points in this vicinity.

Should the sky be clear the moon will be observed to rise with its face partially obscured by the earth's shadow. Soon after 7.30 it will pass out of the shadow and shortly before nine o'clock be at its full.

"HANDS UP!"

Highwaymen Rifle a Stage.

Ramona, Cal., May 11th. (Special.)—The Redding and Weaverville stage was robbed last evening by two masked men about two miles from this place. The Wells Fargo box was taken, but the mails were not touched. A good description of the robbers has been obtained, and a posse are in pursuit, with good prospects of capturing or killing the outlaws.

Glad to Get Back.

Wichita, Kan., May 11th. (Special.)—A party of negroes who went from here to the new lands of Oklahoma returned yesterday, with a tale of suffering and want among the people, who came up in droves from the South under the guidance of schemers.

A Scotch Sugar Refinery Burned.

London, May 11. (Special.)—The Orchard Sugar Refinery at Greenock, Scotland, was destroyed by fire last night. The total loss is $150,000.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CONCLAVE.

The Most Successful Meeting Ever Held in this State.—The New Officers.

The thirty-fourth Conclave or annual meeting of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar was held in Music Hall on the Trenton parade ground, and was the most successful, in point of attendance, ever held in this State. Every Commandery in the State was represented by its present past officers. The business of the meeting was conducted in secret, so that the public is not concerned, which is matter essential to all secret orders.

At the close of the business session new officers were chosen for the ensuing year as follows: Right Eminent Grand Commander, William F. Sievers, of Morristown; Deputy Grand Commander, Warren Dickerson, of Jersey City; Grand Generalissimo, James McCain, of Trenton; Grand Captain General, Edward Wanser, of Orange; Grand Prelate, Rev. Godson, of Newark; Senior Grand Warden, Robert Dingwell, of Newark; Junior Grand Warden, William J. Lockwood, of Paterson; Grand Treasurer, Fred G. Wiese, of Somerville; Grand Recorder, Andrew D. Lent, of Jersey City; Grand Standard Bearer, Alfred J. Briggs, of Riverton; Grand Sword Bearer, John W. Abertron, of Long Branch; Grand Warder, William H. Seeling, of Plainfield; Grand Captain of the Guard, Samuel G. Reunels, of Trenton.

Immediately after the election the new officers were installed, that feature concluding the business of the meeting.

THE ANNUAL INSPECTION.

Post No. 72 Inspected Last Evening—A Banquet Followed.

The annual inspection of Winfield Scott Post, No. 72, G. A. R., took place last evening. The inspecting officer was Mr. H. C. Hallock of Newark. During the evening Comrade S. H. Springer was mustered in and an application for membership from Raritan was received.

Among the other visitors were Commander E. A. Donnelly of Trenton, Assistant Adjutant General R. A. Maine of Trenton, Judge Advocate of Jersey City, A. Sage, J. C. Taylor and E. C. Stahl of Trenton, Mr. V. Connelly of Jersey City, B. S. Bodine of Trenton and Past Department Commander J. K. Sweyer of Pennsylvania. Speeches were made and the veterans thoroughly enjoyed themselves. At the conclusion of the meeting the guests sat down to a banquet.

IT has been well said that "between the years of thirteen and seventeen the physical energies of the body as in springtime thrill out into every limb and organ"—These energies must be sustained—

Have some B-O for Breakfast.

IF YOU WANT

FINE ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER Cheese, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at

226 NORTH AVENUE,

Also on hand canned goods, pickles, etc.

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Having Disposed of the Produce Business

to Mr. L. A. Hummer, all persons owing the

Plainfield Produce Co.

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We still continue the horse business and have constantly on hand fine roadsters, family or business horses, at reasonable prices.

A. D. THOMPSON, Proprietor.
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CORNER FRONT AND GROVE STREETS,

Friday, May 20th, at 2 p. m. Sharp,

A very large sale of

New and Second-Hand Furniture,

Consisting of Parlor Suites, Plush Bedroom Suites in oak, very fine, Buffet, Chairs, Stands, Tables, Couches, Rugs, Carpets, etc. Terms Cash.

T. J. CAREY, - - Auctioneer.

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Whole Suits from $5 up.

Spring Overcoats and Children Clothing in great variety. Our goods are of a proven quality, and our Low Prices will surprise you.

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WANTED—Work on farm by young man. Address "Competent," care of EVENING NEWS. 10-3

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—By family of two, a smart willing young woman for general housework. Reference required. Address "E," care of EVENING NEWS. 10 2

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A black leather pocketbook, containing money and receipt. Finder will be rewarded by returning it to 174 South Second street. 11-2

BOARDERS WANTED.

AT 19 Craig place, furnished rooms with board. Table boarders accommodated. 5 5 1m

FOR SALE.

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased at Elmwood Park, Somerset Address R. F. M. Cone, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to R. F. Mead, real estate broker. Call and see them. 300 feet above the sea level. 2 15tf

FOR SALE—Grass and Clover Seed, clean and cheap. John Barry, 241. 4-6-2

HERSEY cor, fresh, and call for sale Address Mrs. John Barnabow, Somerville, N. J. who

MISCELLANEOUS.

LADIES wishing last shampooings for hair in Europe, address for particulars "Europa," care of EVENING NEWS. 10-3tf

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order, and cheap, sold. Call Pierson's store, 11 Somerset street. 5 28tf

USE Fay's Manilla Roofing; better and cheaper than tin; just the thing for Outbuildings, etc. Sold by H. E. Borne, New Brunswick, N. J. 4 20 1m eow

WANTED—For the next thirty days water closets to clean at the lowest cash. Borough only. John Barry, Box 241. 4-6-tf

PHILIP BLOCH,

NEW AND SECOND HAND Clothing

Bought and sold. 31 West Front street.

Cleaning and repairing neatly done at shortest notice and lowest prices. 9 6

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Latest and Greatest Production,

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With all the original company, scenery and realistic effects. Two car loads of the most elaborate music appointments ever presented in this city. Stirring dramatic situations, thrilling specialties, comic features and the bright, humorous vein that ran through the whole play like a streak of sunshine. Not a suggestion of vulgarity or low life in the entire play. A production complete in every detail, presented by a great cast.

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We have received a good assortment for Men and Boys.

Hallock & Davis,

5 West Front Street.

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MENS FURNISHINGS

Also

Trunks and Bags.

$50 REWARD!

The Mayor and Common Council of the Borough of North Plainfield offer the above sum for the

Arrest and Conviction

of the person or persons who effected an entrance into the residence of Augustus Van Deventer and J. H. Alexander, situated in the borough of North Plainfield, on the night of May 2, 1892, and removed therefrom articles of value, consisting of clothing, silverware, etc.

W. L. SAUNDERS, Mayor.
Attest: H. S. BROKAW, Clerk. 7 1wr

EDITORIAL NOTES

Progress of the Country Town.

An eastern man traveling westward had occasion not long since to stop over night in Springfield, O. Springfield has a population not far from 32,000. To the man who thinks there is no city in this country but New York, Chicago or Boston, as the case may be, Springfield is of course a mere rustic village. The stranger stepped into the street from his hotel in the evening. What he did or did not expect to see he does not say. But what he did see was a city as brilliantly lighted as the finest streets of New York itself. An "opera house," so called, was near by. He entered and found it as elegant and splendidly appointed as many of the best eastern theaters. One of the most popular plays of the winter in New York was at that time being performed upon its boards in a manner which would have been creditable to the theaters in New York.

The eastern man opened wide his eyes in astonishment. How much had New York to offer in the way of city advantages that this country town out in Ohio did not possess? He has not answered the question satisfactorily to himself yet.

Springfield is only a type of the grand young towns throughout the country. While New York was fighting over the bill for electric street cars many small cities had already for years possessed a splendid system of rapid transit of this kind. Being newly laid out, their streets are not narrow, crooked and dingy, like the older thoroughfares of eastern cities, but are broad, clean and beautiful. Every such town has its free public library. Where are there such in the older cities?

Invention and modern progress have steadily pressed forward to the aid of the country town. Village improvement societies are making it a joy forever. Roads are becoming solid and beautiful, noble trees line the streets of the country town, tiny parks in front of every dooryard are brilliant with flowers. In many village streets there is not so much as a scrap of paper to be found. Electric lights make the night of the village as brilliant as that of the great city. Fruits and vegetables all come to the market with the fresh flavor on them. In towns of a few thousand inhabitants water works supply pure water in abundance. Ere long there will be electric lights in private houses.

Each town has its own tasteful and artistic "opera house." Some of these village public halls are gems of beauty. Here the great lecture, the concert, the popular play are given exactly as they are in the city. The public schools are better than they are in the big city, for they are out of politics. Modern invention has made the city yield up its treasures to the country, and co-operation, combination, is the magic that has wrought it all. The village has the advantages of the city, and pure air, blue sky and green trees besides.

Yet another ingenious and important adaptation of electricity is a device for making it ring the chimes on church bells. This seems so reasonable an invention that the wonder is nobody thought of it sooner. However, G. F Atwood, of Orange, N. J., appears to be the first man who has made the idea practicable. Put into words, which do not tell a tithe of the trouble it has cost Mr. Atwood, he has attached electrical wires to the various bells which ring the chimes. The other ends of the wires are attached to a keyboard similar to that of a piano or organ. The player sits quietly down to this keyboard, which is fixed near the church organ, and plays the air to be rung out by the chimes. Each touch upon the keys completes the current which acts on the bells, and up in the church tower they ring the air the organist plays upon the keys a hundred feet below. A phonographic attachment enables the player to hear the bells playing, so that he can give the expression he wishes to the music.

A floating bottle containing a note has made a record as a globe girdler fit to go along with that of George Francis Train. It did not make half the fuss about it. J. S. Hoffman, at sea off Cape Cod, threw into the water a bottle containing a note requesting the finder of the bottle to communicate with him. This happened June 14, 1888. The bottle drifted eastward and eastward over the ocean till at last, June 28, 1890, two years and fourteen days afterward, it was picked off the coast of New South Wales, Australia. The finder was Mr. James Jonathan Clafworthy, of Port Talbot, and he immediately wrote a note announcing the fact to Mr. Hoffman, who in due course of time received the letter at New Orleans, after it had traveled after him through three postoffices. It is difficult for even a bottle to be lost in our enlightened age.

The enthusiastic welcome home to Whitelaw Reid was quite as much to the editor as to the returned foreign minister. It was because he was a first class editor that he got the post of minister to France. Let us take courage.

The liar does more harm to himself than to anybody else. This refers to newspaper correspondents and reporters, as well as to other people.

FOR BLAINE OR SHERMAN

More About That Alleged Anti-Harrison Conference.

MEN WHO ARE IN THE MOVEMENT.

Senators Quay and Cameron, of Pennsylvania; Wolcott, of Colorado, and Senator Platt, of New York, Said to Be the Leading Spirits—Political Gossip.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Sun's Washington special declares that at the recent conference of alleged antiHarrison men Senators Quay, Cameron, Washburn, Wolcott, Stockbridge and ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt were present. The Sun says that the result of the meeting was the determination that as all the reports from the south and elsewhere showed that a much larger number of antiHarrison delegates were being elected than there was any reason to hope for a month ago, the work of preparing to defeat the president at Minneapolis should be pushed forward with renewed vigor.

United on Sherman.

The Sun says that at present the name of Sherman is the one about which the anti-Harrison forces will rally, and while it is conceded that he is the strongest candidate now in sight, the contingency of Blaine's final decision is to be kept constantly in mind. In other words, if Blaine does not make it impossible he will be nominated.

The Connecticut Democrats.

NEW HAVEN, May 11.—The Democratic state convention here elected Cleveland delegates and Hill's friends in the convention were beaten at every point. The delegates chosen to represent the party at Chicago were Alvin P. Hyde, of Hartford; Carlos French, of Seymour; James B. Shannon, of Norwich; E. C. Benedict, of Greenwich; Robert J. Vance, of New Britain; E. G. Pansy, of Hartford; Gilbert R. Beckwith, of New London; Joel A. Webb, of Windham; Robert L. Clarkson, of Stratford; Sydney P. Ensign, of Salisbury; Norris G. Osborn, of New Haven, and Clinton B. Davis, of Hadden.

The defeat of Senator Eaton is a noteworthy victory for Cleveland. He is a Hill man and wished to go to Chicago and also to preside at the convention, but both wishes were denied.

The Platform.

The platform indorses tariff reform and condemns free silver; demands a revision of the tariff along the lines of the Democratic national platform of 1892, and the state platform of 1890, and in particular demands free raw materials. It charges that the McKinley bill had caused stagnation in the industries of the country, and calls upon farmers, manufacturers and workingmen to intrust the revision of the tariff to the Democratic party. It declares against the unlimited coinage of silver dollars worth but sixty-seven cents each and applauds "the integrity, the statesmanship, and the lofty patriotism of the administration of Grover Cleveland."

President Harrison is arraigned for filling his cabinet with little statesmen, for rewarding political workers with appointments, for turning the census and pension bureaus to partisan uses, for sacrificing his country in the Behring sea dispute, for his veto of Chinese Exclusion, for favoring the Lodge bill, the McKinley bill and the other measures of the last congress. The remainder of the platform consisted of denunciation of the Republican methods and praise of the Democrats in connection with state politics.

Powderly Talks Politics.

PITTSBURG, May 11.—In an interview Mr. Terence V. Powderly stated that for the present his political interests and those of the Knights of Labor were with the People's party, as its platform embodies the ideas of the working classes. He added: "If the Democrats or Republicans ignore our claims, we will hold a Cobden Club in Omaha on July 4 and nominate a man for president. We favor unlimited coinage of silver and everything calculated to insure relief for the people, and the decentralization of wealth." Mr. Powderly denounced the electoral college and said its abolition was sought by the new party as was also the abolishment of the senate. He believes that legislative power should be invested in only one house of representatives.

Ingalls for Chairman.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—It is the belief here that ex-Senator John J. Ingalls, of Kansas, will be chosen permanent chairman of the Republican national convention at Minneapolis next month, although Senator Cullom, ex-Senator Sewell, Governor McKinley, ex-Speaker Grow and other well known parliamentarians are mentioned for the place. Mr. Ingalls is one of the most accomplished presiding officers in the country, his sharp voice being capable of penetrating a crowd of many thousands and his fund of parliamentary law and procedure being complete.

All Eyes on Blaine.

CHICAGO, May 11.—An important meeting of the Blaine club was held here. Secretary H. G. Teed, in speaking of the meeting, said: "It is now almost certain that Mr. Harrison will not be renominated as less than 300 delegates have been instructed for him. This being the situation, all eyes are turning toward Mr. Blaine. He is not seeking the nomination, but it is seeking him. There are good reasons for believing that he will consider it his duty to accept if the nomination came unsought and unsolicited."

Senator Hill Wants Changes Made.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Senator Hill suggests that the new electoral college should contain only 421 members instead of 444, the number generally conceded, because the additional twenty-three representatives under the new apportionment will not take their seats until 1893. He also maintains that the Democratic national committee should contain 884 members instead of 900.

Daniel Against Cleveland.

LYNCHBURG, Va., May 11.—United States Senator John W. Daniel attended the Democratic town meeting at Campbell Court House and made a vigorous antiCleveland pro-silver speech. The result was a solid Hill delegation to the state convention, with Senator Daniel at its head.

Elkins' Appointment Condemned.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., May 11.—The Democratic convention of this republican county in favor of free coinage of silver and condemned the appointment of Stephen B. Elkins as secretary of war. The delegates to Chicago are instructed, and all but one favor Cleveland.

Captured by the Gold Bugs.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 11.—Governor Pennoyer came out in a speech for the People's party on the ground that the gold bugs had captured both of the old parties.

ALL METHODISTS TO UNITE.

Move to Consolidate the Various Factions in the United States.

OMAHA, May 11.—An effort is being made by the Methodist conference to bring the church north and south together, and communication has already been opened with the officers of the church south by the committee on state of church.

Dr. King, of New York, offered resolutions requesting the general conference to take such action as it may deem best to secure the organic union of the Methodist Episcopal church, the Methodist church south and other Methodist churches. The resolutions were referred, without discussion, to the committee on state of the church.

The report of the committee on Columbian exposition was presented. It heartily approved of the exposition, but emphatically protested against opening the gates on Sunday. A telegram was ordered to be sent to congress heartily approving the World's fair appropriation bill, providing it be conditioned upon Sunday closing.

The report of the committee on constitution was then taken up and read and considered by sections. The first section was that the first three sections of the present discipline are constitutional. This was combatted on the ground that it would compel all acts of the general conference to be reviewed by the annual conference.

Dr. Little, of central Illinois; Dr. Leonard, of Ohio, and Dr. Curtis, of Chicago, held that portions of the general conference acts are merely statutory laws and not constitutional provisions. Under such a holding the laymen legally could not hold a seat in the conference and were here by sufferance only. Dr. Kynett, of Iowa, raised the point that if the report was not adopted, then the lay delegates were not a part of the conference.

John Fields, of Philadelphia, offered a resolution postponing the further consideration of the report until the next general conference in order to give the people of the church an opportunity to canvass and discuss the matter thoroughly. He made a strong plea for his resolution and was heartily applauded. The substitute was voted down, and a motion to lay the first part on the table and take up the second part was also voted down. An unknown delegate at the finale moved to adjourn, and to the *surprise of all it was carried.*

The Episcopal board earnestly discussed the proposed increase of the board. It was found upon taking a vote that the entire eighteen members were opposed to the proposed increase, and they adopted a resolution which will be presented to the Episcopal committee setting forth their views.

In Graceful Lines.

A STREET DRESS.

Here is a costume in graceful flowing lines that can be made up in any colors or combination to suit the individual taste. The original dress was silk ranged in a combination of dark chestnut velvet, pale chamois peau de soie, striped white tulle, and a palerine and back part of the petticoat in dark chestnut and white striped satin. A belt to match is worn with this, trimmed with corn-flowers.

Stolen Bonds Returned.

ALBANY, May 11.—John Price, now serving a nine months' sentence at Sing Sing prison, was convicted of having abstracted in 1888 a package containing $35,000 in bonds from under the seat of a carriage in front of the Farmers and Mechanics' bank. The identical package has just been received from unknown persons in New York by ex-District Attorney Hugh Reilly. It was intact, and its contents, which were negotiable, amount to $43,000.

Found Dead in Bed.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., May 11.—Charles Fletcher and A. M. Robbins, of Saranac Lake, started on a hunting trip on Monday. Their boat was found bottom side up and their oars and hats were found floating a short time after. Search is being made for the bodies.

In Stonewall Jackson's Memory.

CHARLESTON, May 11.—The anniversary of the death of Stonewall Jackson was observed here by the decoration of the graves of the Confederate dead. Flags were at half mast in every city, save on federal government buildings.

Spencer and Johnson Not Guilty.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—William Spencer, ex-supreme president, and Lewis Johnson, ex-supreme vice president of the defunct Triumphal Mutual Benefit society, charged with the embezzlement of $10,000, were acquitted here.

As Guests of the Reading.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—Many New York and Philadelphia newspaper men will commence an excursion Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday to the battlefield of Gettysburg. They will be the Reading railroad's guests.

Liquor Sellers Jailed.

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 11.—Nine liquor sellers of Montpelier, convicted of violating the prohibitory law, were sentenced to the house of correction for terms ranging from three months to one year.

FIFTY DEAD IN A MINE.

Terrible Explosion of Gas at Roslyn, Wash.

FIRE FOLLOWS THE AWFUL SHOCK.

Most of the Ill Fated Miners Leave Families to Mourn Their Horrible Fate. Searching for the Bodies of the Victims of the Frightful Calamity.

ROSLYN, Wash., May 11.—A terrible explosion occurred in the slope of main shaft No. 3, of the Northwest Pacific Coal company at this point in which the loss of life exceeded in number that of any other disaster that has ever been chronicled on the Pacific slope. The exact nature of the explosion or the circumstances that led to it will probably never be known. At this writing it is believed that nearly every miner who was working the slope at the time has perished. It is not definitely known how many men were in the vicinity of the disaster, but it is believed that between forty-five and fifty were in the three mines that were affected by the explosion.

Finding the Bodies.

Relief forces are at work, and at this time four bodies have been recovered. These were found working near the opening, and at some distance from the point where *it is supposed the explosion occurred.* Most of the men were from 1,500 to 2,000 feet further in the slope and in the immediate vicinity of the explosion. There is no doubt in the minds of the company's officials that every man was immediately killed by the explosion, following it an asphyxiated death of the men who were at work in the three levels that were affected.

The Victims.

Thomas Holmes, married.
John Pomeroy, married, one infant baby.
Phillip Davis, a large family.
Thomas Rosse, large family.
John Rosse, son of Thomas.
Will Robinson, widow and baby.
Robert Graham, widow and two children.
George Moses, leaves an orphan son ten years old.
A. Bullard (colored), married.
Jack Ferguson, a large family.
George Brooks, family at Streator, Ills.
Joseph Welch, Sr., a large family.
Joseph Ellsworth, Jr.
John Lafferty, single, aged sixty-five; owner of considerable property.
D. McMillan, widower, three children.
Charles Palmer, widow and child.
Mitchell Hale, single.
Mitchell Beadl, large family; brother of ex-Superintendent Beadl.
Wilson Steele, family. Steele's son was working for his father, but came out last night and escaped. He was knocked down by the force of the explosion.
William Hagen, single; only support of mother and crippled sister.
William Bain (colored), married.
Jacob Weatherly, late mine boss at No. 3; large family.
Joseph Brown, family.
Thomas Brown, leaves a widow and three children.
James Houston (colored), widow and five children.
William Bennett, widow and three children.
Joseph May, single.
William Hall, married.
Sidney Wright, brother of County Clerk Thomas Wright, family.
James Morgan, single.
Herman D. Owen, family.

At a late hour the relief force is working its way toward the middle of the mine, but there is little hope of any of the miners being rescued alive.

The Only One Saved.

Roslyn is the center of the great coal fields which supply the Northern Pacific Railroad company, the Union Pacific and nearly all the local coal companies on Puget Sound with fuel. The daily output is about 2,500 tons, and about 800 men are regularly employed in the mines. An explosion of gas took place in the slope of No. 3 mine about 12 o'clock, just as the men were changing shifts in the mine. A rope rider and a boy escaped with the caloosh or timber after the explosion and are the only ones saved.

Bankers Win in Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 11.—The bankers of Indiana have won their case against the new state tax law by which the board of tax commissioners could fine and imprison any officer or citizen who refused to testify concerning assets in the banks. In the case of Philip C. Decker, president of an Evansville bank who refused to testify concerning assets in the bank, the supreme court decided that the clause inflicting fine and imprisonment was unconstitutional.

To Fight for Equal Suffrage.

CHICAGO, May 11.—The plan long cherished by Mrs. Isabella Beecher Hooker for a new national body of workers for equal suffrage, to be composed of the members of the Federal Suffrage Association of the United States," Ex-Senator M. B. Castle, of Sandwich, Ills., was elected president.

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Emperor William's Latest Freak.

BERLIN, May 11.—Emperor William's latest odd freak was the fulsome praise in the barracks of the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, followed by the unmerited kicks one citizen and severely wounded another before the barracks in the Wrangle strasse six weeks ago. The hooting and Lasch's promotion caused a storm of indignation throughout the empire.

Hotel Men Choose Officers.

DETROIT, May 11.—At the thirteenth annual meeting of the Hotel Men's Mutual Benefit Association of the United States the following officers were elected: President, L. A. McAvery, Detroit; secretary and treasurer, Walter Barnes. The old board of directors was continued.

The Murdered Baby Found.

BROOKLYN, May 11.—The body of Mary Werthoimer's murdered baby was found at the bottom of waste land near Newton creek. The murderer was committed by the young men named Schultz and Haas, who choked the child to death at its mother's request.

Captured by the Bringe People.

CINCINNATI, May 11.—The climax in the troubles of Lane seminary has been reached, leading members of the executive committee having resigned and the famous institution of the Presbyterians has been practically captured by the Bringe people.

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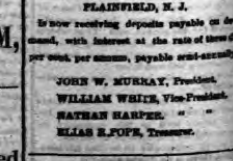

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ABBETT ON THE COMBINE

The Governor's Stand Against the Reading Deal.

HE MAY CALL AN EXTRA SESSION.

New Jersey's Chief Executive Says One Question for the Legislature to Consider Would Be the Wisdom of Declaring the Combine's Continuance as a Crime.

TRENTON, May 11.—Governor Abbett, Attorney General Stockton, Barker Gummere and Judge A. L. McDermott spent several hours behind closed doors in the executive chamber discussing the Reading deal matter. As foreshadowed in United Press dispatches several days ago, it was decided not to call an extra session of the legislature, at least for the present, but to go on with the programme already published of resorting to the courts to annul the Jersey Central's lease of the Port Reading. In an interview after the conference, Governor Abbett said:

Governor Abbett's Position.

"If at any stage of the proceedings I am satisfied that the ordinary processes of law are not sufficient to bring the matter to an immediate and final hearing, or that the law, as it now stands, is insufficient to give the necessary relief, then I shall call the legislature together. If it is then ascertained that the continuance of this combination is not already a common law offense, punishable under our statutes, one of the questions for our legislature to consider would be the wisdom of clearly defining the combination as a crime and fixing the adequate punishment therefor."

A prominent railroad man and politician, who was apprised of the governor's views since, asserted that it was needless bravado, and his prediction was that if the matter got into the courts at all it would be kept there only until election.

The Governor Assailed.

"This is the biggest bluff in Governor Abbett's record," he said. "The governor or his most intimate political friends had a bill passed to legalize the deal. Public sentiment became aroused over the measure and the governor had to veto it. Now it is necessary for him to square himself with the disgusted people, and he adopts this extraordinary method to do it. This combination which two months ago was praised as a thing for the public benefit he would now have called a crime. By politics Governor Abbett has risen high and by politics he is losing his head and will fall very low."

The Coal Rates Reduction.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—Mr. William H. Joyce, general freight agent of the Pennsylvania railroad, stated that the reduction in anthracite coal rates was not by the Reading railroad alone, but was in pursuance of an agreement between the lines interested in supplying furnaces in Pennsylvania with fuel, and is the natural result following upon a reduction in the rates on coke agreed to by the Baltimore and Ohio, the Reading and the Pennsylvania railroads. Mr. Joyce further stated that for several months past his company has had under consideration a reduction in the rates on coke, but owing to various causes the meeting between the Baltimore and Ohio, the Reading and the Pennsylvania railroads was not held until Monday. At this meeting a reduction in the rates on coke was agreed upon, and following this meeting the Reading company and the Pennsylvania railroad agreed to a reduction of rates on anthracite coal for furnaces, as both coal and coke are largely used in the manufacture of pig iron. Mr. Joyce stated that the average reduction in the rates on coke to points in eastern Pennsylvania is about twenty-four cents per ton and on anthracite coal about ten cents per ton, and that the reduction applies only to furnaces and does not apply to other industries or to anthracite coal for domestic use.

Sharon Springs Hoppers Caught.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Sheriff Black, of Sharon Springs, N. Y., has arrested Christie Jackson, a fifteen-year-old girl, and Louis Marcott, of Brooklyn, twenty years old, who were living as man and wife at the Central hotel here. Miss Jackson's father, D. A. Jackson, is a prominent politician and well known lawyer. Miss Jackson was forbidden to receive attentions from the young man, but during the absence of her parents she took $1,000 of her mother's money and ran away with him.

Birmingham's Incendiary Fire.

BIRMINGHAM, Conn., May 11.—An incendiary fire in the saloon of John Nichols burned a part of the tenement and the store house of K. G. Barnsley. Loss, $4,500; insurance, $6,000. Mrs. M. Heffner lost $600 on furniture; insurance, $1,000. The dry goods stock of W. B. Green was damaged by water $10,000; insurance, $14,500.

To Libel the Nellie May.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Solicitor Hepburn and Superintendent Owen have gone to Providence to libel the tramp bark Nellie May which landed at this port forty-eight penniless immigrants. This is the most vigorous action which the government has taken in such cases where the law has been violated.

Blaine's Friends Active.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 11.—The friends of Secretary Blaine have become very active within the past few days, and say that they have assurances from Washington that he will accept the presidential nomination if tendered to him by the Minneapolis convention.

The Morgenau Levee Safe.

NEW ORLEANS, May 11.—Consternation was created all along the river by the report that the great Morgenau levee 112 miles above this city, had broken. The report, it now transpires, was not true, and the levee is, so far as appearances go, safe.

Firebugs Active Again.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., May 11.—The firebugs who burned several houses and barns in Orbait during the early part of April have begun operations again. The frame house and sawmill of C. H. Markham, valued at $5,000, have just been totally destroyed.

Marriage a Failure After Fifty Years.

BALTIMORE, May 11.—After fifty years of married life Samuel N. Cooper has concluded that marriage is a failure, and has applied for a divorce from his wife, Ellen, on the ground of abandonment.

The Triple Alliance Secure.

BERLIN, May 11.—The selection of Signor Giolitti as the new Italian premier gives great satisfaction in German political circles and insures the continuance of the triple alliance.

Archbishop Kenrick Not Dying.

ST. LOUIS, May 11.—There is no truth in the alarming reports concerning the ill health of Archbishop Kenrick, of this city.

Modern Parenting.

Bunker—I see that Duckblow, who lives out of the city now, has made quite a success at farming.

Hill—Yes, I understood that he was making money from it, and I didn't know how he managed it.

Bunker—Easy enough. His farm is right off the railroad track and he lets all the clubbing men in town to put their ads in his back yard.—Cloister and Furnisher.

A Lovely Man.

The Chaperon—That's Jack Dashing, a dissolute, unprincipled scamp. He is the black sheep of his family, you know. Look out for him.

The Debutante—Indeed I will. I love him already.—Life.

THE BASEBALL WORLD.

At Cleveland—									R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	8	2
Boston	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	8	0

Batteries: Daily and Zimmer; Nichols, Stivetts and Gaffney. Called, dark.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati-Baltimore game postponed on account of rain.

At Louisville—									R.	H.	E.
Louisville	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	4
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3

Batteries: Stratton and Grim, Knell and McGuire.

At Chicago—First Chicago-Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.

Second game—									R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	5	0	0	3	2	0	1	0	11	12
Brooklyn	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	6

Batteries: Luby and Schriver; Hart, Foutz and Daly.

At St. Louis—First game—									R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	3	0	8	0
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	4	7

Batteries: Gleason and Bud, Carney and Clements.

Second game—									R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	1	4	0	0	0	0	3	0	8	0
Philadelphia	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	2	0	8	2

Batteries: Easton and Bad; Thornton, Weyhing and Clements.

At Pittsburg—The New York players left grounds, and the game was given to the Pittsburgs by a score of 9 to 0.

EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES.											
At Philadelphia—									R.	H.	E.
Providence	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0
Rochester	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	x	5	8	5

Batteries: Bowman and Wilson, McKeough and Gunning.

At Troy—									R.	H.	E.
Troy	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	5	2
Buffalo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	9	0

Batteries: McCaffrey and Clarkson, Weckbecker and Conway.

At New Haven—									R.	H.	E.
New Haven	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	4	9	15	3
Hartford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	7	4

Batteries: Wells and Fournier, Boyd and Fricker.

At Providence—									R.	H.	E.
Albany	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	x	2	5	2
Providence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5

Batteries: Murphy and Taylor, Ryan and Kilroy.

At Syracuse—									R.	H.	E.
Syracuse	0	2	1	0	4	0	0	x	7	7	2

Batteries: Townsend and Fitzgerald, Myers and Crane.

Knights Templar Elect Officers.

TRENTON, May 11.—The grand commanders of the Knights Templar of New Jersey elected the following officers: *Grand commander*, William H. Mackenzie, Morristown; deputy grand commander, Worrington Dobbs, Jersey City; grand generalissimo, James McCain, Trenton; grand captain general, Edward Mills, Salem; grand prelate, Thomas Godwin, Newark; grand senior warden, David Dingwell, Newark; grand junior warden, William J. Lockwood, Paterson; grand treasurer, Frederick J. Weiss, Bordentown; grand secretary, Charles Bechtel, Trenton; grand standard bearer, James A. Grigg, Riverton; grand sword bearer, J. W. Allstron, Long Branch.

The Fight Against Monmouth.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 11.—For the second time the Monmouth county courts have laid over the applications made by the Monmouth Park Racing association for liquor licenses. Judge Conover announced that the court would visit the track and inspect the premises. The race track people say that unless the court grant licenses there will be no racing.

Walker Made Chairman.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—At a meeting of the Republican congressional campaign committee Hon. Joseph H. Walker, of Massachusetts, was elected temporary chairman and Representative Houck, of Tennessee, temporary secretary.

Murderer Morton Confesses.

CAMDEN, N. J., May 11.—James Morton, held for the murder of Lydia Wyatt, admits that he offered her body to the doctors before her death, but denies that the sale was his motive for the crime. He says he struck her twice in self defense.

Powderly Against Sunday Closing.

PITTSBURG, May 11.—Mr. T. V. Powderly, of the Knights of Labor, says: "I think that the World's fair should be open on Sunday as on any other day—as Sunday is the only day of leisure to a large majority of the working class."

Embezzler Jaeger Caught.

ALEXANDRIA, May 11.—Jaeger, the absconding cashier of the Frankfort house of the Rothschilds, was arrested at the Hotel Schmidt in this city. He was recognized while at breakfast by the German officers.

Democrats Meet at Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 11.—The executive committee of the National Council of Women of the United States met in annual session at the Palmer House, under the presidency of May Wright Sewall, of Indianapolis.

Mahone Against Harrison.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—It is reported here that Mahone has yet up a solid delegation in Virginia in favor of anybody who can beat Harrison.

Signed by the President.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The president, an hour after its receipt from the senate, signed the bill to encourage American shipbuilding.

Quebec's Premier to Retire.

MONTREAL, May 11.—Hon. Mr. De Boucherville will soon retire from the premiership of Quebec.

THE PHELAN-WALSH SUIT.

Judge Hall Says the Official Count Is Not Prima Facie Evidence.

NEW HAVEN, May 11.—The quo warranto suit of John J. Phelan vs. Secretary of State R. Jay Walsh, which came to a trial in the superior court before Judge John M. Hall, had scarcely begun before a question arose as to the admissibility of the election returns as to the secretary of state's office or as the official count" to prove that Mr. Phelan was elected on the face of the returns. Attorney Charles J. Cole objected to the introduction of these returns as prima facie evidence, and in a carefully prepared review of the point Judge Hall said that it he was to pass finally on this point he would rule that the returns were not prima facie evidence and could not be produced to prove Phelan's claim.

He suggested to the Democrats that they bring in the moderators' certificates in every town and counter from every town upward to prove their case according to the usual rules of evidence. If, however, they did not wish to accept his suggestion and were willing to risk their chances before the supreme court, he would rule the returns in pro forma. Counsel for the Democrats, Lynde Harrison and Judge Henry Stoddard, said they would accept the matter and probably accept his suggestion.

After considering the matter for a time Messrs. Stoddard and Harrison decided to accept the judge's suggestion so as to make sitors' certificates and counters from towns and wards. Immediate steps were taken to summon the town clerks and counters throughout the state. As there are 168 towns, these will number at least 220, whose attendance will cost the Democrats as much as $10,000.

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Going on her way the listener, who had understandingly, as the way of the fragment of gossip, found herself thinking, first vaguely, and then sympathetically, about the unknown girl and the people who belonged to her. What did they think, she wondered, and satisfied with Miss Eleanor's choice? Did the girl's father feel the usual natural pang of jealousy that his petted darling should turn with loving eyes and words to another man, giving to him the dower of sweetness, of which, as the father's secret heart, he doubted any man of the younger generation to be worthy?

Did the girl's mother hide a heartache that her love was no longer sufficient to her child; that henceforward another must be nearer and closer to that child than herself? Had Eleanor no secret misgiving? Was she recklessly happy as she took the first step toward the new and different stage of development, leaving girlhood and its freedom behind her, and accepting with the new happiness so much responsibility, not alone for one, but for two lives?

Then the listener thought of the man, Miss Eleanor's choice, and of his people. His mother, to whom Miss John or Hughes in her capricious imagination Eleanor's mate was at once christened Hugh—how did his mother regard her future daughter-in-law? Was the latter sufficiently refined enough, and wise enough to accept the new relation, and adopt into her love the wife whom her son had selected?

As society is constituted, the necessary adjustment of parts which takes place in every new arrangement produces little visible friction. All that is disagreeable and trying is decreed offensive to good taste, and is kept decently in the background, while only that which is bright and pleasant is put in evidence. This as each new family emerges from two former families, as each husband and each wife is the product of two different training schools, bringing to their marriage the ideas, the standards, the habits of mind, and the ingrained beliefs and convictions of totally diverse people. It is easy to see that a wedding, with all its gayety and clamor of rejoicing bells, is as serious an event as any other in which humanity can participate. It is fraught with tremendous possibilities, farreaching for evil or for good.

Engaged people are therefore interesting to all who look beneath the glittering social surface and forecast days to come. Hugh and Eleanor respectively have no

WHERE'S BILL?

"Where's Bill?" Yes, o' course I'm glad to
Hear the old lad's name mentioned;
Where's Bill, you say? I said to
Jim all we got room for.
I'm a-goldenrod on th' hill.
Leagin us from the valley—
"Bill
I jes had to—
Say, where's Bill?

Know that months hence I guess and
Ain't the only one that'll miss 'im,
Th hero? Bettie-bird an Jes so.
Where's Bill? Why, he's a-settin
There's th' old stone on th' hill:
I'm glad that I could find it
If I had to look a thousand years.

When we two was boys, Bill shoved it
To me one day, an the year
Out in th' west— There, I skeeped it,
Where Bill's gone. Now I'm glad
Jim—I— Well, I've found you, Bill.
—Carl Smith in Harper's Weekly.

MENTAL LOAFING.

Why Women Are Addicted to the Habit Most Of Men.

A college man, whose mind was free from rigid drill, regretted the unwillingness of his mother, which made physical food a necessary and mental feeding needless.

"Mother, dear," he said, drawing a clipping upon some good subject from his pocket, "this article would be a splendid improver," and he read it aloud to her.

It was a new subject for thought. Her brain absorbed it like a sponge. The next day the diet was continued, the next week, the next month, until her mind, invigorated and well fed by food for fresh thought, was in the beginning of a new and different life. Her accounts of what she also attacked and duly thoroughly demolished by Professor White, as well as that absorbing about tomatoes which was mixed by Dio Lewis, had long been called, and she who had lain on her couch for a year was able to walk a block unaided.

Thus the mind affects the body, and vice versa.

Mental loafing is one of the most insidious, common and destructive of mind habits, and often increases with age. Always acknowledging that an education is just begun and not finished when text books are laid aside, one of the first signs of "mental loafing" is the effort required to read literature that causes reflection, to follow a fixed line of thought; to prefer what might be termed mental desserts to a substantial meal upon a stronger mind food, one continually in one way. Desserts are good; delicious from contrast, but no one should rest upon them exclusively.

Women, speaking broadly, are more inclined to "mental loafing" than men. A man's life to be successful must be a constant struggle, and on some lines a hand to hand winning. A woman's life, if it is in woman's sphere, must needs be a distribution forming a cobbpot.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Best Schools for Girls.

As to bad schools—schools that in spending after the relief and sales and counts how all that might have given enjoyment they are many. It seems to me that there is no more serious duty in which there is so much humbug as in that of education, and the utter inability of the parent to determine what kind of a school it is into which he decides to put his young girl has, "Why those who stand behind the scenes very much of the pitiful. What, however, we think of one or two of the products of schools and are silent. One is resultant of the nurse maid who never stood in need of a thermometer for the water for the baby's bath. The housewife who never knew that she knew it had been too hot, and if its cans out blue, she knew it had been too cold. Too many a father finds, when it is too late, that he made a mistake in the school to which he trusted the training of his little girl. But how could he have known before?

When you remove, do so firmly and decidedly.

Only allow your rules to be broken once; let the most customary notice follow the second offense.

Retain your temper under all circumstances.

Insist upon the punctuality of the family as well as upon the punctuality of the cook.

Be kind to your servants when they are ill, and make allowance for them always in the case out of the considerate kindness will be rewarded by faithful service.

Pay your servants at regular periods. Do not allow them to go out without first obtaining your permission.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Don't Neglect the Boy's Room.

Too little attention is given to the boy's room, who sometimes feels injured to see all the fancy articles secured for his sister's shrine, though he will doubtless declare he hates fussed up things. If you would make the young man of the family thoroughly happy see that he has an ample washstand with a very large basin and room to splash. He will appreciate this much more than marbles and relics. Then he prefers a single brass bedstead, or, if this is too expensive, an iron one painted. He may be quite fastidious about this, little as others finesse this his comfort may chair cushion, or he may deem flounces and frills unsuitable for the abode of a hog.

As he grows older there is one piece of furniture which is just as popular with young men as the dressing table is with young women. It is a combination dressing stand with a mirror at the right height for shaving, above two small drawers for his ties, stud box and other small belongings. Below are three or four large drawers for shirts and underwear. These are several varieties of these stands. Collar and cuff boxes are a necessity, not a luxury, if you would teach him to look his ties. His manicure set may also be just as elegant as his sister's. He needs a few hanging bookshelves for those authors which are peculiar delight, and perhaps a cabinet for the curiosities which he has interested himself to collect. "I will do anything to make my boy's home pleasant," said a wise mother, who at housecleaning time was having several changes made to suit her son's taste for antique objects. To enable him to keep precisely like bad sixives put in a clothes closet and gives more place in the door.

Bad Schools for Girls.

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Then the much shrewdness in the employer who, quite unmindful of the applicants having been graduated from Yale, engaged him at once as soon as he found he had been expelled from a certain university. For a girl to have been at some schools for any length of time is a certificate of frivolity, lack of serious purpose, of unconsciousness, and, what is of more consequence, of any real reverence for truth or for her own womanhood.—Anna C. Brackett in Harper's.

Why Japanese Women Look Pleasant.

Perhaps the secret of the sweet expression and habitual serenity of the Japanese women can be found in their freedom from small worries. The fashion of dress never varying saves the wear of mind over that subject. And the beauty of the hair and simplicity of dress make housekeeping a mere bagatelle. Everything is exquisitely clean and neatly kept as. There is no paint, no drapery, no crowd of little gewgaws, no coming into the houses in the footwear worn in the dusty streets. And then the saving of time in cooking, for that can be turned into balconies and verandas at a moment's notice, of having walls that slide away so freely as do the scenes on the stage, and let in all out of doors, or change the suites of rooms to the shape and size that the whim of the day or the hour requires. The Japanese are learning much from us, some things not to their improvement. We might begin with profit to ourselves, to learn of them. —Newport News.

How Idle Women May Find Work.

The American woman is nervous and energetic. Her life in a city boarding house or hotel is both idle and monotonous. The housekeeping, sewing, cooking and care of her children which filled her mother's life with wholesome, helpful interests and employments are taken from her. Her time turns to the trashy novel or to the frivolities of fashionable life.

If an idle woman is so unfortunate as not to have a house and home work, she can find the same kind of innocent, womanly interests and employment among the poor.

She may help them; she certainly will help herself.—Youth's Companion.

Milk Restores the Taste.

When the taste of the cook has become vitiated by the eating of many dishes, a swallow of milk will restore the delicacy of the palate, so says an old authority on cuisine.

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Legal Advertisements.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered to be published according to law at a meeting of said Council held on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1892, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.
F. W. HUNTON, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., May 9, 1892.

AN ORDINANCE.

To regulate the use of bicycles, tricycles and other velocipedes without wheels of iron or steel tires, and to repeal an Ordinance passed by the Common Council, on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1890.
Section 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, That no person shall ride or drive upon any sidewalk in the City of Plainfield any velocipede, bicycle or tricycle, or other wheeled vehicle not drawn by a horse upon any sidewalk in the City of Plainfield, at a greater speed than five miles per hour, or to go to passing from private premises to the vicinity of the nearest crossing, and then only at a speed not exceeding five miles per hour; and no person shall ride or drive any velocipede, bicycle or tricycle, or other wheeled vehicle in or upon any street or highway of said city without having a bell or other signal attached to it, distinctly audible at a distance of at least fifty feet from any person riding or driving upon any street or highway.
Section 2. That every person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall on conviction thereof be fined in any sum not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense.
Passed May 9, 1892.

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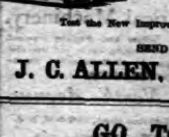
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1800—Robert de Haber, grand master of the Knights Templars, born.
1820—Laws against Quakers and against festivals at Charleston repealed in Massachusetts.
1858—Wm. Bowmaker, famous wit and humorist, born.
1862—The famous Virginia, generally called the Merrimac, destroyed by the Confederates.
1864—Battle at Mount Vernon, Ala., the Federals commanded by General Powell Clayton, the renowned Arkansas governor.
1865—General Jeff Thompson, at Chalk Bluff, Ark., surrendered the Army of Arkansas, 1,500 men, to General Grenville M. Dodge.
1872—Lieutenant Bascom Rand, well known as "Charlton's Rider," died in New York, born 1844.
1881—Mr. Rothschilds dictated terms to the emperor of Austria, that unless the latter consented to pay them they would withdraw their capital from Austria.
1891—The Russian country, in Khiva, Japan, murderously assaulted by a policeman.

His Savage Ancestry.

Oh, a merry lass was Gummy-Gass,
The child of an Afric king,
And she'd sit for hours and play at toys,
Her think of a single thing.

Little she knew of the clothes that Lou
Or Mary or Ellen wear,
And never a thought of them was to have
Placed on the front of her hair.

She never sighed for the pomp and pride
That reared on our lives have grown;
And she roamed on the way that best became
They were all to her unknown.

Her manners were bad, and all she had
Of civilized appeared
Was a mixture of beads that came from
Lands
In a missionary barrel.

Her teeth were white and her heart was
Black,
Though her skin was black like coal;
When moved to ear and looking of meat,
She'd gnash like a starving shoal.

Happy was she, till over the sea
An Amble slaver came,
Then she was sold for the slaver's gold,
And that was a bad old game.

He brought her here but a bygone year
To Liberty's chosen land,
She was sold again to many men,
And passed from hand to hand.

Her gums are useless in the only one
Of the many barriers born
Where she is sold, and he tonight
Has whitlined away for scorn.
—Detroit Tribune.

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MOON'S PHASES.
First 3 9:12 p.m. | Last 19 9:42 a.m.
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Lodge Notice.

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Grand Lodge, 325, Knights of Honor, meets First, Third and Fifth Thursdays, at eight p. m. in WILLOUGHBY LODGE ROOMS, Music Hall.
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Now is your chance. We put on sale to-day all the Spring Coats for ladies. Colors, tans and blues, and in sizes from 32 to 44. The same styles sold one week ago for $7.

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You have your choice of 100 different styles of Fancy Ginghams. Real value 15 cents.

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THAT SMALLPOX CASE.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH'S PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES.

Dr. Carman, the Health Physician, Advises General Vaccination as an Extra Precaution—The Disease Comes from Italian Laborers.

When a consultation of physicians yesterday determined that J. G. Passmore, of No. 29 Craig Place, where he is stopping, was a victim of smallpox, they telegraphed to Newark to see if he could be accepted in St. Michael's Hospital, and were refused, as the hospital does not accept as patients victims of contagious diseases. The same was the case at other hospitals.

It was at first thought that Passmore belonged to Paterson, but that was due to the fact that only a week ago he came from that city, where he had a contract for erecting an electric railway. He claims Plainfield as his place of residence, although his name does not appear in the city directory.

It was to construct the proposed Plainfield electric railway that brought him here. He has been at similar work in several towns in this and other States, and is supposed to have contracted the disease from the Italian laborers whom he employs and who become afflicted with other habits are likely to spread the disease wherever they are.

Smallpox broke out several weeks ago among the Italians occupying the mud-huts at Bound Brook. It may be that some of these Italians have brought the disease to Plainfield.

Dr. Carman for the Board of Health says that Passmore's is a mild case of varioloid, and that, in view of the professional talent, there is no likelihood of the disease spreading. Nevertheless he urges general vaccination as the certain safeguard.

The house is guarded by special marshals night and day, to allow no one to either enter or leave it.

Last night a young man, who in his zeal to see his sweetheart, had not stopped to read his News, the only paper which had the very important intelligence of the dread disease, started to visit the house, on Craig place, the young lady happening to reside there, but they were not permitted to see each other.

Plainfield ordinarily is on record for an average of five years as having the lowest death rate of any city in the State, and for this and other reasons is referred to as the healthiest city in the State. Here is the record from the State Board of Health, showing the deaths per 1,000 inhabitants:

PLAINFIELD'S EXCEPTIONAL RECORD.

From the eighth annual report of the State Board of Health table of statistics of the average death rate per thousand inhabitants of different parts of the State, Plainfield leads all other cities in New Jersey for its healthfulness.

1. Plainfield	16.49	13. Millville	19.37
2. Bordentown	16.61	14. Harrison	20.10
3. Glassboro	16.87	15. Perth Amboy	20.12
4. Phillipsburg	18.38	16. Camden	20.66
5. Bellevue	18.42	17. Orange	20.76
6. Salem	18.91	18. Rahway	21.19
7. Bayonne	19.04	19. Jersey City	21.77
8. Burlington	19.31	20. Newark	23.06
9. Orange	19.58	21. Jersey City	24.28
10. Lambertown	19.61	22. Hoboken	24.62
11. Elizabeth	19.68	23. Hoboken	25.50
12. S. Orange	19.79	24. North Hudson	27.01
25. Hudson county			28.08

Plainfield makes this excellent showing notwithstanding that many persons in poor health take up their residence here, very often, too late to do them any good. The mortality of the city is largely increased thereby.

To preserve this record there must be a maintenance of the intelligence and energy which with our high altitude above sea level, and our remarkably pure water supply, and porous soil (leaving no malarial stagnation on the surface) have won it.

BREVITIES.

—The Fanwood Township Committee will hold a meeting Saturday evening.

—The county road race will be run next Monday from Philadelphia to Newark.

—"Hands Across the Sea" is advertised to be presented at Music Hall to-morrow evening.

—The Plainfield Reform Club will hold its regular mid-week meeting this evening at eight o'clock.

—A horse belonging to a farmer named Clark ran away on Front street at 11.15 o'clock this morning.

—The Bicycle Club connected with the Y. M. C. A. of Rahway will have a race to this city this evening.

—Thomas H. Clark, the assistant sexton of the Crescent avenue church, has been granted a pension.

—The Somerset County Board of Assessors held a meeting yesterday at Van Aradale's Hotel, Somerville.

—A boy named Drake was reprimanded by City Judge Codington this morning for playing truant from school.

—Cornelius Merrill was struck by a train this morning at Bound Brook, and his skull cracked. He lies in a critical condition.

—John McElroy was fined five dollars yesterday by City Judge Codington for interfering with dog catcher Frisby.

—A horse belonging to William Toms, a milkman, became frightened on South avenue yesterday afternoon and ran away.

—Two teams chosen from the members of the Crescent League will bowl a game this evening on the Crescent Leagues alleys.

—Bernard Tracy paid five dollars into the city treasury yesterday. It was a fine imposed by City Judge Codington for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

—A new schedule will take effect on the Reading System on Sunday next, the 15th inst. Public time tables can be obtained of the agent on Saturday 14th inst.

—The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be held this evening. The report of the President and Treasurer will be presented and officers elected for the coming year.

—All school children between the ages of ten and seventeen, who are willing to sing are requested to meet at Music Hall on Saturday morning at ten o'clock for practice.

ALL SOULS' CHURCH.

Photographed by Fisher & Monfort. Engraved by Geo. W. Morrison.

A CHURCH DEDICATED.

THE UNITARIAN SOCIETY IN THEIR NEW HOME.

Interesting Services Last Evening—Many Distinguished Clergymen Take Part.—Gifts of the Late Hon. Job Male and Mrs. Stout.

The Unitarian church was dedicated last evening in the presence of an audience that was large for such bad weather as prevailed at the time. Many were present from other religious bodies of the city, and not a few from out of town, including a delegation from the Orange Unitarian church.

The church was prettily decorated with plants and branches of apple blossoms and presented a cheery appearance, indeed, to one entering from the dismal out-door scene produced by the storm.

The auditorium of the church is seated with semi-circular pews made of birch, and will accommodate 280 people. In addition, the Sunday-school room occupying the front part of the building and easily made a part of the main room, will seat 140. The building is also provided with a ladies' parlor and below it, in the basement, is a kitchen.

The dedication exercises were well-arranged as the following programme will show:

Voluntary.
Anthem, "O Gladsome Light".....Buck
Invocation.....Rev. Dr. C. Morthimer of New York
Scripture reading, Old Testament.....Rev. Stephen H. Camp of Brooklyn
Hymn.
Scripture reading, New Testament.....Rev. Stephen H. Camp of Brooklyn
Anthem, "O God the Heavenly Father"...Selected
Report of building Committee and presentation of keys by Mr. David W. Pond, Chairman of Building Committee.
Acceptance of the keys, by Mr. Harry B. Wells, President of the Board of Trustees.
Dedicatory Prayer—by the pastor, Rev. Hobart Huntley, and the congregation.
Hymn—Written for this occasion by a member of the Society.
Sermon.....Rev. Minot J. Savage of Boston
Anthem, "How the Day is Sinking".....Koschat
Benediction.....Rev. Robert Collyer of New York
Hymn.
Words of Fellowship, from the older churches of our faith, Rev. Theodore C. Williams of New York.
From the Unitarian Churches, Rev. Charles H. Eaton, D. D., of New York.
From "the Church Universal," Rev. John W. Chadwick of Brooklyn.
Doxology.....By the Pastor
Benediction.....By the Pastor

The choir was composed of Mrs. Frank E. Knight, Miss Ketcham, Mr. Frank E. Knight and Mr. Robert Gorton, with Miss Jessie Utter as the accompanist.

Speakers of the occasion, as our readers will no doubt be informed, are among the best known clergymen of the country. It is not necessary to say that they were listened to with pleasure.

The chairman of the Building Committee, Mr. D. W. Pond, of the Machine Tool Works which bears his name, made an interesting statement of the ways and means by which the society had been able to build a house free from debt. The cost of the property is estimated to be worth $17,500. The late ex-Mayor Job Male gave the valuable lot, but died several months before the society was prepared to go on with the building. Mr. Pond's report spoke appreciatingly of the generosity of Mr. Male's sister-in-law, who was at his death and for many years before a member of his household. The report says, "Mrs. Stout has been the largest contributor to our fund, in the aggregate $2,400, and the sincere thanks of the society have been suitably expressed for her liberality in her own behalf and in making good the privately expressed intention of the father of our society, the late Hon. Job Male."

The society will worship as such for the first time in their new house next Sunday. There will be two services, morning and evening. It will be a free church in the best sense, and every one, we are requested to say, may feel perfectly free to worship there. It was named last Sunday All Souls' Church, and the name is intended to be significant of its purpose to have an open door for all souls.

THE CRESCENTS WON.

An Uninteresting Game of Base Ball. The Score 30 to 0.

Nine young men who called themselves team ball players visited Plainfield yesterday afternoon and played a game of base ball with the Crescents of this city. The game was an uninteresting one and resulted in an easy victory for the Crescents. The score was 30 to 0. The visiting team had no name.

Woman's Home Missionary Society Third Anniversary.

The Rev. J. S. Stone, M.D., of New York City, will deliver a lecture in Vincent chapel Friday evening at eight o'clock on the "Methodist Forward Movement" in New York City. Mr. Stone is an interesting speaker and has wide experience in mission work both at home and abroad.

All are cordially invited. A collection will be taken. In the afternoon, anniversary exercises of the Woman's Home Missionary Society will be held in the church.

MRS. N. W. PRAY,
Rec. Secy.

AMONG THE GYPSIES.

WHOLESALE CHRISTENING AT THEIR CAMP HERE YESTERDAY.

Three Gypsy and two Other Babies Given Names by Dean Rodman.—The Orthodox Ceremony Amid Quaint Surroundings.

One month ago yesterday a tribe of Gypsies pitched their camp on grounds on the easterly side of Park avenue, just beyond the city line.

This tribe has been in the habit of "locating on the old camp ground" for the past sixteen years. Prior to that time they were accustomed to pitch their tents in the northeasterly portion of the city, near Scotch Plains, since every year for so long a time that no man recalls the beginning.

They have with them as boss King James Harrow, so-called because he is the head of several tribes in this country. They have a version in old Romany, called "Granny," who is nearly eighty years old, and is said to be the mother of twenty-five children. Her husband is a man named Bury, reported to be at present with a tribe near St. Louis. "Granma" is very active, and for a woman of her years has a gray hair. She received the most filial homage from all the other members of the tribe.

Among the younger men and women and the innumerable children are many who are "grandchildren" and "great-grandchildren" of the Tribal patriarch, who is sixty-six years. This and other tribes meet once a year in Washington, D. C., which they call their headquarters. A baby was born here a week ago and it was said to be the first baby born in the Park avenue camp.

Arrangements were made to have it baptized yesterday. Meanwhile, a day or two ago, another child was born.

So it was decided to have a general christening.

The town appeared to care little about the matter, but with the women it was everything.

An improvised extremely primitive altar was erected, by spreading a rag carpet on the grass, and placing a chair on it, a towel on the box, and on the top of all a bowl of water.

Dean Rodman, who had just previously baptized the two children of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Campbell in their home on Second avenue, made his appearance between four and five o'clock yesterday afternoon, and ordered the eight babies brought forward and held in the mother's arms, naming it Edward Campbell Rodman after the one of Mr. Ellis' children's sons referred to, who is very popular with the tribe. The other names not so-engaged on the ground mutely looking on.

Dean Rodman then baptized another baby boy, the fourth born within a year old, naming it Matilda Riley.

After he had removed his vestments he called upon two others to come at this time, on this occasion to baptize the child born but a day or two ago, naming it Harry Ellis Campbell Harrison.

The entire tribe was then photographed by a Newark operator in their quaint costumes and paraphernalia. It was supposed the baptism would be something different from what it was.

The men of the tribe earn their living at horse trading, the women by fortune-telling, and although they do many impostures can scarcely read or write, they are very crafty, and manage to make considerable money out of simple-minded girls, usually servants, who foolishly believe all the gypsies tell them.

The gypsies are also very superstitious. One child, seemingly not over five years, remarked to the reporter, "I wouldn't let you take my picture for $200. It would bring bad luck." However, he managed to get in with the crowd.

The word "grunes" was from superstition displayed great aversion to having her picture in the group, though she is in it.

These gypsies seem to have a strong affection for each other, and the number of children is remarkable, that the tribe is exceedingly prolific.

The marriage ceremony among Gypsies is very simple. A man and woman when they decide to live together as husband and wife go to some lawyer, priest or other chief. If there is no objection he unites them by breaking a Sovereign or other piece of gold in two pieces as they are many or few he argues the fortunes of the bridal pair.

If the couple become divorced they break a bowl between them, shake hands over a newly-slaughtered horse, and while one goes North, one other North and the other South never to meet again.

Whether or not they act exactly as Gypsy Bibey is in the South and the wife before him so many children is in the North.

The gypsies, who are supposed to be of Indian origin, have a superstition how to insure cleanliness among themselves, and strictly observe those laws.

At various points of their travels they leave marks to guide their struggles.

Their character is a strange medley of good and evil considered by some hateful to the outside world, but undoubtedly to their own people honorable.

In this tribe there are some members remarkably beautiful, others strangely hideous. They have many olive complexions, teeth of dazzling whiteness, eyes large and black, and hair of jet black, when they fairly shine, and like all gypsies they are noted for their endurance, and indifference to cold or wet.

UNION FREEHOLDERS.

THE NEW BOARD ORGANIZED WEDNESDAY.

Mr. Halliday Director, and the Other Caucus Nominations Confirmed—A Fumbler by Mr. Hubbard.

The new Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union county was organized yesterday.

Mr. Reed administered the oath to the members, and at twenty minutes after eleven o'clock rapped with the director's gavel and called the roll.

Mr. Trahon nominated Samuel Halliday of Rahway as the candidate for director, and Messrs. Donahue and Howard were appointed tellers.

The ballot gave Mr. Halliday 18 votes, and he was declared elected.

He was escorted to the chair by ex-Director Hubbard and Mr. Trahon, and on assuming the office very briefly returned thanks for the honor he had conferred upon him. He was very grateful for the compliment of receiving the full vote of the Board. He said he would be satisfied if he filled the office as well as his predecessor.

Mr. Sauer then introduced a resolution fixing the salary of the clerk at $600 per year, which was adopted.

Mr. Donahue nominated Alfred H. Cook of Rahway. Mr. Cook received seven votes, and Joseph Bloomfield, who had to serve two years, being sworn in by Director Halliday, Mr. Reed submitted the following resolution:

Mr. Sauer then offered a resolution fixing the salary of collector to be $1,000 per year, and the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Trahon nominated William M. Oliver for county collector. There was no other candidate.

The ballot gave Mr. Oliver seventeen votes.

Mr. Sauer offered a resolution that the salary of the counsel be fixed at $6 per day for each day of his employment by the Board.

Mr. Hubbard suggested that it would be well and wise to defer the appointment of a counsel until after the necessity for an engineer. All the county roads are now completed and there will be no necessity.

Mr. Sauer said the resolution was not to designate any time for the engineer to begin surveys, and Mr. Donahue spoke on the same line.

Mr. Hubbard said the only law which gave the Board authority to employ an engineer was the road law, and it provides that he should be appointed when necessary.

The opinion of Mr. Hubbard caused considerable fun among the Democrats. Several of them consulted the County Attorney-elect McGlynn, Hon. Thomas J. Lane and others, and Mr. Sauer finally moved for the adoption of the resolution. It was carried by a vote of 15 to 4, the three Howard and Vanderbeek voting no.

Mr. Donahue then nominated Mr. Howard Harding and Mr. Yoder received fourteen votes, and was declared elected at the discretion of the Board.

Mr. Sauer then by resolution proposed the salary of the county attorney be $1,000. Mr. Hubbard moved to adjourn.

Mr. Donahue nominated Wm. F. McClure, of Plainfield; and he was elected by sixteen votes.

This completed the election of officers, and carried out the caucus action, as had been previously announced.

Mr. Trahon offered a resolution that the Board of Chosen Freeholders meet in the Herr's sale and in the judgment matter of Buckmaster and Hubbard.

Mr. Donahue moved to adjourn, which was in accordance with an old custom. There were several cases and Mr. Ward has proceeded to some length toward the consummation.

After a brief discussion the resolution was adopted.

A resolution fixing the regular meetings of the Board on the first Thursday in each month at 2 P.M. o'clock, was also adopted.

On motion of Mr. Donahue the next meeting of the Board was fixed for two weeks from to-day.

Committees were appointed as follows:

On appropriations—Messrs. Donahue, Sauer, Swain, Hubbard and Howard.

On bridges—Messrs. Trahon, Dickinson, Woodruff, Reid.

The meeting was then adjourned.

PERSONAL.

Mr. E. S. Rogers, formerly of this city but now of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting friends here.

Miss Madeline Clark of Somerville is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Reed of North Plainfield.

Mr. H. C. Whittemore of San Francisco, Cal., is visiting ex-Policeman Edward Dobbs of West Second street.

An afternoon tea is to be given by Mrs. J. J. Bigelow at her residence on Rockview avenue, North Plainfield, to-morrow afternoon.

President Netins, Secretary Bilker and other members of the Plainfield street railway are making some improvements to-day and inspected the progress of the work.

One of the most admired of the residences erected within the past few months on Rockview avenue, is the beautiful home of Mr. T. B. Brooks of Rockview avenue.

Mr. H. E. Turner and wife of Brooklyn have taken up their residence in North Plainfield, for the summer, locating on Belmont avenue, near Hamburg. Mr. Turner is a pitcher for the Long Branch baseball team. He is in the real estate business in New York.

Election of Officers.

At the annual meeting of the North Plainfield Edison Electric Light Company yesterday, Dr. D. E. Davis was elected president, Mr. Thomas H. Conley, secretary and treasurer.

It was duly resolved to add to the company's plant a 50-horse power boiler, and a 75-horse power dynamo for interior lighting, the present facilities being taxed by the demand to their utmost capacity.

A Board of Governors.

The Union County Country Club held its annual meeting Tuesday evening. The following Board of Governors were elected: Messrs. Rowland Cox, Charles J. Fish, H. M. Stockton, Flavy Fish, J. P. Haven, J. E. Dunscomb, Charles E. Benedict, J. C. Wheeler, Jr., C. Ludlow Beach, Gamble, H. F. Talmadge and W. T. Kneeland. The Board will organize at its next meeting.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

WILLIAM ASTOR'S FUNERAL.

Simple, Almost Severe, Ceremonies Over His Body.

New York, May 12th, (Special.)—The funeral of the late William Astor was held in the Trinity chapel on Twenty-Fifth street, near Broadway, this morning. They were brief and simple almost to severity.

NUGENT GETS SIX MONTHS.

Lord Greville's Brother Pleads Guilty to the Assault.

London, May 12.—(Special.)—At the North London Sessions to-day, the Hon. Patrick Greville Nugent, brother of Lord Greville and Deputy Lieutenant of the County of Westmeath, Ireland, plead guilty to a common assault on Miss Marian Fyfee, the charge of felonious assault not being pressed. This plea was accepted by the court, and Nugent was sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labor.

$200,000 BLAZE AT TRENTON.

Maddox and Sons' Pottery Burned the Second Time Within a Year.

Trenton, N. J., May 12.—(Special.)—Maddox & Sons' pottery was burned this morning. The loss is said to amount to nearly $200,000. Several hundred hands are thrown out of employment. This is the second large conflagration at the pottery within a year.

Seven Persons Suffocated During a Fire in Rhenish Prussia.

Berlin, May 12th, (Special.)—A fire broke out last night in a dwelling-house at Crefeld, a town in Rhenish Prussia.

The staircases were burned away and the occupants fell before they could reach the windows. They were suffocated and afterwards horribly burned.

When the fire was extinguished the bodies were almost unrecognizable.

Mrs. E. Burd Grubb Honored.

Madrid, May 12th. (Special.)—Queen Regent Christina has conferred upon Mrs. Burd Grubb, wife of the United States Minister, the insignia of the order of Maria Louisa for noble ladies.

WILL COVER THREE ACRES OF GROUND.

An Immense Tin Plate Factory to be Erected near Here.

Ground was broken at Elizabethport yesterday for the tin-plate factory of E. Ellwood Smith & Co. The factory will cover three acres of ground, fronting on Staten Island Sound and Newark Bay, and has a capacity of turning out 5,000 boxes per week. A large number of men has been put on the work of clearing away and getting ready for the foundation. The plant will be in operation, so George B. Morgan, the Associated Press representative of the firm says, three months hence.

Freeholders' Meeting.

At the regular meeting of the old Board of Somerset county Freeholders yesterday bills aggregating $2,984.61 were ordered paid. The appropriation for the year was $70,000, and the expenditures $67,668.09, of which sum about $20,000 was for bridges.

The Board agreed that Jacob Nevius and Mrs. Chas. B. Honeyman be allowed to connect drain upon the payment of $60 each.

The new board met at 11 o'clock yesterday and organized. Jacob M. Vosseller was elected Director and Arthur P. Stephens, Clerk, after which they adjourned.

The Weather.

Generally clear, with slightly lower, followed by higher temperature.

IF you want to use every faculty so as to bring out the best that is in it you should

Have some H-O for breakfast.

DEATHS.

LARKIN—Died at Dunellen May 12, '92, Lena Maud Larkin, youngest child of William and Lena Larkin.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at the residence of her parents, Saturday afternoon, May 14th at three o'clock.

PHILIP BLOCK,
NEW AND SECOND HAND Clothing
Bought and sold. 51 West Front street.

Cleaning and repairing neatly done at shortest notice and lowest prices. 9 6

Having Disposed of the Produce Business

to Mr. L. A. Hummer, all persons owing the

Plainfield Produce Co.

are requested to make prompt settlement.

The office is, as heretofore, at No 29 North avenue.

We still continue the hose business and have constantly on hand fine rubber, family or business hoses, at reasonable prices.

A. D. THOMPSON, Proprietor.
H. E. RIDER, Manager.

AUCTION SALE AT CAREY'S,
CORNER FRONT AND GROVE STREETS,
Friday, May 13th, at 2 p. m. Sharp,
A very large sale of
New and Second-Hand Furniture,
Consisting of Parlor Suites, Flush Bedroom Suites in oak, very fine, Buffet, Chairs, Stands, Tables, Couches, Rugs, Carpets, etc. Terms Cash.
T. J. CAREY, - - Auctioneer.

GO TO HULETT'S,
74 WEST FRONT STREET,
THE LEADING MUSIC HOUSE.
PIANOS FOR RENT.
SOLD FOR CASH
Or on Easy Monthly Payments.

ZIMMERMANN and RUMPF,
SUCCESSORS TO PIERSON HARDWARE CO.
42 WEST FRONT STREET
are laying in an extra fine stock of
Machinist's and Mechanics' Tools.
And also a special line of Builders' Hardware.
AGENTS for the Rockers Mower, Welcome Globe Stove, Hartman's Steel Wire Fence and Masury Paints.
Open Every Evening until 8 o'Clock.

Cent-a-Word Column.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Two apprentices to learn dressmaking, at 151 West Front street. 13 5

WANTED—A matron for the day nursery, either a widow or domestic who can "do it." 26 East Ninth street, evening references. 12 3

WANTED—General agent for this city to open an office and assume control of our business. Goods in universal demand and pay a net profit of 50 to 100 per cent. The Union Company, Broadway and Astor place, New York. 12 5

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A black leather pocketbook, containing money and receipt. Finder will be rewarded by returning it to 174 Second street. 11 6

BOARDERS WANTED.

AT 19 Craig place, furnished rooms with board. Table boarders accommodated. 5 5 1m

FOR SALE.

A MILK route for sale, cheap; also a young horse. H. Boyd, post office. 12 6

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased at Edgewood Park, Somerville, N. J., or apply to E. C. Mulford, real estate broker, 236 and 238 Main street, Somerville. 3 12tf

FRESH Alderney cow with calf will be sold cheap for want of use. Apply to Mr. Turner, Belmont avenue, Hamburg, or care of Evening News. 12 6

FOR SALE — Green sod. Cheaper than ground sod. John Berry, 245. 4 4 6

TAKE NOTICE—I will express the property of one Richard Roe, on Saturday next, June 3, 1892. T. J. Carey. 12 12

MISCELLANEOUS.

FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRY work done at 107 Front street. One trial will convince. Mrs. A. F. Wilcox, colored. 26 1y 12 4

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order, bought and sold. Call Furniture store, 11 Somerset street. 2 5tf

TREES, shrubs, vines and greenhouse plants, at Parker's Hillside avenue nursery. 12 6

WANTED—Furnished house from June 15 to October 1, five bedrooms, all modern conveniences, with or part stable, in North Plainfield preferred. Address, with terms and situation, Mr. T. B. Brooks, Rockview avenue, North Plainfield. 12 3

WANTED—For the next thirty days water closets to clean at three dollars each. Borough only. John Berry, Box 245. 4 6 tf

IF YOU WANT
FINE ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER
Cheese, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at
324 NORTH AVENUE.
Also on hand canned goods, pickles, etc.
THOS. CAREY. 12 1m

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MUSIC HALL!
Friday, May 13th,
Return of the banner attraction.
Elaborate Production of the
Great Success
Latest and Greatest Production,
HANDS ACROSS THE SEA!
With all the original company, scenery and realistic effects. Two car loads of the most elaborate scenic appointments ever presented in this city. Stirring dramatic situations, thrilling episodes, exciting climaxes and the bright, humorous scenes that run through the whole play like a streak of sunshine. Not a suggestion of vulgarity or low life in the entire play. A production complete in every detail, presented by a grand cast.

STRAW : HATS!
We have received a good assortment for Men and Boys.
Hallock & Davis,
5 West Front Street.
Don't Forget we keep
MEN'S FURNISHINGS.
Also
Trunks and Bags

$50 REWARD!
The Mayor and Common Council of the Borough of North Plainfield offer the above sum for the
Arrest and Conviction
of the person or persons who effected an entrance into the residence of Augustus Van Dorsten and J. H. Alexander, situated in the borough of North Plainfield, on the night of May 9, 1892, and removed therefrom articles of value, consisting of clothing, silverware, etc.
W. L. HAZLEHURST, Mayor.
Attest: H. E. BROKAW, Clerk. 7 1w*

EDITORIAL NOTES

When you see all varieties of weather signals in a woman's face at once, go slow.

During a late storm of thunder and lightning seven dynamos and 500 telephones were burned out in Pittsburg.

For a man to be good looking and "well groomed" goes much further in his favor than most of the masculine race think for, not only with women, but also among men themselves.

The Union Pacific railroad, which has been handed by vote over to the Gould management, includes, with its branches, 8,000 miles of road. It also has $17,500 debt to every mile of road. Its earnings are $40,000,000 a year. It has more than twice as much debt as capital.

Great Britian's G. O. M. is declared to be the youngest man in the kingdom. With the weight of his eighty two years on his head he can endure more work and fatigue than any of his comrades of fifty. But when the ladies of the Liberal league get done disciplining the G. O. M. for that letter of his against woman suffrage, he will feel about 200 years old.

It looked peculiar to the outside eye, that determined and successful effort of the lay delegates in the Methodist general conference to get themselves seated apart from the ministerial delegates at Omaha. Was it because of an impression that the ministers would try to boss them, or did they feel like a schoolboy—a little sheepish and not quite at ease when the preacher was around?

The Association of Collegiate Alumnæ among other good works has raised funds for the establishment of two scholarships a year to members of the association. One is for a year's study in Europe, the other for a year's study in this country. Thus a member of this association is supplied with money enough to study in Europe or at home a year, just as she elects, in a postgraduate course. At the end of the year he grows down and out and another one of the sisterhood takes her place.

Righting Public Wrongs.

There is one sure way to redress a public wrong, if the people who are injured take enough interest in the matter to fight the evil. In this age of the world they can destroy it every time. They have only to arouse public opinion solidly against it. Let them agitate petition, write, call mass meetings and speak out powerfully from truth and honest conviction, and in time the evil must fall, though it tower mountain high. There should be no let up till the monster fabric falls. This may some times take a long time, but the fabric must go.

The trouble with those who suffer from injustice is that they only sit down and whine, instead of arising and fighting by the peaceable weapons of eloquence and argument. It is so much easier to sit down and whine. It is so much easier to lay all blame upon the bloated monopolists and oppressors. It is easier even to blow the monopolists heads off with dynamite, only that he who resorts to this method runs the risk of getting his own head blown off. Besides, dynamite is not a convincing argument, but logic, justice and good will are, and they win at last every time. In our day an aroused public opinion is a force against which no power on earth can stand. It will melt down any monopoly; it will dissolve away any iniquity. Arouse it and see.

But most of us are too lazy and regardless of the common good to try it.

Room for All.

One is rather surprised to have Mr Edward Atkinson say in The Forum that there is nothing he despises so much as bare statistics. Then, as if to clinch the announcement, he immediately proceeds to quote from Sir Edwin Arnold's poem, "The Light of the World," some lines about "Love, which is sunlight of peace, age by age to increase," etc.

This increasing love and good will to one's fellow man is what Mr. Atkinson hopes will be the constant tendency in this his beloved country as time goes on. Then he tells us that here in America we have room for all the immigrants that can come to us. No one can "foresee any lack of land within any computable period of time, for the reason that no one yet knows the productive capacity of an acre of land anywhere." He calls to our attention the millions of acres of unoccupied land in Texas, in the south and on the "abandoned farms" of the east. They only want the touch of an enlightened agriculture to make them burst with fatness.

As for immigrants, in spite of all the millions that have come to us in the past ten years, wages for labor has steadily increased. And finally as to the slowness with which the foreigners learn the English and go in for education, the writer sends the following home thrust, which for neatness is hard to excel:

> I have yet to hear of any great crowd of foreigners in any congested section of our country who have been as slow in recent years in their development of schools and English speech as the rich farmers occupying the rich soil part of Pennsylvania from a very early date.

Come again, Mr. Atkinson.

TO TALK ABOUT SILVER.

The Big International Conference Scheme Booming.

ENGLAND WILL BE REPRESENTED

Lord Salisbury Says That His Government Has Accepted the Invitation Issued by President Harrison—A Bimetallic Ratio to Be Considered.

LONDON, May 12.—England has accepted the invitation of the United States to a bimetallic conference. The Marquis of Salisbury, the chancellor of the exchequer and the first lord of the treasury received a deputation representing the various chambers of commerce and agriculture, the labor organizations, the leading manufacturing industries and the representatives of the financial and commercial interests of the city of London.

One object of the deputation was to urge on the government the necessity of promoting an international agreement among the chief commercial nations to open their mints to the unrestricted coinage of gold and silver at a common ratio.

Salisbury Says England Accepts.

The deputation laid emphasis on the losses and embarrassments to trade caused by the violent fluctuations and the great uncertainty in the exchange with the silver using countries.

The chancellor of the exchequer, Mr. Goschen, requested Lord Salisbury to reply in behalf of the government. Lord Salisbury said that the government had received on Monday the invitation from America to a conference, and had decided to accept.

It seemed the form of the invitation that America decided to make it easy for as many nations as possible to assemble and discuss the question. The government, in accepting the invitation, had been guided to a great extent by the deep interest taken in the silver question by such large industries as the deputations represented, and at the same time had not thought fit to exclude from consideration the views and wishes of India.

The News at Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The dispatch from London stating that Great Britain had accepted the invitation of the United States to a bimetallic conference, is substantially, though not absolutely accurate. Mr. Leach, director of the United States mint bureau, in whose office the invitations were prepared, said that as far as he was advised, Great Britain had not formally accepted the invitation of the United States to the bimetallic conference, but there was no doubt that she would so; in fact before invitations were sent out assurances had been received that Great Britain would accept, and the probability was that the letter of acceptance was now on the way across the ocean.

Mr. Leach added that the United States government felt assured that all the principal nations to whom invitations had been extended would accept, the acceptance in most instances being merely a matter of form.

The exact language of the invitation to the bimetallic conference cannot be had, the president having declined to transmit it to congress for the reason that it would be "incompatible with the public interest," but it is known that the invitation is very guarded in its terms and does not commit to its results or conclusions the countries that participate in it. Indeed, it is understood that its sole purpose is to obtain from the nations of the world, through a joint discussion, their opinions as to how an enlarged use of silver can be had without disturbing the monetary systems of the several nations.

Powderly Attacks Carnegie.

PITTSBURG, May 12.—The mass meeting at Schenley park addressed by Grand Master Workman Powderly, Alderman Wright and other speakers. Both Messrs. Powderly and Wright attacked Andrew Carnegie's utterances from the pulpit to which Mr. Carnegie said the workingmen were in better condition now than ever before. Mr. Wright said there were 30,000 operatives in the New England factories not able to read and were not in a better condition than there forefathers, notwithstanding Mr. Carnegie's free libraries.

Seal Pirates Change Flags.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—"Eli Perkins" writes from Vancouver that since Mr. Blaine and Lord Salisbury have arranged that neither American or English sailors should go to the Behring sea, many vessels at Victoria have changed their flags to the Spanish, Italian, Portuguese and German flags.

Crawford's Sentence Shortened.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The president has commuted the sentence of W. H. Crawford, of Connecticut, sentenced May 28, 1890, to two and one-half years' imprisonment for violation of the postal laws to two years actual imprisonment.

The Gunboat Castine Launched.

BATH, Me., May 12.—The United States gunboat Castine, sister ship of the gunboat Machias, was successfully launched from the Bath Iron Works' yard. The Castine and the Machias will be ready for armament on Dec. 1.

New Jersey Oystermen Captured.

TOTTENVILLE, S. I., May 12.—A party of New Jersey oystermen, partly from Elizabeth, were captured by officers as they were dredging oyster beds in Prince's bay. They were locked up.

Jockey Post Dying.

HOBOKEN, N. J., May 12.—Jockey Charlie Post, who took his leg broken at Gutenberg when Mr. John fell on Monday, is dying in St. Mary's hospital. He was also injured internally.

Worships Ordered to Sail.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Secretary Tracy has sent an order to Commander Iverson, at Port Townsend, Wash., to sail at once with the Yorktown, Monican, Adams and Bush for Behring sea.

The Nihilists Killed Him.

ST. PETERSBURG, May. 12.—General Gresser, the prefect of police of this city, who is supposed to have been poisoned in a mysterious manner by nihilists, is dead.

Hail as Large as Walnuts.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Washington was visited by a rain and hailstorm which did considerable damage. The hailstones were as large as walnuts.

Sixty Were Drowned.

VIENNA, May 12.—A great lumber raft, carrying 100 men, women and children went to pieces near Brody, in Galicia. Sixty were drowned.

AZRA IS THE WINNER.

Kentucky's Famous Old Turf Event Run at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 12.—The cold, cloudy weather kept the attendance at the Kentucky Derby somewhat under the usual Derby day crowd. The track was in fair condition. Lots and Azra and Huron scratched, leaving but three starters for the Derby, and the race was generally conceded to the Corrigan entry, as Azra was not thought to be in condition. Phil Dwyer went out from the start as pacemaker and maintained the lead by three to five lengths for half the distance. Here Huron and Azra closed up, and the three were well bunched at the end of the first mile. Coming into the stretch Phil Dwyer was done for, and Huron took the lead by a length from Azra. Azra straightened out for the run in Huron and Azra were lapped, and it was a hammer and tongs race for the last quarter.

At the eighth pole they were head and head and both driving, and from this out until the wire was reached it looked as if a dead heat would be the result. Azra got his nose in front at the wire, however, and won by a short head. The victory was a very popular one, as this is the first time in the history of the Derby that a Louisville horse has won the race. Following is a summary of the race:

The Kentucky Derby, one mile and a half: Azra, first; Huron, first; Phil Dwyer, third. Time, 2:41¼.

Magee Will Swim Sundstrom.

BALTIMORE, May 12.—Robert P. Magee, the Baltimore swimmer, has deposited a $100 forfeit with The Herald, offering to swim Gus Sundstrom, of New York, a five mile race for the championship of America. The match is to be for $500 or $1,000 a side, and is to take place in Philadelphia or Baltimore.

FASHIONS

NOVELTIES IN DRESS.

Gowns with Long Skirts—Round Corsages—Blouse Waists.

Two important points appear to have been decided; one is that the clinging sheath skirt will remain in style at least during the summer season, and that the long skirt is the fashionable skirt. The tendency is toward round corsages, an exceedingly graceful innovation of which is given in the annexed cut.

The gown illustrated is of small brown tweed, with a full vest of silk toning from gold to pale grey. The buttons are dull gold. The cuffs and collar are half silk.

GOWN WITH ROUND CORSAGE.

half embroidery. Blouse corsages of all kinds, including the vest, the Russian blouse, will be worn extensively. As the season advances, laces—black, cream and white—will be much employed in the making of these blouses. Pretty tunics for summer fete dresses are of shot canvas in delicate tints trimmed with rows of lace.

One of the novelties for the skirts of ball gowns is flouncing of gold gossamer gauze appliqued and edged with lace. It has a beautiful sheen, and is as thin and silky as possible. Dream draperies for the backs of evening dresses are made of moire silk, beautifully hand embroidered, and of net with flower designs wrought with satin and chenille threads.

Some of the dress skirts are slightly draped at the front and sides; the majority are finished in a bias train, though a rounded taller train is also worn.

Dishler and Minchon Gone, Too.

NEW YORK, May 12.—It is settled fact that "Dave" Dishler and "Doc" Minchon, under indictment for assisting in the escape of O'Brien, the bunco man, have been allowed to slip through the fingers of the police.

Leather in a Bad Way.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 12.—The leather trade in this vicinity is in a bad way owing to overproduction. The Lehigh Tanneries in Wyoming county will shut down May 18, throwing 300 men out of employment.

Brennan's Close Call.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Street Cleaning Commissioner Thomas S. Brennan was run down and narrowly escaped being killed by a Central railroad train at the Thirty-fifth street crossing on Eleventh avenue.

Dean Hill Is Dead.

FARIBAULT, Minn., May 12.—Rev. E. C. Hill, D. D., dean of the southern convocation of the Episcopal diocese of Minnesota and professor of liturgies in Seabury Divinity school, died here.

The President Leaves Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The president, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Dimmick and W. Parker left Washington for Virginia Beach. Mrs. Harrison is now strong enough to stand the journey.

The Dock Came Ashore.

ATLANTIC CITY, May 12.—The dock of the wrecked steamer Florida, 150 feet long, was washed ashore at Atlantic City. It destroyed half a block of the ocean boulevard.

Peace Reigns at Camp Waumbaugh.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 12.—The Italian rioters at Camp Waumbaugh were paid off, and all is now tranquil. The report that two men were shot is unfounded.

THE BOIES BOOM IN IOWA.

Her Delegates Pledged to the Governor's Candidacy.

SENATOR BRICE IN THE FIELD NOW.

The Ohioan Wants to Run for President. Ex-Governor Campbell Will Not Refuse the Nomination if Cleveland Steps Out. Governor Hoadley for Vice President.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., May 12.—The Democratic state convention has declared unequivocally for Governor Horace Boies as the Democratic candidate for president, and instructed the twenty-six delegates to Chicago to do all in their power to secure his nomination. So jealous was the gathering of its favorite son's interests that it refused to mention Grover Cleveland in its platform. This was to avoid any possibility of the Iowa Democrats seeming to have another choice but Boies.

Hoadley for Vice President.

NORWICH, Conn., May 12.—Congressman Charles A. Russell desires the nomination of Governor Morgan J. Bulkeley for vice president of the United States. Mr. Russell says: "The state is now in the doubtful column; it would be surely in the Republican column with Harrison and Bulkeley or with Bulkeley on the ticket with a western man."

Brice in the Race Now.

LIMA, O., May 12.—The Democrats of the Fourth Ohio congressional district favor Senator Brice for president. Mr. Brice is a candidate, and his name will go before the Chicago convention if the conditions are favorable.

Campbell a Candidate.

COLUMBUS, O., May 12.—Ex-Governor Campbell will go to New York Saturday and confer with his friends there. Mr. Campbell will be a candidate if Mr. Cleveland withdraws.

Beattie Thinks Blaine Would Run.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Representative Beattie, of Maine, who is a warm friend of Mr. Blaine, thinks the secretary would accept the nomination if it were tendered him.

Cleveland Selected.

CONCORD, N. H., May 12.—The Democratic state convention indorsed the proposed renomination of Grover Cleveland.

CAPTAIN SCHOOLEY'S SUICIDE.

He Was Ex-Superintendent of the Quaker City's Police Force.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Police Captain Joseph M. Schooley, of the Philadelphia police force, committed suicide about 10:30 a. m. in the police hall by shooting himself through the right temple. He died almost instantly. Under the plea that he was going to write a letter, he entered his office, locked the door and took off his captain's cap and coat. Standing in front of a mirror he fired the shot.

Schooley was sixty-two years old and was born in this city. He was appointed lieutenant of police in 1872 and captain of police in 1873, resigning in 1876. He was again appointed a captain in 1887, and held that office until his death. In November, 1891, he was appointed acting superintendent of police of Philadelphia, and served as such until Jan. 1, 1892, when Superintendent Linden took charge. The cause of Schooley's suicide was temporary insanity, due to ill health. He made his confession in lengthening the Philadelphia labor riots a few years ago. He was outspoken, bluff and fearless.

Reading Controls Another Road.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—A contract has been executed between the Reading, the New York Central and the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railroads, by which the Reading company will control the Beech Creek railway for a general interchange of traffic. Under this arrangement the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg road underlies by one-half interest the Beech Creek line from Dubois to Clearfield, where a connection is made with the Beech Creek. By this extension the Reading controls a large coal tonnage and has a direct access to petroleum, timber and other freights.

Student Sheldon Is Missing.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 12.—Francis Sheldon, twenty-four years old, a student at Eastman's Business college, has disappeared. It is feared that he has been in love with a Miss Nelson, of Poughkeepsie, whose father would not permit his visits, and that he had made up his mind to commit suicide.

Every Miner Was Killed.

ROSLYN, Wash., May 12.—The exact cause of the terrible explosion in the coal mine in which thirty-four men perished will probably never be known, as every man in the mine was killed. The most reasonable theory is that a miner struck a gas pocket.

Admiral Gherardi in a Wreck.

RAVANNAH, May 12.—The train carrying Admiral Gherardi and party and over 1,000 excursionists to Tybee collided with another train. The engines were damaged and one man killed from the train and dislocated a shoulder.

No Evidence Against Them.

NYACK, N. Y., May 12.—James O'Brien, Peter McCane and Thomas McCane, who were arrested on suspicion of being the murderers of Policeman Riordan, near Stony Point, were discharged, there being no evidence against them.

Want the Fair Open Sundays.

CHICAGO, May 12.—The International Association of Machinists in convention here passed a resolution asking, on behalf of the 45,000 members of the association, that the World's fair be opened on Sundays.

Maclean Succeeds Mackenzie.

TORONTO, May 12.—William F. Maclean, editor of the Toronto World, has been elected member of parliament for East York to succeed the late Alexander Mackenzie, leader of the Liberal party.

New Empire State Railroad.

ALBANY, May 12.—The Lowetown and Youngstown Railway company has been incorporated. The road, which is seven miles long, is to run from Lewistown, Niagara county, to Youngstown.

Powell for Superintendent.

BUFFALO, May 12.—T. H. Powell, of Apollo, has been appointed to succeed Edgar Van Etten as superintendent of the Buffalo division of the Reading railroad.

Arrested for a Serious Offense.

WINDSOR, Conn., May 12.—Lawrence Rogers was arrested at Norfolk by United States Marshal Moore, charged with sending obscene letters through the mails.

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FREE COINAGE COMES UP AGAIN.

Mr. Bland Valiently Returns to the Charge and Suffers Defeat as Before.
Ex-Minister Reid's French Extradition Treaty Rejected by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The house devoted all of the session to a further consideration of the sundry civil bill. The general debate was closed and nearly the whole session occupied by a discussion of the motion of Mr. Holman, chairman of the committee on appropriations, to strike out the paragraph appropriating $500,000 for the purchase of a site for the proposed new mint at Philadelphia. This was finally agreed to—Yeas, 95; nays, 92.

During the debate Mr. Bland said that so long as the present financial policy of the government was continued the voting of money for the Philadelphia mint served no useful purpose, and he hoped that if the provision remained in the bill the committee would insist that the mint be required to serve the purpose for which it was intended and that the coinage of silver be compelled.

Mr. Sayres, of Texas, warned the majority of the necessity of reducing the appropriations, and called attention to the fact that while Mr. Randall represented the Philadelphia district in the house there was no suggestion for a new building, but last year, taking advantage of the extravagance of a Republican congress, the project was presented and passed, but no appropriation was made.

McMillin Sounds a Warning.

Recurring to the motion to strike out the item, Mr. McMillin urged the members, irrespective of party affiliations and belief, to look earnestly at the subject of appropriations, in view of the fact that a deficiency stares the house in the face. "The estimates of the secretary of the treasury," said he, "show a surplus next year of $14,000,000 to meet the sinking fund and other expenses. The river and harbor bill alone appropriated over $20,000,000. I want to ask, gentlemen, upon what are you going to meet these expenditures? What new taxes are you going to impose to provide the revenue? If we are going to be a billion dollar congress, it would be just as well, in the estimation of the people, that we had not been a congress at all. For it is probable that we shall then be dealt with as the people dealt with the last congress."

Randall Was Not Against It.

Mr. O'Neill, of Pennsylvania, spoke against the motion to strike out. He said he knew Mr. Randall's views on the mint question and he (Randall) was not opposed to the building of a new one. Delay in the purchase of a site for a new building would only add to the cost, when the purchase is made, inevitably it must be.

Mr. Holman presented a letter from a gentleman in Philadelphia, received since the bill was reported to the house, saying that a site for the mint equally as available as the one recommended could be purchased for one-third the amount named in the bill. Mr. Holman also said that the letter from the secretary of the treasury (quoted by several gentlemen) to the effect that the new mint was not absolutely necessary, was not before the committee when the item was agreed to.

Mr. Breckinridge, of Kentucky, warmly criticised the chairman of the committee (Mr. Holman) for bringing in testimony at the tail end of the debate, gathered since the committee had reported the bill, with the effect of making members who supported the item appear to have reached a conclusion without having had all the facts before them.

Mr. Tillman, of South Carolina, closing the debate desired, only to ask members not on the appropriations committee what was the necessity of building a mint where there is nothing to mint! He added: "If you'll pass a free coinage bill we'll give you a mint, but I'm opposed." The rest of the sentence was lost in the laughter that followed. On a vote the motion of Mr. Holman to strike out the Philadelphia mint item prevailed.

Mr. Bland caused much excitement and no little consternation when he offered as an amendment to the mint clause a proposition requiring all appropriations to be paid in money coined from the silver bullion now on deposit in the treasury. Mr. Lester, of Georgia, who was chairman of the committee of the whole, ruled the amendment out of order. Mr. Bland at first appealed from this decision, but then withdrew his appeal, saying that he would offer his amendment to another clause of the bill.

To Encourage Silk Culture.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Representative Long, of Texas, from the committee on agriculture, favorably reported to the house the bill appropriating $30,000 for the encouragement of silk culture in the United States, under supervision of the secretary of agriculture, the proceeds to be made at five agricultural colleges.

Reid's Extradition Treaty Rejected.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Whitelaw Reid's extradition treaty between France and the United States was rejected by the senate in executive session after severe criticism and defense. Several Republican senators, out of regard to Mr. Reid and to lessen the effect of the adverse action, voted for ratification after it was a certainty that the treaty would be beaten.

The Chinese Situation.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—There has been no material change in the situation between the United States and the Chinese government in regard to the Chinese exclusion act. No reply from Pekin has yet been received, nor can it be definitely stated at the legation when it will arrive. One of the peculiarities in connection with the Columbian exposition will be a congress of the world's religions, but the passage of the exclusion act by congress will back the presence of any of the followers of Confucius, the great Chinese teacher.

Wanamaker Wants to Be Investigated.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Postmaster General Wanamaker has written a letter to the chairman of the house committee on post offices urging a speedy investigation of the charges against him relative to the pneumatic tube service in Philadelphia.

Cashier Griswold Gone.

COLUMBUS, O., May 12.—George H. Griswold, cashier of the Fourth National bank of Columbus, has stolen $2,000 and has disappeared.

Killed at Jersey City.

JERSEY CITY, Nov. 12.—Louis Muller, of this city, was instantly killed by a Summit avenue car last evening.

Rational Condolences.

"Polks well, Johnny?" inquired the young man who was waiting in the parlor for Johnny's sister to come down.

"Not very," replied the little boy. "Maw's got the rheumatism. It's in her right foot. I wish," he wailed, with vivid recollections of a spirited interview half an hour before with his mother and a slipper —"I wish she'd had a touch of it in her right arm."

"Is your father ever troubled with rheumatism, Johnny?"

"Yes; he's got it in his shoulder blades and one of his arms."

"Ever since one night last January," sighed the young man pleasingly, "I have known that he is never bothered with is in his right leg."

And while the night winds moaned drearily outside and the cat asleep on the hearth rug snored uneasily in its slumbers the two victims of misplaced affection sat in the little parlor and condoled with each other.—Chicago Tribune.

He Meant Well.

The Count—She ees very destant to me now. I nevair go to zat house, all because of I make a very small meestake. I would say her daughter was a turtle dove and I ges so wrong word and call her a squab.—Life.

TO INDICT COAL MAGNATES.

Coal Combine Representatives Before a Federal Grand Jury.

CHICAGO, May 12.—The government may puncture the Philadelphia and Reading road coal combine today, for some alleged coal monopolists or their representatives faced the federal grand jury, and before the week is out not a few of the half dozen millionaires who control the anthracite coal output may be under indictment. Subpœnas for ten big anthracite dealers were served upon the following gentlemen: J. W. Sloan, president manager of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company; Walter S. Bogle, agent of the Lehigh Valley Coal company and other companies; H. S. Van Inges, local manager Pennsylvania Coal company; George Merriwether, western agent for Coxe Brothers & Co., 621 Bookery building; Ambrose R. Lee, western manager; William L. Scott & Co., A. W. Maltby, former agent of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal company; William P. Reed, G. W. Mecker, W. H. Mather, Secretary Rhoden and E. L. Hedstrum.

District Attorney Milchrist has been contemplating this move for some time. He was strong on talking guardedly about the investigation. "I can say little about what we intend to do," he said, "because we do not care to show our hand, as then the other fellows might take advantage of us. I propose to bring these big coal dealers before the grand jury to see what they can tell us. This investigation may go further, and this is only a small batch of coal men who may be asked to give us information."

Royal Arch Masons' Election.

TRENTON, May 12.—The grand chapter of the Royal Arch Masons of New Jersey held their annual meeting here and elected the following officers: M. E. grand high priest, Edward Mills, of Camden; deputy grand high priest, Andrew J. Bale, of Newton; grand king, Theodore F. Randolph, of Bridgeton; grand scribe, Thomas Ayres, of Orange; grand treasurer, Fred. G. Wiese, of Rockenbown; grand secretary, George Elswanie, of Jersey City; grand captain of host, Joseph E. Fulper, of Washington; principal grand sojourner, F. M. Turner, of Roselley; royal arch captain, H. W. Wagner, of Somerville.

A Remarkable Conscience Contribution.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Postmaster General Wanamaker has received a conscience contribution of $1,500 in an envelope postmarked New York. The unknown writer said the money was the balance of interest he owed the government on money which he stole in 1865. He has now paid principal and interest in all $17,500. The writer added that "no man has suffered more for his crime than I have."

Stopped the Horses and Will Get $10,000.

FITCHBURG, Mass., May 12.—Miss Hattie S. Frost, of New York, has applied to the Massachusetts supreme court for the address of Edward P. Starkey, to whom her father's will leaves $5,000 and the reversion of $4,000 more as an expression of gratitude to the legatee for stopping a span of horses that all, thereby saving the lives of Mr. Frost's wife and babe.

No Pardon for Harvey.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The president has denied a pardon to Oscar J. Harvey, of Pennsylvania, sentenced July 30, 1887, to nine years' imprisonment for forgery in connection with claims in the "horse claims" division, treasury department.

Burglars Make a Haul.

KINGSTON, N. Y., May 12.—Burglars entered the residence of ex-Sheriff John A. Kerr, in this city, securing four watches, a diamond breastpin, a quantity of silver and about $300 in cash.

Mission Workers Meet.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—The Women's General Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian church is in session here with the president, Mrs. T. T. McCreery, of Pittsburg, in the chair.

Sympathy Caused the Strike.

KEENE, N. Y., May 12.—Seventy-five paving cutters at Welch's granite quarry, Marlboro, N. H., have struck from sympathy with the strikers at Quincy and other places.

A Letter Carrier Falls Dead.

NEW YORK, May 12.—As Frederick C. Klenzle, a letter carrier, was leaving the postoffice to deliver letters on his route, he fell dead just as he reached Mail street.

McCall Re-elected President.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Hon. A. McCall was unanimously re-elected president of the New York Life Insurance company at a meeting of the trustees.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Mayor Hugh J. Grant, of New York, has arrived in the City of Mexico.

Dowagr has slept at Alhambra since Jay Gould received control of the Texas Pacific railroad.

William Howard Noll, the Chelsea(Mass.) millionaire, has failed. Liabilities, $150,000. He had an enormous amount of unproductive real estate.

Fred Hoefer, a boy, tried to wreck Lake Shore passenger train No. 36, near Dunkirk, in revenge for being put off a train. He was arrested.

Followers of an alleged Christ in the village of Tomachic, Chihuahua, Mexico, have killed many Mexican soldiers sent to arrest him. A large force of cavalry and infantry has been sent to wipe out the fanatics.

New York's board of World's fair managers, headed by ex-Senator Donald McNaughton, has reached Chicago, and will begin the inspection of the World's fair site.

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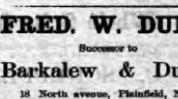

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Arrive at New York at 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m., 12.30 night.

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Leave Plainfield at 3.20, 6.20, 7.05, 7.50, 8.50, 9.50, 10.50 a. m., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, 5.05, 6.05, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 p. m., 12.05 night.
Arrive at Newark at 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m., 12.30 night.

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Leave Plainfield at 6.20, 7.50, 8.50, 9.50, 10.50 a. m., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, 5.05, 6.05, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 p. m., 12.05 night.
Arrive at Somerville at 6.45, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35, 5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.35 p. m., 12.35 night.

PLAINFIELD AND RARITAN.
Leave Plainfield at 6.20, 7.50, 8.50, 9.50, 10.50 a. m., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, 5.05, 6.05, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 p. m., 12.05 night.
Arrive at Raritan at 6.45, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35, 5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.35 p. m., 12.35 night.

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Leave Plainfield at 7.05, a. m., 1.05, 5.05 p. m.
WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
6.15 a. m. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Phillipsburg, Mount Clinton, Manunka Chunk, Delaware Water Gap, Stroudsburg, Scranton and Wilkesbarre.
8.17 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Portland.
9.45 a. m. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Phillipsburg, Mount Clinton, Manunka Chunk, Delaware Water Gap, Stroudsburg, Scranton, Pittston, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Towanda, Sunbury and Williamsport.
1.10 p. m. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Phillipsburg, Mount Clinton, Manunka Chunk, Delaware Water Gap, Stroudsburg, Scranton, Pittston, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Towanda, Sunbury and Williamsport.
5.30 p. m. for Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Phillipsburg, Mount Clinton, Manunka Chunk, Delaware Water Gap, Stroudsburg, Scranton, Pittston, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Towanda, Sunbury and Williamsport.
6.20 p. m. for Flemington.
7.50 p. m. for Easton, Belvidere, Mount Clinton, Manunka Chunk, Delaware Water Gap, Stroudsburg, Scranton, Wilkesbarre and Pittston.
9.15 p. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
9.50 p. m. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mount Clinton, Manunka Chunk, Delaware Water Gap, Stroudsburg, Scranton, Wilkesbarre and Pittston.
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For Atlantic City at 9.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.00 p. m. Sundays at 9.15 a. m., 12.05 p. m.
For Washington

INCIDENTS IN THE GIRLHOOD OF JULIA WARD HOWE.

Once upon a time, in a great house standing at the corner of Bond street and Broadway, New York city, there lived a little girl. She was named Julia, after her lovely young mother, but as she grew she showed no resemblance to that mother with her great dark eyes and wealth of black ringlets. This little girl had red hair, and that was a very dreadful thing in those days. Very fine, soft hair it was, black and wavy, but—it was red. Visitors coming to see her mother would shake their heads and say, "Poor little Julia! what a pity she has red hair!" and she tender mother would sigh and regret that her child should have this misfortune, when there was no red hair in the family far or near. And the beautiful hair was combed with a leaden comb, as an old way dreadful thing it dark, and it was soaked in vinegar water, as another old lady said that was really the best thing you could do with it; and the little Julia felt that she might almost as well be a hunchback or a cripple as this unfortunate creature, a red haired child.

When she was six years old her beautiful mother died, and after that Julia and her brother and sister lived a lonelight up by their good aunt, who came to make her home with them and their father. A very good aunt she was, and devoted to the motherless children, but sometimes she did funny things. They went out to drive every day—the children, I mean—in a great yellow chariot lined with fine blue cloth. And it carried with it under its blind arms that it would have a charming effect if the children were dressed to match the chariot. So one night, as Aunt Dressmakers and milliners plied their art, and one day Broadway was electrified by the sight of the little Misses Ward, seated in imposing state on the blue cushions, clad in wonderful raiment of yellow and blue. They had blue pelisses and yellow satin bonnets, and this was all very well for the two younger ones, with their dark eyes and hair, and their rosy cheeks, but Julia, young as she was, felt dimly that blue and yellow was not the combination to set off her lawny locks and exquisite sashell complexion.

It is not probable, however, that she sorrowed deeply over the funny problem in her mind. She never set on clothes, either in childhood or in later life. Did not her sister most her one day coming home from school with one of the size and one green? Her mind was full of beautiful thoughts, her eyes were lifted to the green trees and the blue sky lending above them; what did she care about shoes? Yes, and later, is it not recorded that her sister had great difficulty in persuading her to choose the stuff for her wedding gown, so indifferent was she to all matters of dress!—Laura E. Richards in St. Nicholas.

A True Woman.

A Brooklyn woman of noble descent and much wealth, who might be pardoned for a little just pride in the fact of her Revolutionary ancestors, is still one of the most democratic and truly helpful to the deserving poor of Brooklyn's many noble dames.

At one time in her girlhood the home was closed for a season, owing to a death *in the family through some contagious disease.* After the return of the family it was very difficult to procure help. A domestic would be found, who would hear from some one in the neighborhood the circumstances, when she would get frightened and leave. Seeing the need of some one's lending a helping hand, this fair young girl arrayed herself one morning in a cotton gown, and happily singing to herself was sweeping the broad front pavement of her mother's home, when a neighbor, who had been quite attentive, passed her. She bowed as sweetly as ever, hastily noting the look of surprise, as indeed was she on her work.

That evening he called and remonstrated with her for such strange conduct, saying in stern words that he was doing great injury to the social status of his family. She looked at him only a moment and then said with great dignity: "I do not descend to the level of my work, but raise my work to my own level. I consider that I was just as much of a lady this morning when I bowed to you while sweeping as I am now receiving you in the parlor."

How much happier many women would be if they could feel this spirit. Mothers who imagine they are degraded if they are obliged to take care of their own children; women, who through stress of circumstances are forced to do their kitchen work, and many others who lament and fret over work which they do unwillingly rather than with delight in the fact of their usefulness. Such a woman would never say, as I heard one recently remark to an acquaintance: "I am going to call on that Mrs. Blossom, you know, the woman who was left a widow a year ago with no money and three children, and who is such a dreadful drudge. I am going to call just in charity, of course." Could a call made in such a way be anything but disastrous? —Brooklyn Eagle.

A Thoughtless Mother's Mistake.

The majority of parents show a complete ignorance and want of appreciation of the child's point of view. That this little being, entirely dependent upon and under the direction of its mother, is a human one, can have his own small dignity, pride and self respect is a condition rarely recognized by the parents.

The other evening a mother was commenting in the presence of the children upon the difference between her son of eleven and her daughter of nine years of age. "Pearl," she said, "is quiet, fond of reading and sedentary in his tastes and occupations, while Nell, here," a robust girl, glowing with health and action, "is up all the way through. Really, I think Harry should have been the girl and vice versa."

The mother glanced at her boy as she finished, and observed the look of pain on what a feeble connection Harry attempted to smile an answer to this pleasantry, but it made no lasting impression, and soon the children said good night.

The next morning, however, after breakfast, and while the family were distributing themselves to morning duties, Harry managed to get his mother alone. "Mamma," he began bravely, "you don't know how you made me feel last night on my before I fell asleep I should have cried, but" and long before he had finished he had dropped his head on her shoulder, with a tears of long pent feeling. "I lay awake a long time last night," he sobbed, "and big you hadn't done it."

The mother was overwhelmed. It was her first intimation of the distress her words had wrought. The boy was right. She did not "know," and it is to her credit that she made all the reparation possible, recognizing in the boy's pure sensitiveness the first opportunity in his and Mrs. L.'s presence, and taking the lesson to heart for future conduct.—Her Point of View in New York Times.

What the Woman's Exchange Has Done.

While the Woman's exchanges is open to many criticisms from a business point of view, it has accomplished much and has in it still greater possibilities. It has not a high standard for work and insisted that should be first class or not sold. Every consigner not only once or personally, but invariably. It has maintained this standard in the face of hostile criticism and the loss of many patrons who complained that to accept poor work if those presenting it are in need of money. It has shown that success in work cannot be attained by a simple desire for it or need of it personally.

It has taught this economy, scientific knowledge, systematic saving habits of observation, judgment, energy and perseverance are better staffs in reaching success than millions upon millions. methods and the principles of fashion and friends. It has raised the standard of decorative and artistic needlework by incorporating into its rules a refusal to accept cards, feather, rice, splatter, splasher and card-board work. It has taught many women that a moral courage for make is not a few rags, a little cash, a heap of batter, a pinch of salt, sweetening to taste, flour enough to thicken; give a good beating and bake according to judgment.

More than all this, it has pointed out to women a means of support that can be carried on within their own homes, and is perfectly compatible with other work necessarily performed there. It has in effect opened up a new occupation to women, in that it has taught them that their accomplishments may be a source of pecuniary value, and a talent for the more prosaic domestic duties turned into a fine art and made remunerative.—Lucy M. Salmon in Forum.

Cleaning Lace Curtains.

Lace curtains will not bear rubbing. All the work must be done carefully and gently. Buy two pairs of curtains half fill a large pail with warm water and add to it half a pound of soap, which has been shaved fine and dissolved in two quarts of boiling water; and also about a gill of household ammonia. Let the curtains soak in this over night. In the morning squeeze well in the water and squeeze it all out, but do not wring the curtains. Put them into another tub of water prepared with soap and ammonia as in the night before, and rinse gently in this water, and then, after squeezing out the water, put them in a tub of clean warm water. Continue to rinse them in fresh tubs of water until there is no trace of soap; next rinse them in water containing bluing.

After pressing out all the water possible, spread the curtains over the sheets on the grass; or, if you have no grass, put them on the clothesline. When they are dry clip them in the frame, stick and fasten them in the frame that comes for this purpose. If you have no frame fasten a sheet on a mattress and spread the curtains on this, pinning them in such a manner that they shall be perfectly smooth and have all the pattern of the border brought out. Place in the sun to dry. If it be desired to have the curtains a little whiter, rinse them in weak coffee, and if you want a dark shade use strong coffee.—Maria Parloa in Ladies' Home Journal.

Sewing Machines and Loud Voices.

"I am sorry to say that my married daughter has a voice like a peacock's cry," said an elderly gentleman, who was once an auctioneer and wants to pass the residue of his days in peace. "My wife, however, speaks with very gentle tones. Her ear is quick and low, and the first thing in a woman.' Both mother and daughter are intelligigable seamstresses, but, while my wife has a machine of the latest style, she still adheres to the slow, old fashioned needle. Women always like to talk as they sew, but an operator on a sewing machine is obliged to talk loud, or she can't succeed. She must hear above the noise of the instrument.

The habit of loud talking is quickly acquired, and a woman does not know she's behind her in the sewing room. She carries it with her wherever she goes. I suppose that for an industrious young American woman the sewing machine is a necessity, but I would advise her not to talk as she works, for if she does she will certainly acquire a loud, harsh voice."—New York Herald.

The Education of a Girl.

The girls who go to private schools are, as a rule, from families of at least moderate wealth. But in our fluctuating country this is no proof that they will go through life in such a position. Girls, therefore, should learn something at some time for their own support or the support of others. What that will be we cannot tell for the mass of invention is so great that if we should prepare the girl for any one industry she might find herself unable to make a living out of it when the need should come. She will probably be, we may say, a wife and mother. But if we assume this, we still do not know how to fit her for the duties of those positions in a definite way.

The best thing still is to make the most of a woman we can out of her, and then to let her find her own level, which she will be forced to answer for herself the demands to come to her in the misty future, which she will see and which she will judge, but which she should not make which no man can foretell.—Anna C. Brackett in Harper's.

Why Women Have Beautiful Hair.

Women have been ridiculed by men on account of the absurd little bonnets they wear, but the fashion which has made it stylish to wear the hair in a loose fluffy manner is entirely enlarged the criticism because they know the bonnets were becoming. But now it appears that the wealth of lovely hair which the coverings reveals has lived for many years in the closest seclusion in the heart of Paris. As soon as she saw the traces of fading charms in her face she pulled down the heavy window shutters in her dwelling and allowed no one to approach her. So long has she thus exiled herself from the world that many people believed her to be dead.—Paris Letter.

A Woman's Work of Love.

Allen M. Bacon, of New Haven, has for nearly ten years been a teacher at a colony in the Normal school for Indians and negroes at Hampton, besides caring for a little motherless negro girl, now grown, in the new Dixie hospital and training school for colored nurses which she has founded and doing editorial work on the Hampton school paper.

Why Women Make Good Teachers.

The teacher must always be in two places at once—her own mental places and that of her little pupil; this demands the greatest sensitiveness of nature on her part, and it is for this reason, perhaps, that a woman, other things being equal—and often where they are not perfectly equal—may be a far better teacher than a man.—Harper's.

To Reader Canned Goods Safe.

If you are the least bit nervous about canned goods soak them—peas, lobsters, anything—an hour in iced water before heating them. This will remove any tinny taste that may be added in them, and take away the last shade of reproach that may cling to that best friend of the busy housekeeper, the canned article.—New York Journal.

Acetic for a Child's Cold.

In a feverish cold accetic, mixed in the proportion of half a drop of the medicine to a teaspoonful of water, taken by the child every hour, is often marvelously efficacious, but this should not be administered, unless prescribed by the doctor, as it is said to be very dangerous to some constitutions.—New York World.

Many Uses of Soda.

There is nothing more useful about a kitchen than sal soda. It will, dissolved in a little water, remove grease from anything, and there is nothing like it for cleaning an iron sink. It is also the very best thing for cleaning bathrooms, which, by the way, should be cleaned more frequently than they are.—Exchange.

Human Vivisection.

Human vivisection is by no means rare in many an American home, where most of the time is spent in exploiting growing children for the amusement or interest of the parents or visitors.—Anna C. Brackett in Harper's.

Perhaps the least laborious occupation selected by a New York woman is that of card playing. She is skillful, and is in great demand at card parties. One wealthy old lady employs her two nights of every week.

An ingenious female has hit upon the idea of a "dress album," in which they cuttings of every gown belonging to its owner are to be chronologically arranged under the dates on which they were purchased.

One phase of the female cashier question that storekeepers do not consider much is that the women average greater honesty than the men. Who ever heard of an out and out defalcation by a female cashier?

Curious Weather Prophets.

In the city of Rome, N. J., there is a colored church under the administration of a colored woman preacher of good education and considerable power.

The great prima donna Mme. Patti has recently dyeing her hair entirely because it stood her, and also because she caught colds from the practice.

The carpentry of old age is sacred, for by it women take as much pains not to die plant others as in their youth they take to please them.

Use a small composition paper basin for the water for baby's face, as those basins are very light and can be easily handled.

When onions are being cooked, the strong, disagreeable odor may be lessened by placing vinegar on the stove.

This Date in History—May 12.

1811—Thomas Wentworth, Earl of Strafford, minister to Charles I, beheaded.

1796—Captain Francis Grose, famous English antiquary, born.

1797—George W. Childs, of the Philadelphia Ledger, born in Baltimore.

1812—Henry Cabot Lodge, author and statesman, born in Boston, Mass. WESTWORTH.

1813—Battle at Raymond and skirmish at Fourteen Mile Creek, Miss., in Grant's campaign against Vicksburg.

1864—Last and bloodiest day of the fighting around Spottsylvania Court House, Va., followed by great depression in the north. Grant's losses have been reported at 30,000; the official report of all the battles gives 18,399 killed, 13,416 wounded and 2,258 prisoners; total, 33,573. Confederate losses unknown.

1864—Charles O'Conor, the eminent New York lawyer, died at Nantucket, Mass.; born 1804.

1885—Right Rev. John Joseph Lynch, archbishop of diocese of Toronto, died; there born 1816.

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MOON'S PHASES.

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NELSON BUNTON, Executor. 41 9

March 30th, 1892.

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The Weather.

The weather promises to be warmer and clear.

BREVITIES

—"Hands Across the Sea" is the play to be presented at Music Hall to-night.

—The members of the Independent Gun Club of this city are to go on a May walk next Sunday.

—The members of Engine Company No. 2, are having one of the trees in front of their house painted white.

—Weather permitting there will be a game of base ball on the Crescent League grounds to morrow afternoon.

—"The Battle Field the Only Way to Victory," will be Dr. Lewis' theme at the Seventh-Day Baptist church to-morrow.

—The United Tea & Coffee Growers' Association says you can buy the finest Elgin creamery butter produced for 25c per pound at their store.

—The Union County Christian Endeavor Union will hold its annual convention in the Second Presbyterian church at Elizabeth on May 27.

—An experienced writer says, regarding advertisements, "When you have a thing to tell, tell it and be done." In other words come right to the point.

—The North Plainfield school children are the noon recess to-day were discussing an order by Principal Boss that they should all be forthwith vaccinated. This is a wise step, if true.

—A charming young lady member says that the members of the Epworth League and their friends will take a bicycle run to-morrow afternoon, starting from Vincent chapel at half-past three.

—The Hotel Grenada, conducted by George and Wallace V. Miller on North avenue, is now open for the reception of guests The place has been thoroughly renovated and put in first-class condition.

—The annual meeting of the Woman's Baptist Missions of New Jersey was held in the First Baptist church in this city yesterday. Business pertaining to the interest of the Society only was transacted.

—Among those who successfully passed their examinations before the State Board of Examiners and have received licenses to practice medicine are W. A. Bager of Bound Brook and J. A. House of Flemington.

—The members of Miantonomo Tribe, No. 118, Improved Order of Red Men, and their friends, will enjoy a May dance in their rooms on West Front street this evening. Admission will be by invitation.

—The tenth reunion of the 15th New Jersey Regiment took place yesterday at Morristown. It was the anniversary of the battle of Spotsylvania, which took place May 12, 1864. The regiment lost 85 killed and 159 wounded in the engagement.

—The Somerset County Teachers' Association will meet in North Plainfield on May 14. After the election of officers and the transaction of other business Prof. J. F. Woodhull of the scientific Department of the College for the Training of Teachers, New York, will lecture on Science.

—Those wide-awake advertisers, Messrs. Doane & Van Arsdale, have a timely article in their card of to-day's issue. Some words, what others, not so experienced, would need a hundred to tell in. Their last sentence is a point well illustrated. It calls your attention to an important fact in a few sentences.

—In Torrington, Conn., school recently a teacher was trying to impress a young boy with the meaning of the word better. To illustrate she asked: "Now, if you were sick and a doctor came and gave you some medicine, what would you say?" "Dead," was the unexpected answer. The next day the word was bothered the little fellow. The teacher, coming out of patience, asked: "What is your papa?" "A Democrat," was the reply.—N. Y. Sun.

—It might be just as well for the Boards of Health all over the State to look after the Italians more closely. Vigorous measures ought to be adopted to prevent their coming in. Huddled together as these Italians are is not conducive to the best sanitary results. We do not think, in view of the timely precautions taken in the Passaic case, that any harm will come. Such a thing is likely to occur in a dense community, no matter how much vigilance is exercised. While the Boards of Health do their duty, however, there is no cause of alarm at least from the present outlook.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Herman Dana of New Market will sail for Europe per steamer Elbe on June 10th.

Mr. G. Schaaf of East Front street left yesterday for Pittsburg, Pa., where he will hereafter reside.

Ex-Assistant Chief Engineer S. A. Davis, formally of this city but now of Elizabeth, spent yesterday with friends here.

Mr. Harry Drier, who left for Colorado a few weeks ago was unfortunate to turn home on account of illness. He was accompanied by his brother Garret.

Mr. Thomas H. Keller of East Front street, Mr. Charles Smith of West Front street, and Mr. Niel Apgar of Evona left to-day for Washington D. C., where they will spend several days.

Messrs. Zimmerman and Rumpf, the new firm of musical hardware, on East Front street, are talented musicians. They are both violinists of no mean order, and Mr. Rumpf was formerly a member of the most successful amateur instrumental society in New York, composed of 100 pieces.

At the Casino.

There will be readings by Miss Maude Agnes Bowers and Miss Gertrude Marchand at the Casino May 27th.

They will be assisted by Mrs. J. P. Mason, Mrs. C. E. Brooks, Mrs. L. G. Stimpson, Miss Grace Howard, Miss Alice Simpson, Miss Annie Murphy, and Miss Carrie Betts and a quartette from Elizabeth.

THE ANNUAL MEETING.

HELD LAST EVENING AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Officers Elected—Reports of the President and Treasurer, Indicating a Prosperous Year—The Association has 379 paid up Members.

The annual meeting held at the Young Men's Christian Association last night was very interesting and was well attended. After the devotional exercises and the reading of the minutes of the last meeting the reports of the treasurer and president were presented, officers and directors for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—Wm. D. Murray.

Vice President—D. E. Titsworth.

Recording Secretary—H. Le Wis. Jr.

Corresponding Secretary—R. H. Bedford.

Treasurer—H. O. Newman.

Directors—James W. Jackson, E. R. Ackerman, Garret G. Parker, James R. Joy, Nelson Runyon, A. B. Dewy, J. W. Gavett, T. E. Hazell, C. E. Boss, A. C. La Boyteaux, G. R. Cornwell, Wm. Thompson, Stephen Cahoone.

E. L. Bonny was elected a trustee to to fill the unexpired term of E. St. John resigned.

The President's report is as follows:

Of the forty-two Young Men's Christian Associations in New Jersey there have more members than we, but none has a membership being 379; nine spent more money than we did last year, our receipts being $3,005.21; six are in cities larger than Plainfield and eight occupy their own buildings, more or less adapted to their work, and none who is thoroughly acquainted with the work of each of the forty-two associations says that ours is the best in the State. And this notwithstanding the fact that many cities of the State are better adapted to association work than ours. This is not saying that we do not need Young Men's Christian Association work. For, while we are not over run with vicious young men, as so many cities are, our field of labor is broad enough, and there are hundreds of men in Plainfield to-night who need just the help we can give them. For instance, one night in two hundred men, apparently under thirty years of age, were seen to go into three of our saloons, and on the following Sunday only 115 young men were in five of our churches. For these men, as well as all others, our doors are always open. And that men appreciate this is shown by the fact that we have had for six months a daily average attendance at our rooms of 73. Besides this regular use of the rooms by the men, we have had eleven class meeting place for such organizations as the Children's Home Managers, Relief Association, a Sunday school teachers, Choral Society, and for the pastors of the city. We are always glad to have our rooms used in this way.

If I were asked to say what had contributed most to the success of the past year I should say without hesitation our general secretary, Mr. J. H. Manning. I wish there were room in this report big enough to measure his work, or words rich enough to describe it. And yet how can I say anything else when I can say about it may be, we rejoice to know that there is one book good enough to contain the record of it. He has been untiring in his efforts. On one day he takes to a neighboring city a man, a discharged convict, for help that our young work amid new surroundings; at another time he guides into a safe harbor a man so discouraged that he had determined on suicide, and in proof of it shows the letter he had written to the Coroner and Police, for purposes of identification; and on another occasion he counsels with a young man looking toward the ministry. And again and again he has been a friend in need to the young men of this city.

During the year largely through him forty places of permanent and temporary employment have been found; seventy-five strangers visited, strangers have been directed to boarding houses, letters of introduction have been furnished, and young men entering college have been introduced to the College Association. All our work shows the effect of his careful attention.

During the year considerable attention has been paid to our educational work, and Messrs. A. J. Gavett, Frank Leland, G. O. Packer, E. A. Embury, J. A. Holmes, J. C. Whitlock, J. C. Halladay and H. C. Munger have conducted classes in book keeping, lettering, bookkeeping, the English branches, stenography and vocal music. One hundred and twenty-five young men have been in these classes and we owe more than we can pay to the self-sacrificing teachers who have made them a success. In the bookkeeping class more than half of those who started continued to the end, and three of the members now hold positions for which this class largely qualifies them. The same may be said of the Stenography class. One of its members shows his proficiency, and stimulated to better things, saved money and has purchased a typewriter. At least four of the members are now in places which they could not hold if we had not had for them this class. And so of the mechinical drawing class; men are being fitted to fill better positions with higher wages, by this training. The class in English branches is for Swedes and although an expert teacher, they have found to be the hardest of these men.

In the nature of educational work has been the effort to talks given on Thursday evenings, on such subjects as Travel, Physiology, Geology, Electricity, Science, Invention and Law. We appreciate the kindness of those who have given these talks and feel sure that good has been done.

An important department of association effort is the religious, but in that field we have been able to be little. We haven't the means. For a part of the year some of our members hold on a hired alley, and we have had one or two outings and some bicycle runs. Beyond this we could do little. In the same class with this, perhaps, we ought to place our receptions, all of which have been held during the year. Once more we desire to acknowledge the debt we owe the ladies for the help so kindly helped to make these receptions attractive. The enjoyment their efforts have furnished might be measured by the "Ladies' Aid" while down auxiliary.

With our limited accommodations we have not been able to do much for boys. Men and boys won't mix. However, our boys have held twenty-five meetings with an average attendance of twenty-nine; thirteen of these meetings have been religious in character. Mr. Bedford, five talks on the Eye, the War, the Sea, etc. Three of the boys attended the boys' camp at Lake Champlain last Summer. Our boys entertained the first State boys' Conference, which was attended by thirty-two delegates from different parts of New Jersey.

Believing that we ought to have a part in every phase of Association effort we have tried to do something in what has been called "Extension Work," i. e., an effort to get our members to engage more systematically to extend association methods to places in this and other lands, where they do not now exist. With this in view thirty-four men have contributed $97 which his been given to the regular agencies of extension, viz.: International Committee, State Committee, and Springfield school, and work in foreign lands.

We are glad indeed to be able to report a good work in all the three different lines, but we believe that the distinctive word in our title is the word "Christian," and to all our work considered, physical, has for its end the spiritual welfare of young men. Our direct religious work, however, is confined to Sundays On that day, before church time, we have a Word and Testimony Service with an average attendance of seven; and a Bible training class, with an attendance of eight. After Sunday school time, we have our men's meeting; and at eight p. m., our two outposts, one at Washingtonville and the other at Pleasant. All of this it can be seen is work which is not being done by any other organization.

Our men's meetings have been profitable during the year. For a part of the year they have been held in the churches, and were addressed by such men as Gen. O. O. Howard, William Blaikie, Anthony Comstock and others. The average attendance for the year has been 100, and seventeen persons have professed. Much of the success of the meeting is due to the efforts of a faithful few who distributed invitations to the crowd on the streets and in the saloons and other places where men congregate.

We have always been strong advocates of the training classes, and our two classes have done good work during the year.

That the members appreciate them let the following testimony witness:

One member says, "The training classes have given me a renewed interest in God's Word, and an earnest desire for more thorough consecration to the work." Another says, "Since I became a member of the class I have learned to read and study the Bible more thoughtfully and places which were dark before are light now." Still another says, "The class has been a great help to me in my Christian life; it has given me an interest in Bible study far beyond what I would otherwise have had." And so we might go on.

The outpost meetings have been conducted faithfully with not a little interest on the part of the people.

For a number of years an interesting feature of our spiritual life has been the attendance of some of our members at Northfield. Last Summer found fourteen of us there, one of whom volunteered to lead a Bible study class, and now preparing for that work. All the others were better qualified for their Christian work for having been there. This Summer those who cannot go as far as Northfield will find a conference to be under some of the same sort of influence by attending our new Association Conference at Asbury Park. A Bible school will be held there during July, and a Workers Conference during August. And here we would invite our young men. Our young Men's Christian Association does not run itself, neither can it be run by a few members. The success of the Association has never been tried on these lines, and we are glad that it is so. But there are two things which we always will need:

1. More men to take an active part in the work of the Association.

2. More money to pay the running expenses of the Association.

3. More prayer to the great head of all our work that he will supply all our needs for Christ's sake, and that he will put his approval upon the work undertaken in his name.

Respectfully yours,
WILLIAM D. MURRAY,
President.

The following is an abstract of the Treasurer's report:

Balance last report	$65 21
From membership receipts	2,134 00
" Donations	808 00
" Various sources	297 00
	$3,005 21

DISBURSEMENTS.

Salaries and Rent	$1,723 34
For devotional meeting, outlook, etc.	
International, State and extension work	705 14
Other payments	496 73
	$3,005 21
Balance	60 11
	$3,005 21

Bowling Last Night.

There was an interesting game of bowling between two teams chosen from the members of the Crescent League on their alleys last evening. A large number of people witnessed the contest. It resulted as follows:

FIRST GAME.

FIRST TEAM.		SECOND TEAM.	
Lyman	217	Vail	159
Teel	140	W. Hallock	140
Thiem	149	Lieby	128
Reed	150	John Doane	126
Van Winkle	169	Haynes	142

SECOND GAME.

Lyman	178	Vail	164
Teel	140	W. Hallock	140
Thiem	149	Lieby	128
Reed	110	John Doane	140
Van Winkle	169	Haynes	132

A Man while Drunk abuses a Horse and Attempts Assault.

A man named Tingley hired a horse and carriage from liveryman Hoff yesterday. He visited New Market and drove recklessly, wrecking the carriage. It is said that he attempted to beat the animal. A man named Parts saw that the driver was under the influence of liquor and attempted to stop him from driving the animal. Tingley then tried to assault him.

Mr. Parts then came to this city and notified Officer Lee, the latter went to New Market and recovered his rig.

More Serious than First Reported.

The accident to Novius Merrill which occurred at Round Brook yesterday, and was reported in THE NEWS, is more serious than it was at first thought. He was crossing the tracks of the Lehigh Valley Railroad near the station when a fast express came suddenly around the curve. The locomotive struck Merrill in the side, throwing him in the air. He fell on his head, crushing his skull. He was picked up in a dying condition. He cannot live.

—Read the Bee Hive advertisement published in another column to-day.

THE BOWLING GREEN.

The Opening of the Season at Dunellen Yesterday.

There was a great gathering of the class yesterday at Dunellen, the occasion being the opening of the bowling season by a match between the Dunellen and the Middlesex clubs, most of whose members are Dunellenites. The ground used was the private green of President Schaible of the Dunellen Club. It is known as one of the finest constructed bowling greens in the country. Three rinks were formed, and the small white earthenware balls at which the bowls are played, having been thrown, the play began. Schaible, Stoner and Stevens acted as "skips" for the Dunellen, and Betts, Wilde and Adams for the Middlesex.

The play was exceptionally fine, the turf was like a billiard table, and the skill with which the bowls were played was quite suggestive of the green cloth, with expert handling the cues. Most of the players were members of well-known skill, considerable excitement prevailed, and the game was keenly contested. The Middlesex Club won by 97 to 54.

During the season a handsome silver cup, the gift of John Adams of the New York Produce Exchange, will be played for by the Dunellen Club, will be played for by all duly authorized bowling green clubs in the United States. Mr. Young of Jersey City also offers a gold medal and Mr. Smythe, the secretary and treasurer of the Dunellen Club, a silver medal, for the members of their own club making the best score during the season.

The members of the two clubs, who played are.

FIRST RINK.	score
Middlesex County B. G. Club—F. P. Hatfield, Joseph Fisher, E. J. Stoner, John Adams	21
Dunellen B. G. Club—C. Sovereign Andrew Love, William Elliott, Joseph E. Haynes	17 5
SECOND RINK.	
M. C. B. G. Club—C. S. Hoffman, S. G. Wagoner, J. R. Betts	23
D. B. G. Club—Charles Smyth, Geo. Haynes, Thomas Stone	13 9
THIRD RINK.	
D. B. G. Club—James Smyth, James M. Stevens, Charles Wilde	23
M. C. B. G. Club—W. E. Lindsted, P. W. Price, J. H. Willis	15 6
RECAPITULATION.	
Middlesex County B. G. Club	58
Dunellen " "	33
	5

D. S. Cockburn official scorer and referee.

The result was a great surprise in as much as the Dunellen Club held the championship and has made a clean sweep consecutively for three years. The Middlesex boys though young in the art have stood down and hope to keep them there this season.

The Patti Concert.

The Patti Concert, (in which the Plainfielders take part in the chorus) the New York papers of to-day pronounce the grandest event which has ever occurred there.

The managers of Madison Square say over 13,000 people were present. The writer computed the number by counting the number of people in one row of seats and multiplying it with the number of rows of seats, making the approximately over 10,000 people in the audience, regardless of the chorus of about 1,000 voices, of which probably 100 were from Plainfield.

The audience and Patti seemed fairly enraptured with each other. The Diva was greeted with a perfect ovation and the audience more hearty in its applause. The Melopia returned home in a train of three coaches which read a special. Patti held in less than three-quarters of an hour.

Councilman Chas. Fisk presented the train crew with a handsome little sum of money contributed by the audience and the cars in return for their kindness. Altogether everybody returned happy. There is to be a matinee to-morrow afternoon.

A Big Hog Killed Yesterday at Netherwood.

A five hundred pound hog belonging to Jacob Fentz of Fanwood, which was shot for at Marion on several occasions was killed yesterday at Netherwood. James Hallock and Robert Guttridge of their slaughter house in Netherwood. The porker weighed 525 pounds dressed. Mr. Fentz rides thinks that the game and shoulders will weigh nearly fifty pounds each.

Mr. Fentz had the hog on his farm at Fanwood. When the butchers went after it they they thought they could lead it to Netherwood. They put two bones at Netherwood. The pig would not walk, however, and they had to resort to force to move a wagon. In order to get the monster into the vehicle they had to construct a platform of boards on the ground, and the rear wheels of the wagon into the holes and then drive him in.

After they had killed the hog and hung it up to dress its weight broke the beam to which it was holding it. It is said to be the heaviest porker ever raised in this vicinity.

A Check for $8,440 Lost and Found.

While Mr. James Pope was walking this morning from the Dime Savings Bank to the City National Bank to make a deposit he dropped a certified check for $8,440. He did not discover the loss until he started to check off the bank slip.

The check was meanwhile found on the sidewalk by Isaac Kennedy, the U. M. C. A. janitor. It was signed "E. P. Pope."

The janitor started to hunt up the postmaster. Before he found him he saw Mr. James Pope looking around as if he had lost something.

Said Mr. Kennedy: "What is the matter?"

Mr. Pope replied that he had lost a check.

Mr. Kennedy told him of the one he had found, and when Mr. Pope identified it returned it to him, greatly to his joy.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

FIFTY THOUSAND MAY GO OUT.

A Threatened Lockout Will Extend the Stone Workers' Strike.

New York, May 13th, (Special.)—There is no material change to-day in the big strike of men connected with the Paving Cutters Union in this city, which was begun last Monday, in support of striking stone-workers in New England. All are anxiously looking forward to to-morrow night, when the New England Contractors Association have threatened to lock out all the granite stone cutters and handlers employed in their quarries.

If the lockout is ordered it will result in a strike of fully 50,000 men in different cities throughout the country. In this city alone fully 10,000 men may leave their places on Monday morning.

A Remarkable Wedding.

CINCINNATI, O., May 13.—(Special.)—A remarkable wedding took place in Covington, Ky., yesterday. It was that of Miss Eva Heath, of Mount Sterling, O., who said they had eloped. The bridegroom was David Heath, who gave his age as ninety-two years, and the bride was Mary L. Hetrick, who registered as sixty-five years. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Reuben Francis, the magistrate who performed the ceremony, a fee of $20.

Cyclers on a Run.

A party of bicyclers enjoyed a smooth ride to Elizabeth and Rahway yesterday. The trip was made by way of Plainfield, at which place they stopped for dinner. They then continued on to Elizabeth, making good time on the excellent Union county roads.

The ride from Elizabeth was made in the extraordinary time of 38 minutes—on the cars. In the party were J. J. Bergen, Asbury Allen, C. Harvey Ireland, C. M. Palmer, Chas. Kilbourn, Sam Lists, Peter Dumont and W. H. Cook.—Ex.

A Relay Race.

A bicycle relay race will be run on Saturday afternoon, between teams from the Elizabeth Athletic Club, bicycle division, and the Plainfield Club. Each club will be represented by a team of five men. Each rider will carry a message over the following course: From the club house to the rider of the next relay, and so on for a distance of 25¼ miles.

Sewaren a Parish.

Bishop Scarborough has just granted the petition of the people of Sewaren that they be set off as a separate parish and that Rev. Harvey Ireland, D. D., be the rector. The building of a church will be at once begun. The funds and lands have been secured and the plans drawn, so that in a few months the structure will probably be completed.

The Annual Meeting.

Cyprene Commandery, No. 4, Knights Templar headed by a drum corps paraded to the depot this morning to take the 9.40 train for Philadelphia. They went there to attend the annual conclave of the United Grand Commandery. A large number of colored people accompanied them.

Hotel Grenada,

NORTH AVENUE,

Now open for the reception of guests under the management of George and Wallace V. Miller. Rooms has been thoroughly renovated and re-furnished throughout and new bath rooms and improvements. First-class accommodations for families and the travelling public.

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Cents-a-Word Column.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A steady man to work in a factory. Address at once, "Factory," care of Evening News. 12 3

WANTED—Two apprentices to learn dressmaking, at 124 West Front street. 13 5

WANTED—A matron for the day nursery. Address a note to Mrs. Wyman, Addison "P.," 20 East Ninth street, stating references. 12 3

WANTED—General agent for this city to open an office and assume control of our business. Salary $1,200 and expenses and pay a net profit of 50 to 100 per cent. The Bullard Company, Broadway and Astor place, New York. 12 5

FOR SALE.

A MILK route for sale, cheap; also a young horse. H. Boyd, post office. 12 6

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased at Somerset Park, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to R. G. Mulford, real estate agent, 128 and 130 Dean. 300 feet above the sea level. 2 19tf

FRESH Alderney cow with calf will be sold reasonably for want of use. Apply to Mr. Vernon, Richmond near Manning avenue, or care of Evening News. 12 6

TAKE NOTICE—I will expose the property of one Richmond for sale for storage, on January 8, 1893. T. J. Corey. 13 12

MISCELLANEOUS.

A SMALL property wanted. State all particulars, "Buyer," care of Evening News.

FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRY work done at home. Prices reasonable. One trial will convince. Mrs. A. F. Wilson, colored, 39 Richmond. 12 6

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order, bought and sold. Call Furniture store, 11 Somerset street. 2 20tf

TREES, shrubs, vines and greenhouse plants, at Deaton's Hillside Evergreen Nursery. 12 6

WANTED—Furnished house from June 15 to October 1, five bedrooms, all modern conveniences, in good locality. Address with terms and situation, Mr. T. B. Brooks, Rockview avenue, North Plainfield. 12 2

BIRTHS

LARKIN—Died at Dunellen May 13, Mr. Lorin Larkin, youngest child of William and Louisa Larkin.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at the residence of her parents, Saturday afternoon, May 14th, at three o'clock.

SMITH—Died at Greenbrook, May 12th, Persis M., wife of James M. G. Smith, aged 73 years, 1 month and 20 days.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at the house, Monday afternoon, May 16th, at 2.30 o'clock.

THE BEE HIVE!

Summer Underwear.

Ladies' ribbed vests, 10, 12½, 15, 20 and 25c.

Ladies' ribbed vests, in high neck, short sleeves and long sleeves, 25c.

Ladies' gauze vests, in short and long sleeves, 25c.

Also a full line of Ladies' Drawers, in ribbed, gauze and medium weight.

Men's balbriggan shirts, in long and short sleeves, and drawers to match, 25c.

Men's Natural Merino shirts and drawers, 50, 75 and 98c.

Children's ribbed vests, all sizes, 5c.

Children's fancy merino gauze and ribbed vests, short and long sleeves, all sizes, 10, 12c.; 15, 18c.; 20, 25c.; 30, 35c.; 40, 45c.; 50, 60c.

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The Mayor and Common Council of the Borough of North Plainfield offer the above sum for the

Arrest and Conviction

of the person or persons who effected an entrance into the residences of Augustus Van Deventer and I. H. Alexander, situated in the borough of North Plainfield, on the night of May 2, 1892, and removed therefrom articles of value, consisting of clothing, silverware, etc.

W. I. SAUNDERS, Mayor.
Attest: H. H. BROKAW, Clerk. 7 13tf

EDITORIAL NOTES

The Last of the Shakers.

Picturesque and not without pathos is the paper in The New England Magazine, by James K. Reeve, on that fast disappearing sect, the Shakers. Nearly a century and a half ago a number of members of the Society of Friends, or Quakers, in England, became convinced of the reality of communications between the spirits of the dead and the living. These associated themselves together in a society of their own and became Quaker spiritualists. The sect remained and grew. In 1774 one of its members, a young woman named Ann Lee, had a vision in which she believed she saw Christ, and in which she was directed to come to America and found the spiritualistic Quaker church in the New World. She came on the strength of the revelation and established the first settlement at Watervliet, seven miles from Albany. From this colony all the other settlements in the Union have sprung. But there are only two main Shaker settlements left now—one at Union Village, N. Y., the other near Lebanon, O. Originally the Shakers were called Shaking Quakers, but they have long since been known simply as Shakers. "The sect of Shakers had its origin in the grafting of spiritualism upon the sober practices of the Quakers," says Mr. Reeve.

And now these gentle, kindly people are fading out as a sect, not rapidly but surely. If they could only bequeath their faith or virtues to the world they are leaving what happiness it would be. Their first article of faith is celibacy. Men and women should dwell together always, but not as husbands and wives, merely as brothers and sisters. If in time the race dies out so much the better. Sin, sickness and suffering will disappear, and the coming of Christ's kingdom will be all the sooner and surer. Absolute honesty of speech and deed is enjoined. "War, oaths, debts and seeking after the honors of the world must be avoided." Pause for one moment and think what earthly life would be like if all men obeyed these precepts. Their next virtue is perfect, exquisite cleanliness. Woman's rights, too, are rigidly enjoined and practiced by the sect. It is equally under the guidance of women and men. But now few converts join them except "winter Shakers," persons who go at the beginning of cold weather to get a snug home and desert as soon as summer comes. What a home the community would be, though, for one who was weary of the world and hoped never to see it again.

Mr. Reeve says:

> The strict and temperate habits of the Shakers and the observance of the laws of morality and hygiene are conducive to health and long life, as may be seen from the inscriptions in their cemeteries. The proportion of those who have attained the age of seventy-five and upward is strikingly large, while very few live to be ninety. So, barring the possibility of new recruits, there is not much temptation to join the sect regardless of becoming as heir to their wealth—the last man in a Shaker community.

Mashonaland.

Mr. E. K. Maund, one of the British pioneer settlers of Mashonaland, declares that if this rich region had been accessible to Americans they would long ere this have bought or fought their way to a railroad from the coast to it. He reproached Englishmen with their slowness and apathy in regard to it.

In truth, Mashonaland, just north of the Transvaal, in southeast Africa, promises to be the California of the dark continent. Mr. Maund believes it is destined to be one of England's greatest possessions. It is aboundingly rich in gold, and of course that point of view obscures every other at present. But we are told also that on its great sweep of tablelands white men can live as comfortably as at home, that it is well watered and covered with rich pasture grounds as well as farming lands. Boer farmers understand its advantages so well that they begin to desert the Transvaal for the richer agricultural prospects of Mashonaland.

Transportation is difficult thither at present and will be until the 400 miles of railway from the coast is finished. The capital of the new country is Fort Salisbury. Mashonaland belongs to the British South Africa company, which is ready to make advantageous terms with any one wanting to buy either corner lots or quarter sections. For a man who wants to make his fortune quickly there seems no finer region than Mashonaland.

In South Carolina this year the acreage of cotton is a quarter less than it was under the enormous crop of last year. But the cotton loss is the planter's gain since the acres thus vacated have been planted with bread grains which can be eaten. Cotton could not. Lack of variety of crops is something from which southern farmers have long suffered.

The bill recommended by the ways and means committee for passage through the national house provides that no tourist shall bring into this country from abroad wearing apparel of the value of more than $100. Good gracious! At that rate tourists would have to return bringing no trunk at all and without much clothes on.

"The Lord is never able to do much with people who go through the world shaking hands with two fingers," says The Ram's Horn.

WANAMAKER HITS BACK

He Says Civil Service Men Are Not Infallible.

MINISTER COOLIDGE CONFIRMED

The Massachusetts Man Succeeds White as Reid as Minister to France—Ex-Speaker Reed Relieves His Mind Concerning Democratic Legislation.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The investigation into the alleged violations of the civil service law by federal employes in Baltimore was continued by the house committee on reform in the civil service, will Postmaster General Wanamaker on the stand. In the course of his examination Mr. Wanamaker said: "Many of these questions asked me seemed to be based on the assumption that the postoffice depart ment is antagonistic to the civil service commission, which is not true. The commission is not infallible, and its findings on any question are not to be taken without question."

The Question of Politics.

Mr. Brawley asked Mr. Wanamaker if he had considered the charges against the men were made because of political motives, and Mr. Wanamaker said he did not remember that he had any conclusion. He simply listened to the statement of the postmaster who demanded an investigation.

In the case of W. W. Johnson, the post master, there seemed to be abundant evidence of his having endeavored to prevent the postoffice employees from violating the law. It was clear that many offenses have been made in the classified force of the Baltimore postoffice, but the changes seemed absolutely necessary and were made from the list of eligibles. Some of the men properly appointed representatives of the civil service commission. The report of the committee in relation to Mr. Johnson did not pass unanimously, but stated that decided steps should be taken to show that the general rule was not to be regarded hereafter as a dead letter, and that henceforth any violation should be treated as furnishing cause for dismissal.

The report of Chief Inspector Wheeler and Inspector Sharp, upon which the postmaster general based his action in the Baltimore matter, says the investigation was an open one, and after hearing the evidence of all the witnesses and of the accused the opinion was formed that the facts did not justify the dismissal of the twenty-one men named nor any one of them for violation of the civil service law as charged. The report says no scintilla of evidence sustaining the charges against Postmaster Johnson was found.

Commissioner Roosevelt Scored.

A letter from Postmaster Johnson dated Sept. 21, 1891, was left by Mr. Wanamaker with the committee. In it Mr. Johnson says:

> "To say that I am amazed and confounded by the cool assurance with which Mr. Roosevelt assumes to declare that which he does not appear that I need the postoffices to influence the primary elections it is evident that it was so used with my full knowledge, and that I took no effectual steps to hastened to prevent such use thereof. Such a conclusion could only be reached by one who had intended in advance to bring forth whatever fruit he could or best pursued such a method of investigation as would most strongly tend to establish that conclusion which was most eagerly desired by the committee, and which, indeed, was prompted and incited the investigation. Permit me to say that although every courtesy and facility possible was afforded Mr. Roosevelt in the pursuit of his inquiry yet in my opinion the method and manner of his proceeding was unfair, entirely ex parte and without precedent under American institutions."

Coolidge's Nomination Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—During a secret session of less than five minutes the senate confirmed the nomination of T. Jefferson Coolidge, of Massachusetts, to be minister to France. There was no opposition, and the confirmation was made by a viva voce vote. The nomination of Captain Richard W. Meade to be a commodore in the navy was also confirmed.

The senate disposed of the naval appropriation bill up to the point of new increase of the navy and the proposed new battleships come in. Discussion of these disputed matters was postponed for a day. Among the committee amendments adopted was one appropriating $50,000 as a starter for the Columbian naval rendezvous and review and $20,000 for the League island navy yard, Philadelphia.

American Register for the China.

Mr. Hiscock introduced a bill giving the steamship China, of the Pacific Mail Steamship company, American register, in the same manner as Mr. Cockran's bill, which gave the City of Paris and City of New York the right to fly the American flag.

The China is a large, fast steamship now engaged in freight and passenger business, having a tonnage of about 5,000 tons. It must be known that 95 per cent of the shares of the foreign corporation owning said steamship were on Jan. 1, 1890, and have since remained, the property of citizens of the United States and that the company shall contract to build a vessel of equal tonnage in an American shipyard. The matter was referred to the committee on commerce.

Ex-Speaker Reed's Sarcasm.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The house spent another day in consideration of the sundry civil bill. One or two incidents of interest occurred. The usual complaints of appropriations had inserted provisions that articles imported for the use of the lighthouse establishment and of the national museum should be admitted free of duty. These were stricken out on points of order made by Mr. Burrows (Rep.), of Michigan, that they were not germane and did not reduce expenses and changed existing laws.

Mr. Reed, alluding to the refusal of the majority to explain the reductions made in the bill, made a sarcastic speech, saying that there was no explanation to give but that of brute force, a majority of three to one. "There is no other reason on the face of the earth except that we have the votes."

"It is an attempt to obtain the good will of the American people upon their economic side without actually benefiting them the least in the world.

"Nobody knows better than the chairman of the committee on appropriations at this session that the appropriations will not be starved, because the senate will put on the amendment, and after a little performances, with a natural coyness he will accept many of them—almost all of them—and then he will go to the country and say, 'Look, see what a virtuous house we had, and are what a profligate senate!' (Great laughter.) This is the tenth repetition within my recollection of this kind of business. Is it not too bad for grown men to be acting this?" [Renewed laughter.]

McALLISTER'S SON MARRIED.

Five Years a Bachelor and Ward Never Knew It.

New York, May 13.—Ward McAllister was very much surprised the other day to learn that his second son, Hayward Hall McAllister, had been married for nearly five years. The son is now thirty-two years old. Five years ago he met Miss Jessie Germany, of Savannah, with whom he seemed to be much infatuated. She had a small fortune, but not enough to maintain an expensive establishment. Young McAllister was anxious to marry, but Mr. McAllister told his son that he ought not to think of marrying until he was able to support a wife.

He considered it unmanly in his son to bind a woman to him until he could give her a proper home, and he expressed the belief that it would be still more unmanly to marry a girl for the sake of her fortune alone.

Mr. McAllister told his son that he would be willing to support him as a bachelor, but did not think he should be called upon to support a wife and children, which would be entailed by his son's marriage.

The young man listened patiently, apparently concurred in his father's views, and said nothing more about marrying. He went ahead and took to himself a wife. Since then he has lived with his father as usual.

FASHIONS

Fashionable Hats.

SEEN IN THE STORES.

The first is a becoming Marie Stuart bonnet, of narrow lace, and loops of velvet, bebe ribbons, pompons in any shades, with fingertip and velvet strings.

A wide brim hat of the new "Amour" chip, trimmed frill of lace on brim, smart bow in front and back of pink silk ribbons, and Empress plumes.

The Eastbourne sailor, in coarse straw, with plain or club band, is unlined, black, white, and navy blue. This hat is sure to come up every season.

SECRETARY BLAINE'S TUMBLE.

He Falls Full Length at a Washington Garden Fete.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Secretary Blaine attended the garden fete given in aid of the Open Air Fund, and was near losing a very conspicuous accident. While approaching a huge pavilion in which the greater number of guests were gathered he stepped on the narrow board walk running along the driveway to greet some friends. Among the young ladies was Miss Letter, who, selecting the right foot of the secretary of state for her belt, fastened it in the lapel of his coat.

Raising his hat in acknowledgement of the pretty act the secretary of state made a graceful bow, but before he could regain his balance his foot slipped off the board and he measured his length upon the ground, turning over several times. He was at once lifted to his feet and in response to numerous inquiries declared himself wholly unhurt.

After mounting the short flight of steps Secretary Blaine rested for about five minutes in the little reception room, and then insisted upon joining the company outside, with whom he remained for some time.

As though to convince every one that the fall was of no moment the secretary walked about from one booth to another talking to the groups of pretty girls, leaving the cashier in each instance the richer by his stay.

Selling Dumas' Pictures.

PARIS, May 13.—The magnificent collection of pictures in the town house of M. Alexandre Dumas was offered for sale. M. Dumas having concluded to take up his residence permanently at Marly le Roi, near M. Vieux Sarden. Among the works are twelve by Jacquemart and important canvases signed Corot, Troyon, Fromentin and Jules Dupre.

Passenger Rates to the Fair.

CHICAGO, May 13.—The Columbian passenger association, representing all the railroads and attends to the World's fair business, decided upon a passenger rate of one and one-third fares during the exposition within a radius of 200 miles of Chicago and of one fare for the round trip outside of that radius.

For a Big Tannery Shut Down.

BOSTON, May 13.—The tanners and curriers of this part of the country have voted to shut their works a period of sixty days, beginning with the second week in July, for the purpose of curtailing production. The shutdown applies only to upper leather tanneries.

Monmouth Park Victorious.

FREEHOLD, N. J., May 13.—At the opening of the Monmouth county court judge J. Clarence Conover said the court had decided to grant licenses to the Monmouth Park association. The members of the Law and Order league were much crestfallen at the decision.

The Pennsylvania State League.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 13.—At the state league meeting held here Lebanon, Harrisburg, Allentown, Reading, Danville, Johnstown, Pittsburg and Altoona were represented. The schedule was made out with these clubs.

Poison in the Cream.

RANDOLPH, N. Y., May 12.—At Chamberlain institute Professor Davis, Professor Penrose and wife, two students and two servants became very ill from poison which is supposed to have been in the cream.

Editor Stabbed Dead.

GETTYSBURG, Pa., May 13.—H. J. Stahle, editor and proprietor of The Compiler, a well known citizen of southern Pennsylvania and a leader in Democratic politics, is dead.

AN ASTOR GIRL CUT OFF.

The Millionaire Left Mrs. J. Coleman Drayton Nothing.

HER CHILDREN ARE PROVIDED FOR.

All the Daughters Remembered but the One Whose Name Recently Figured in the Drayton-Berrows Duel Negotiations. Many Millions for John Jacob Astor.

NEW YORK, May 13.—The will of the late William Astor, who died recently in Paris, will soon be offered for probate. Counsel for the executors of the will have furnished the United Press with an abstract of the contents of the will as they are entitled by the code to do. The will makes John Jacob Astor, the only son, residuary legatee, and leaves to him absolutely all the property held for life by his father under the will of William B. Astor, the grandfather, which was one-half of William B. Astor's residuary estate. For life it leaves to the executors as trustees for John Jacob with power to John Jacob to dispose of the same by will, the residuary individual estates of the testator, which is for the most part the accumulated surplus income for seventeen years of the estates derived from William B. Astor. This should be as much or nearly as much as the principal estate was in 1875.

Mrs. Drayton Cut Off.

The provisions for daughters in the income from both estates are the same in addition to the provisions already made under marriage settlements and other trusts. In the case of Mrs. James Coleman Drayton the $200,000, instead of going to her for life, goes for her four children. Each of these share alike, with remainder to their children; and no provision whatever appears to have been made for Mrs. Drayton.

John Jacob Astor comes at once into the income of his father's individual residuary estate and into the absolute ownership of one-half the estate derived under his grandfather's will from Dr. John Jacob. On July 13, 1896, he will become absolute owner of the

JOHN JACOB ASTOR.

other half of this last mentioned estate. William B. Astor's estate at the time of his death was roughly estimated at from $45,000,000 to $120,000,000.

To Mrs. Astor, widow of decedent, is given the house 350 Fifth avenue, and a sum sufficient to produce an income of $50,000 a year is also set aside for her. A number of minor legacies, ranging from $500 to $50,000, are made in favor of family servants and to charities.

The Grave Guarded Night and Day.

The funeral services of the deceased millionaire were held in Trinity chapel, in Twenty-fifth street. As the desire of the family they were very simple in character. The regular burial service of the Protestant Episcopal church was read by the Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix, rector of Trinity church. The members of the family who were present were Mrs. William Astor, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roosevelt Roosevelt and their two children, Mr. and Mrs. William Astor Chanler, Mr. and Mrs. John Jacob Astor and Mrs. J. Coleman Drayton. Mr. Drayton did not appear, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are still in Europe.

The pallbearers who were selected by Mrs. Astor were as follows: Vice President Levi P. Morton, James P. Kernochan, Edward R. Bell, Edward D. Willing, Henry Day, William C. Schermerhorn, R. T. Wilcox, Johnston Livingston, Philip Kissam and Richard M. Hunt.

At the conclusion of the funeral service the heavy oaken coffin was borne out and carried to Trinity cemetery at One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue. The vault, which Mr. Astor built some years ago, is a handsome, though plain, structure of granite, surmounted by an iron railing and a cupola. It stands in the western limit of the cemetery and overlooks the Hudson river. The oak coffin, lined with lead, in which the body was placed, is the finest ever used in this country, but it was inclosed in a case of polished cedar mounted with brass, and so placed in the vault. The tomb will be guarded night and day by detectives employed by the family, in addition to the watch always kept by the cemetery officials.

Headleggers at Winsted.

WINSTED, Conn., May 13.—Flis Henry Bond, salesman for a New Haven wholesale oyster house, reached Winsted on the express late at 6 a. m. and fell into the home unconscious. Marks under his left ear indicate that he had been sandbagged. He had also been robbed.

Lottery Men Victorious.

LOUISVILLE, May 13.—Judge Toney has upheld the validity of the Kentucky Frankfort lottery. Manager James Douglas says that as soon as the wheel of fortune can be greased the drawings will begin.

Attorney Fowler Missing.

NEW YORK, May 13.—An alarm has been sent out for Attorney Fowler, of Fowler, a young lawyer, once a partner of Colonel Fellows, who mysteriously disappeared April 18.

O'Connor's Widow Gets $17,000.

NEW YORK, May 13.—At the benefit given in aid of the widow and daughter of Captain William O'Connor, formerly owner of the St. James hotel, over $13,000 was realized.

World's Fair Bank Bill Signed.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The president has signed the bill to authorize any national bank located in Chicago to establish a branch office upon the World's fair grounds.

Double Crime in Duluth.

DULUTH, Minn., May 13.—In a lodging house A. J. Schrader, of Saint St. Marie, shot his wife Theresa, killing her instantly. He then fatally shot himself.

Thirty Persons Killed.

BUENOS AYRES, May 12.—A large skating rink in course of construction here collapsed yesterday. Thirty persons were killed.

GO TO HULETT'S,

94 WEST FRONT STREET,

THE LEADING MUSIC HOUSE.

PIANOS FOR RENT.

SOLD FOR CASH

Or on Easy Monthly Payments.

Proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

(OFFICIAL.)

ELIZABETH, N. J., May 5, 1892.

Regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union county held on Thursday, May 5, 1892, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Present—Director Hubbard and Freeholders Bauer, Bryant, Daly, Howard, Holliday, Lee, Lyon, Mayer, Miller, Parkhurst, Reeves, Sullivan, Thompson, Trahan, Vanderbeek, Wass—17.

Absent—None.

The minutes of last meeting were read and on motion approved.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The agreement between the committee on Railway draw bridges and Alfred D. Crane, Bridge tender, was ordered filed with the clerk.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

ELIZABETH, N. J., May 5, 1892.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union, state of New Jersey:

Gentlemen—Your committee, to whom was referred for settlement the claims and suits of Bernard Dolan vs. the county of Union, for the Morris avenue, Union township, and North and South avenue, Westfield township, respectfully report that the sum of forty-three hundred and seventy-nine dollars and nineteen cents ($4,379.19) would respectfully satisfy said claims and suits and that the said sum of $4,379.19 would be a full settlement of all claims and demands for construction and repairs of said roads.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. T. WASS,
JAMES T. PERSON,
GEORGE W. DUFF,
Committee.

Freeholder Thompson moved it be received and recommendation adopted.

On roll call so adopted unanimously.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union:

Gentlemen—Your committee to settle with the county collector respectfully report that they have examined his books, showing his receipts and disbursements together with his vouchers, bonds and coupons paid and bank books, and find that the same agree and are correct in every particular.

His receipts and disbursements to this date, May 2, 1892, from May 2th, last, are as follows:

Receipts.....$450,2 2.09
Disbursements.....388,72.1.40

Balance in his hands.....$61,502.09

Respectfully,
J. MARTIN HOLL,
GEO. W. LITTELL,
WM. W. WOODRUFF,
Committee.

Dated May 2, 1892.

On motion of Freeholder Jones received and adopted.

The county engineer submitted reports of repairs done on Morris avenue, Union township, and Scotch Plains township, Westfield avenue, Scotch Plains township, which were received and on motion of Freeholder Reed ordered on file.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Freeholder Littell:

Resolved, That Benjamin Leah be appointed bridge-tender of Summer street drawbridge for the ensuing year at a salary of one hundred and twenty-five ($125) dollars per annum.

Freeholder Roll moved it adoption.

On roll call adopted unanimously.

By Freeholder Kyte:

Resolved, That bill of Terrill & Cole, amounting to fifty-five ($55) dollars for burial of pauper be paid when properly sworn to and audited.

Freeholder Thompson moved it adoption.

On roll adopted unanimously.

Freeholder Littell moved that the Board as Committee of the Whole inspect repairs on county roads on Monday, May 9, 1892, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Which was carried.

The following bills, audited and approved, were read and ordered paid, by a unanimous vote.

Publication—F. W. Runyon, $126.60; Chas. H. Pitbladdo, $66.60; Elizabeth Daily Journal, 55; Union County Standard, $35; D. M. Smythe, 20; H. H. Hoffman, $20.40; Morristown, $25; Central N. J. Herald, $25.

Bridge account—G. H. Winans, Linden, $41.20; John T. Crane, Highway, $50.40; John Crane, Union, $25; Brokaw's Sons, Plainfield, $11.04; do., $5.20; do., $5.20; James Honour, Linden, $25; Bernard Dolan, $75; Conover & Mc-Nulty, $9.80; J. P. Chesby & Co., Elizabeth, $47.84; John W. Venlick, do., $100, Edward Griffin, do., $25.

Salary—E. M. Wood, $125; Chas. E. Reed, $25; C. D. Ward, $75; P. W. Wescott, $125.

Sundries—Wm. Hetherington & Sons, Cincinnati, C. MacDiarmid, $4.80; Edward S. Rowell, $6; Ist H. N. Oliver, $6; Frank C. Hill, $6.

Jail—Bernard Dolan, $1,000; Wm. Hall, $4.25; L. B. Parsons, $31 11; C. W. Irwin, $35.75; Hall & Castle, $2.98; Elizabethtown Gas Light Co., $16.38.

Lunacy—J. T. Person, $6.90.

Incidentals—Wood, $5; George C. Ford, 35; do., $35; Patrick Carey, $15; P. W. Wescott, $74.74; do., Road, $37.50; C. D. Ward, $450; D. K. Rymo, $30.40; do., $7; F. J. & W. H. Ryan, $94.

Stationery—John C. Rankin Company, $56.50; Elizabeth Daily Journal, $11.

Jail—Charles W. Dodd, $357.50; M. S. Montgomery, $35.35; Pearce Dodd, $75; Coen & Schmidt, $11.66; David M. Miller, $37; John Kinget, $4.75; Jones L. Mann, $6.97; Charles W. Dodd, $6.21; L. B. Parsons, Hall & Co., $15; David C. Smaltey, $59.98; Melissa Wilson, $22.95; James O. Brokaw, $17.50; C. J. Hatch, $6.

Court—John L. Crowell, $147; T. F. Mc-Cann, $201.67; P. C. Marsh, $1,000; Lewis Berg, Allentown, Reading, Danville, Johnstown, Pittsburg and Altoona were represented. The schedule was made out with these clubs.

Court—John L. Crowell, $147; T. F. McC

THE BIG BRIDGE OPENED

Mighty Mississippi Waters Spanned at Memphis.

EDITOR CHILDS PRINTERS' HOME

A Haven of Rest for Weary and Worn Out Types Dedicated with Interesting Ceremonies at Colorado Springs—How Money Was Raised to Build the Structure.

MEMPHIS, May 13.—At high noon, with impressive ceremonies, the great steel bridge across the Mississippi river at this point was formally declared open for traffic. The man-of-war Concord, gayly bedecked with Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack from stem to stern, raised her anchors and steamed slowly down stream toward the bridge, amid a tremendous din of whistles from the shipping from the levee. Then Mr. George W. Morrison, of Chicago, chief engineer of the great structure, began the ceremonies by motioning to an engineer, seated within his engine, and in a minute a procession of fifteen ponderous locomotives, amid tremendous cheering, started on to the bridge as the supreme test.

Senator Voorhees' Oration.

The oration of the day was delivered by Senator Voorhees, who spoke in opening of the wisdom, patriotism and foresight of Jefferson in the acquiring of Louisiana, the glorious results which it had accomplished, the growth of the south within the last thirty years, its still brighter future, and finally predicted that the time was not far distant when the barrier to the navigation of the two oceans would be removed.

The Memphis bridge is the third largest of its kind in the world. There are five spans and six piers, including the anchorage piers. The east shore or cantilever span is 668.83 feet; the main span, consisting of two cantilever arms and one intermediate span, is 794.42 feet; one continuous span 621.06 and one deck span 288.75, making a total length of 2,597.13 feet in the bridge proper.

The structure is extended west of the main bridge by an iron viaduct 2,500 feet in length, followed by a 3,100 foot timber trestle and nearly a mile of embankment to a junction with the existing track of the Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis railroad, a few hundred feet west of Sibley, Ark. This embankment crosses the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern railroad and the Little Rock and Memphis railroad and has a connecting trunk to both roads. The river piers are sunk to depths varying from 75 to 131 feet below high water mark. All were sunk by the pneumatic caisson process, and are of masonry from the caissons to the bridge seats.

Where De Soto Crossed.

The material of the main bridge is steel. Some idea of the immensity of the steel parts used may be obtained by knowing that the main posts are 80 feet high and weigh 28 tons. Many of the pieces weigh 16 15 and 16 tons. The main pin of the cantilever truss is 14 inches in diameter and weighs 2,300 pounds. The bridge was built by the Kansas City, Memphis and Birmingham Railroad company, who will at once commence using it. The bridge is located on the exact spot where Ferdinand De Soto crossed the Mississippi in 1541, and in excavating for the shore pier on the Tennessee side some Spanish halberds supposed to have been used by him were found.

HAVEN OF REST FOR PRINTERS.

The Childs-Drexel Home Opened at Colorado Springs.

COLORADO SPRINGS, May 13.—The Childs-Drexel Home for Printers was opened here with appropriate ceremonies. The building is located on Mt. Cutler, from the north elevation which overlooks the surrounding country, including the Garden of the Gods,

GEORGE W. CHILDS.

Pike's Peak, Manitou and Cheyenne canyon. It is constructed of white lava stone with red sandstone trimmings. The style is Renaissance and the construction cost $60,000. The home is four stories in height and 144 feet front with a depth of forty feet. It has three towers, with balconies extending along both sides on every story. The upper story is not yet finished, but in the lower floors are sixty-three furnished rooms, none of which has less than two windows. Each floor is heated by steam, and fitted out with bathrooms and all modern conveniences. In the basement is the kitchen, laundry, etc.

In the parlor is a painting of Mr. George W. Childs which cost over $1,000. Other rooms on this and other floors are furnished by unions in St. Louis, Chicago, San Francisco and New York. The fund for the construction of the building was started in 1886, when George W. Childs and A. J. Drexel, of Philadelphia, presented the International Typographical union their joint check for $10,000. Union printers throughout the country raised the remainder.

Ten of Garza's Men Killed.

SAN ANTONIO, May 13.—The Garza revolution has broken out afresh. Mexican troops had an engagement with a party of Garza's revolutionists, killing ten of them. Among those killed was Julian Flores, a first lieutenant in Garza's so called army.

Color Line at New Haven.

NEW HAVEN, May 13.—S. B. Wiley, of Mexico, Mo., has withdrawn from the contest for the fifty dollar prize offered by Dean Francis Wayland, of the Law school, because he would have to meet J. P. Spurgeon, colored, in debate.

Named by the President.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The president has sent to the senate the following nominations: Postmasters—Ellis H. Tim, at Cold Spring, N. Y.; Mrs. Emma K. Brantley, at Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.; John T. Kelly, at Butler, Pa.

More Dynamite in Caracas.

CARACAS, Venezuela, May 13.—Another attempt has been made to wreck the police in Caracas with dynamite. A bomb was exploded in front of military headquarters.

Victory for the Baroness.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Justice Ingraham, in supreme court chambers, denied "Baron" Blanc's motions to reopen his wife's judgment and to obtain an injunction.

Not Guilty but Must Pay Costs.

PITTSBURG, May 13.—The sealed verdict in the McClure perjury case reads as follows, "Defendant acquitted but must pay costs."

Not a Standing Joke.

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—Fliegende Blatter.

Jerry McAuley's Widow Weds.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Mrs. Maria McAuley, the widow of Jerry McAuley, who founded the Cremorne mission, of which she has been since his death the matron, was married to B. L. Gilbert, one of the trustees, with the alienation of whose affections she was five years ago charged by his first wife.

No Indian Outbreak Now.

GUTHRIE, O. T., May 13.—Dispatches were received from the Cheyenne and Arapahoe agency at Cantonment, by Governor Seay, stating that Red Moon and White Shield, Cheyenne chiefs, who caused the trouble in county F, have been placed in confinement. All danger of an outbreak is passed

The Lottery's Charter Not Renewed.

NEW ORLEANS, May 13.—The secretary of state announces that the constitutional amendment renewing the charter of the Louisiana Lottery company was defeated by 150,000 majority, and received only a few hundred votes.

Buffalo's Real Estate Boom.

BUFFALO, May 13.—The figures of the board of assessors show the extent of the real estate boom in this city. The total valuation this year is placed at $197,192,080 an increase of over $17,000,000 over last year.

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6 57 p. m. for Flemington.

8 12 p. m. for Easton, Allentown, Manunka Chunk, Harrisburg.

9 57 p. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

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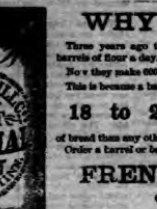

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"But, grandpa," chimed in a pretty miss of fifteen, "your stories would be all about men!"

"No, for at the very moment you asked that question I was thinking of Captain Chappell's daughter. Who was she? Well, I am going to tell you. I was on a whaling voyage up the Labrador coast years ago and I anchored off shore near where an old Frenchman named Pinson lived. We could always depend on him for supplies of fresh meat, and for Eskimo guides if we should want to get furs in."

"Old Pinson lived all alone, so when I sailed on him early one spring and while Labrador was still six feet below the snow, you can imagine my surprise at seeing, in the little den he called his parlor, one of the most beautiful young women my eyes had ever beheld, and as you all know there are still pretty girls right around New Bedford here. They don't begin to come up to their grandmothers, but that's neither here nor there.

"Old Pinson, like nearly all his countrymen, was the soul of gallantry. Still, before I learned the young lady's story, I was quite sure, from her colorless cheeks, that from the land of sunshine and fruit and flowers to prostate in this ice land over the dreary household of a man of whom she knew my society was soon gratified. Here is what I learned from Monsieur Pinson and from Cora Chappell herself.

"She was the only child of a Scotch and only child of an Englishman who had given up seafaring for merchandising. She was born in Canada, up near Three Rivers, and her father, having all the money he needed to live in modest comfort, decided to fit out a vessel, load her with furs and take his wife and daughter to her old England, after which he would sell ship and cargo and tell no more.

"How it came about no one knows, but it is pretty certain that after the ship had cleared Newfoundland she was blown from her course, and thrown back on the Labrador coast and wrecked. She went down at the entrance to Pinson's bay and not more than a mile from his place.

"What made it worse was the ship went to pieces in the offshore ice. The captain was putting his wife into the long boat when she was swept from his arms and never seen again. After a desperate effort in an awful night to reach shore with his daughter and only four of his crew left out of twenty-three.

"This was in the latter part of September, and already the ice holes were locking up the white shores of Labrador. Captain Chappell in one night had lost his fortune and his wife, and he did not have for his daughter he must have given up the struggle and gone to cruising on the chartless ocean of eternity. But there was still something to live for. All his men he gathered up a great deal of the timber, food and cargo that littered the shore, but and worked till my ship sailed at Pinson's and could not get out of the ice and nearly three weeks after the wreck. In the meantime the captain had built a cabin for himself and daughter in Pinson's den and there they lived. I say I had been looking, as your grandmother ever there will tell you. I remained in Pinson's den two days, and I'll tell you I never saw a more beautiful girl than Cora Chappell. Well, she came with me, and when we reached Newfoundland we were married and she stayed with me, knew heart, in many a voyage after that.

"And so you see you are all princes and princesses, grandson of the Ice Queen."

And the patient old captain leaned back, highly behind her chair, and heading back the still lovely head with her snows of snow, he kissed her.

Tasting Boston.

There has recently been some talk about tasting bachelors in New York state, but I find on looking over some old files of New York papers of the date of 1825 that a bill was actually introduced in Albany in that year to tax all unmarried men of the age of twenty-eight and over.

This bill evidently created a great deal of excitement, and a meeting was held at the old Tontine market house at which 400 bachelors were or less old attended. A great many speeches, some serious and some in a humorous vein, were made and the curious preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It appears by the public papers that a bill has been introduced into the legislature of this state to lay a tax upon bachelors. In what manner the funds are to be applied, whether for the endowment of old maids in some of the tawdry and decayed seminaries, or whether to educate old maids in some of the useful and genteel employments, or whether they may be enabled to get a living without a helpmate, is unknown to us, not having seen said bill or its provisions. But we think it may be the humble opinion of said bill, we conceive it unconstitutional to lay a specific tax upon old bachelors, and calculated to cause much embarrassment to the community, because it will drive from the state many good citizens who prefer a life of celibacy.

Further, it will tend to increase bachelors, inasmuch as when women find they can be entertained in a single state many will prefer that mode of life and refuse all offers of marriage in the married state. It will cause many bachelors to commit their ages, as women do now, and thereby lead them to tell untruths, which otherwise they never would be guilty of. It will cause old maids to be ten times more intolerable than they usually are, by making them indispensable to the fair sex for a livelihood. It will tend to destroy the sympathetic sensibility to meet who, having lost their sweethearts, have made pledges to do penance all their lives by living in a single state. It will lead many men to enter into the holy bonds of wedlock without being guided by that fine whisking and seducing passion, love, and merely because they merely to save the tax, and so it will produce unhappy matches, for marriage cannot be happy without love.

Love is a curious thing, you know—
It makes one fool all over so.

It will excite to a retaliation on the part of bachelors, and cause them to tax old maids, thereby bringing on a civil war between old maids and bachelors, to the entire destruction of the peace of society.

Therefore, be it resolved, That we will use our most earnest exertions to prevent the passage of the before named bill, which we consider unconstitutional and fraught with the most alarming consequences to the peace and happiness of society.

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to draft a memorial to the legislature, praying that the bill may be defeated.

Resolved, That if said bill is laid upon the table and never taken up, that a committee be appointed to memorialize the legislature to that effect.

Resolved, That we consider our bachelor appointed to the state, who like Diogenes, is looking for an honest man.

Jeremiah's fig—the good are very good.

Resolved, That it be recommended to the assembly to pass a statutory law for old maids, and that old bachelors contribute to its support by sending to it their fines to make up and their stockings to darn.

Resolved, That the chairman of this meeting be tendered the market authorities for the use of this building.

It was moved and carried that a committee of five be appointed to be appointed to draft a memorial to the legislature.

It was also moved and carried that the proceedings of this meeting be published for all the papers that will consent to do it without charge.

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The bill was withdrawn, for the bachelors had behind them the power of the ballot, which the maids had not.

The Same Old Story.

Some men have pet stories—stories which they repeat and laugh over as if they were fresh and bright instead of being venerable with antiquity. One of these is told in the Brooklyn Heights club, is a man of this character.

Mr. Bonanza has made a fortune in flour, and nothing delights him so much as to have his friends to dine with him and to chat afterward, unless indeed it might be the hearing of himself hailing that one pet story.

Among his neighbors is Colonel Tipton, of the same club, who really has a genius for saying the right thing at the right time. Perverse as jolly nabob

Was not disposed to be out at night
As her the stomach ache.
—S. W. Foss in Yankee Blade.

The Horse in Ancient Times.

"Fine horse you've got there," said Jones to a Kentuckian riding a beautiful bay thoroughbred.

"Pretty fair hoss," responded the Kentuckian, with affected indifference.

"Thoroughly trained as a saddle horse too, I'll be bound."

"Knows all the motions, he does."

"What do you call him?"

"Thaher."

"Thaher! That's odd. I never heard such a name for a horse before. What do you call him that for?"

"Why, you're right," said Bonanza, "and I can't make it out, for you were dead asleep. Now confess."

"Yes," said the colonel; "I was asleep."

"Then how could you hear the story?"

"Well, I looked at the clock as I woke up and saw it was just half past 10. That's the hour you've been telling that story at ever since I've known you."

ALFRED R. CALHOUN.

How It Was.

"Harry," remarked a Cass avenue wife to her husband, "what is your financial condition, anyhow?"

"It isn't a state at all, my dear," he said, turning his pockets inside out, "it isn't anything more than a territory."—Detroit Free Press.

In the Shadow of His Uncle.

Mr. Hoggard—I see they have invented a watch in which you can't see the works.

Mr. Dougherty—That's nothing. My watch and chain have been invisible ever since last year's races.—Jewelers' Weekly.

AT ADULT BITTER'S.

Hurry your wife before she
Puts on powder and rouge,
Pa's patience, Johnnie and Lee,
Has been worn to the thinness
Of a piece of tissue paper
As deep as he can pile on.
Till mamma begins to fuss an cry.
Pa looks at his watch and says
He hopes one hour an a quarter suffices.
He's not at all particular
And generally everything is correct,
As mamma is particular.
An then we start upon our jaunt.
Down through the fields and commons
To visit our dear, good ol aun's.
Methinks Montgomery.

The tragic events (for thirteen weeks
Is a good deal, it's runnin)
So w'ot it joins down on the ex
We've tried the thing too long.
We wobble here, we wobble there,
Slushy times come a shoutin
"We've split the twins! we've split the twins!
Say, dad, but cut; you've split the twins
The twins has tumbled out!"

We gather up the scattered twins
(As it is usually quite fun),
Then mamma, she takes two safety pins
An fastens the loosened ones.
Then I shout, "we on colors!
Their colors, brown with a cookie,
An I'll be on white an blue, remember"
An Lyd falls out, by Hookey!
Then I just yell in derision,
An Tip runs to wipe it off.
The twins they giggle till we fear
That they will bust with giggles.

An w'en we reach Aunt Hittie's door
We're most all dog, or bust
An she comes out, surrounds us all,
An gathers us all in.
An she hugs pa, bless me,
An cackles, cries an grins,
An squeezes all pa's consequently,
Regardless of the twins.
She feels us all on 'pin an 'pon
Perverse as jolly nabob
Was not disposed to be out at night
An her the stomach ache.
—S. W. Foss in Yankee Blade.

The Death of Paiff's Dog.

"Sing to him, Nicolini, for I am weary over; I fear that he is dying, my prudens, laid herwere.

I cannot sing the songs I used to warble in his My voice is cracked with agony, my heart is filled with fear.

Heel that the grand of death already stands upon his brow;

Sing, Nic, as you do love me, to my hairless Sing pleaded praises Patti as she viewed her hairless pup.

And sat on Gounod was rapidly a doing of him up.

Her famous million dollar voice was twisted by agony.

Her lids were red with weeping and one tear stood in each eye.

She sang her hands in agony, she tore her bounteous hair,

As she sat beside her hairless pet, so naked bald and bare.

Then Nicolini raised his voice and roared a Arbter tune

And sang into that hairless dog as ne'er he'd sung before.

He sang of Annie Rooney and of Mike McFadden's ball,

Of comrades and the picture that is turned to-ward the wall.

He warbled "Just in Love" and many another popular air,

At last he sang the song that goes ta-ra-ra-boom-de-ay.

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A shiver shook the hairless dog, he heaved a long drawn sigh,

Just once he wagged his tail he gasped, and then he closed each little eye.

Then stiffened out each slender leg, likewise his slender tail;

And Patti, noting all these things, walked forth a wailful wail.

But Nicolini sat her wee; he lay still on his bed—

The hairless dog from Mexico was numbered with the dead.

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And Nicolini smiled a smile, sinister, cruel, Then kissed out through his thickest teeth, "There, I have done for him."

—Arthur Lucas in Chicago Herald.

This Date in History—May 13.

1607—Jamestown, Virginia, settled; speaker of Assembly, born in Yorkshire, England, 1580; died in Virginia, March 22, 1624. 1846—Congress declared the nation's natal, Mexico, owing to the benefit of the people. 1862—Charles Watson Wentworth, marquis of Rockingham, died; born 1730. 1865—Ulysses S. Grant, the first President with American-born parents, born at Point Pleasant, Ohio, died July 1, 1885; he repeated the stamp tax and internal revenue offices were established. 1868—The postal Americans tariff act imposed duties on articles on British goods became effective. 1869—Battles at Resaca, Ga., began; Federal, 100,000; Confederate, 70,000; ended May 15; Federal, 2,747; Confederate losses about 1,800. 1869—Battles at Palmito and Tilton, Texas. 1870—Brigham Young and wife appointed to the Deseret Agricultural and Manufacturing Society. 1871—Judge Amasa J. Parker died in Albany, aged 82.

The Little Man.

Old Friend (happening in)—How are you, Pusley? You've got a pretty fine office here. How are you prospering?

Pusley—I'm bit the top of the heap, old fellow; I am the vice president of the tilting exchange.

"You do a large business, I presume?"

"Pretty large, but responsibility of it weighs on me pretty heavily, but I've got to shoulder it. Can't get around that, you know."

"The man at that elegant desk is one of the officers of the company, I suppose?"

"Yes. He's the secretary. And the man at the other two elegant desks near him are his assistants. They do a wonderful amount of work to do. Absolutely astonishing! But he's a first class man. We pay him a big salary."

"The man behind the rosewood railing is another official, is he not?"

"Yes. That's the treasurer. He's another big salary man. They pay him big money; but we make him give heavy bonds. Got to do it, you see. We handle too much money to run any risks."

"And the man who sits behind the old man at the pine desk in the corner?"

"That's old Scobbs. He—h'm—signs the checks, you know."—Chicago Tribune.

The Long and Short of It.

"Isn't that bathing suit a regular work of art?" quoth Miss Clara admiringly, as she held up the article in question.

"Oh, no," responded Jack; "art is long."
—Kate Field's Washington.

Points of Resemblance.

Rivers—You flatter me, Banks. I remind you of Dr. Jekyll, do I?

Banks—Yes. You are so much like Hyde.—Chicago Tribune.

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AN ORDINANCE

For the Assessment of Taxes for the Year 1892.
The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That pursuant to the statutes and ordinances in such case made and provided, there shall be assessed upon the City of Plainfield the sum of eighteen hundred and ninety-two thousand dollars ($1,892,000), for the purpose of Fire, Police, Fire and Sewage and County taxes, and for the payment of interest on the debt of the City of Plainfield, and for the payment of the principal of said debt as the same shall become due, and for the payment of fourteen thousand ($4,000) dollars to be raised by the Board of Education of the City of Plainfield for the support of the city poor, the sum of thirty-five hundred ($3,500) dollars for the maintenance of the Public Library and reading room, the sum of three thousand ($3,000) dollars for the maintenance of a Fire Department to be under the control and government of the City, the sum of ten thousand ($3,000) dollars.

Adopted by the Common Council May 2, 1892.
Approved by the Mayor May 3, 1892.
A. GILBERT, Mayor.
Attest—J. W. RUNYON, City Clerk.
Fees—$2.70.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Dividing the Fourth Ward of the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union, into Election Districts," passed May 4, 1892.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the ordinance entitled as above, which is cited in the title to this ordinance, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2. The first election district shall include all the territory and inhabitants thereof contained in that portion of the Fourth Ward of the City of Plainfield bounded as follows: Beginning at the center line of Fourth street and Grant avenue; thence northwesterly along the center line of Fourth street to the center line of Fourth street bridge over the Green Brook; thence northeasterly along the center line of Fourth street to the center line of Plainfield avenue; to the center line of Grant avenue; thence southwesterly along the center line of Grant avenue to the city line in Green Brook; thence northwesterly along the city line to the westerly line of Somerset street; thence northeasterly along the westerly line of Somerset street to the center line of Somerset street to the center line of Fourth street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Fourth street to the center line of Grant avenue, the point of beginning.

Section 3. That section 3 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3. That the second election district shall include all of the territory and inhabitants contained in that portion of the Fourth Ward of the City of Plainfield bounded as follows: Beginning at the center line of Fourth street and Grant avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Grant avenue to the center line of Plainfield avenue; to the center line of Fourth street bridge over the Green Brook; thence southwesterly along the center line of Fourth street to the center line of Somerset street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Somerset street to the city line in Green Brook; thence northeasterly along the city line to the center line of Fourth street; thence northwesterly along the center line of Fourth street to the point of beginning.

Section 4. That section 4 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 4. That the third election district shall include all of the territory and inhabitants contained in that portion of the Fourth Ward of the City of Plainfield bounded as follows: Beginning at the center line of Fourth street and Grant avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Grant avenue to the center line of Plainfield avenue; thence northwesterly along the center line of Plainfield avenue to the center line of Fourth street bridge over the Green Brook; thence southwesterly along the center line of Fourth street to the center line of Somerset street; thence southeasterly along the center line of Somerset street to the center line of Fourth street; thence northeasterly along the center line of Fourth street to the point of beginning.

Section 5. That all ordinances, or parts of ordinances, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council May 2, 1892.
Approved by the Mayor May 3, 1892.
A. GILBERT, Mayor.
Attest—J. W. RUNYON, City Clerk.
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CAUGHT BURGLARIZING

MR. C. C. COKEFAIR'S RESIDENCE ON CRESCENT AVE. LAST NIGHT.

A Desperate Struggle in the Dark in which the Burglar Wounds Policeman Fredrickson and Himself in Trying to Kill His Captor—The Plunder Recovered Valued at $400.

About two o'clock this morning Private Watchman Giese while patroling his beat noticed a light moving around suspiciously inside the residence of Mr. C. C. Cokefair, at No. 9 Crescent avenue.

Mr. Giese, in speaking of his discovery later said "First I saw a little bit of a light like a dark lantern and went softly in, over the grass, to look. Just as I got there the gas was turned part way up and there stood the burglar looking at an overcoat, I suppose to see whether it was worth taking.

"I could have shot him, but thought it wouldn't do, and then I might miss him, and also he might have confederates, who would get away."

Giese stole away for assistance. Near Broadway he found Policemen Fredrickson and Saunders who are on that beat. Fredrickson is an athletic Dane and weighs 215 lbs., and Saunders is a colored man of good physique.

Blackman Tom Flynn, as he was about going home, noticed the officers moving along, and said, "What's the matter? There is something wrong. Can I help?" "Yes," said Giese, "send a policeman to Cokefair's, 9 Crescent avenue."

Giese wanted all the reinforcements possible for a big fight. He is a son-of Policeman Giese, and, though a little fellow, is as plucky as a bulldog. His good judgement in this matter excites warmest admiration.

When the three officers got to the house they surrounded it, so as to prevent the thief's escape. Saunders watching the front door, the other two the back door.

The thief had managed to get into the house through a parlor window, and then opened the back door so as to have a free road to escape. He had a satchel with him. He left this in the back corner of the yard. It is evident that he had at first studied the surroundings, and in case of alarm would have gone out the back way, over the fence, through into the next back street, while the officers would have been prowling hopelessly in the front of the house.

His plan was to help himself leisurely inside and out to his plunder out into the yard and pack it into the satchel.

He had made several trips, and was inside, coolly getting something to eat, when the house was surrounded.

Policeman Fredrickson stealthily approached the back door.

Just then the door was cautiously opened from within by the thief, who was coming out with more plunder.

Fredrickson quickly braced himself. The door was probably opened a foot when the thief saw the policeman outside and sprang back, attempting at the same time to close the door. Fredrickson proved too quick for him, however, and leaping forward forced his way in. The thief darted into a small room, or pantry at one side.

Inside the house it was as "dark as pitch," but Fredrickson groped and forced his way after the hiding burglar and in the small side room they met and grappled. It looked as if it was to be a fight to the death.

With his right hand Fredrickson caught the man's collar and grasping his left wrist with the other hand attempted to drag him into the kitchen "where he could have some room."

The left ruffian's right hand free, and he slid it into a rear pocket, drew a revolver and aiming it across his body not back so as to shoot the officer through the heart, discharged it.

Fredrickson instantly felt a numb sensation in his left hand, and realizing that he was shot, with tremendous fury buried his prisoner to the floor, going down on top of him. At the same time he called to his associates—Giese and Saunders, who dashed in. They could not hear or see anything.

"Where are you?" called Giese.

"Here," Fredrickson answered.

Saunders was nearest the door and guided by the voice sprang forward. The room within was so small that the policemen's feet were braced against the door, but Saunders got in, and took away the man's pistol. Giese was right after him and the thief was dragged out.

Policeman Giese, after hunting in vain for the means to turn on the electric light, found a match in his pocket and lit the gas.

Then they all examined the prisoner, and Fredrickson looked to his hurt.

In the examination it was found that the bullet which had wounded the officer had struck the thief's left hand, which the policeman held, at the palm and came out at the wrist. It probably struck him first and the policeman afterward as Mr. Fredrickson's wound consists only of a deep flesh wound at the side of his left hand, painful, but, fortunately, not serious.

The family above were then aroused. They must have been enjoying the deepest kind of sleep, "sure chloroformed," as Saunders says.

The thief said to Fredrickson "I did not mean to shoot you, I meant to shoot myself." That was, however, all premeditation.

Fredrickson thought he had plenty of time to do that before they came in.

Then the satchel was found in the rear of the yard. The thief and the satchel were taken to police headquarters, and turned over to Policeman Lynch, who placed the thief in a cell, and examined the satchel, in which the following articles were found: Silver plated spoons, knives, forks, solid silver spoons, knives, forks, some of which had never been used, dessert spoons, fish knives, silver ladles, napkin rings, two overcoats, two umbrellas, all valued at $400.

When Hackman Flynn and Policeman Kieley arrived at Mr. Cokefair's everything was quiet again.

The policeman were satisfied that the fellow they captured had a confederate, and immediately telegrams were sent all along the railroad in both directions, so that he could not escape in this way, and also efforts were made to watch the different roads leading out of the city.

Captain Grant was called by telephone when the prisoner was in the station and arrived soon after.

This morning Justice Nash issued a warrant by which the thief is held. The thief gave his name as John Wingers, Philadelphia. He has a Hebrew cast of countenance, but says he is not a Jew. He seems five feet eight inches high, weight about 180 lbs., muscular, age about 30 years, and wears a full beard. He is very mild looking and would never be suspected by his appearance.

Capt. Grant took the prisoner to Elizabeth on the 11.08 train this morning.

We have photographs of the thief and his captors and will endeavor to have half tone engravings thereof for Monday's News. We were unable to get the photograph in time for to-day's paper.

Capt. Grant started in a hack to Mr. Vandeventer's this morning to have him come and see if any of the articles found in possession of the thieves belonged to him.

Marshal Faughorn believes the man committed the Vandeventer robbery. Policeman McCue says he noticed him around town for several days.

The capture reflects great credit on all concerned.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

[Notice of religious services are published under this head free of charge, but it is necessary that they be furnished before noon of Saturday to insure insertion the same day.]

George H. Fountain will lead to-morrow at the Third street mission.

An interesting meeting may be expected at Mt. Pleasant to-morrow evening.

The workers' training classes will meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow at 9.15 a. m.

The young men's meeting will be held as usual to-morrow at 4.15 p. m. in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. All men are welcome.

Church of the Holy Innocents (Episcopal), Dunellen) Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. Church service at 3.30 p. m. Seats free.

Devotional services of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society every Sunday at Reform Hall at 9.15 a. m., and at 4 p. m.

Monroe Avenue Chapel, Sunday-school at three p. m. Union Epworth League at 6.30 p. m. Preaching by Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes; 8.30 p. m. No evening service. Union men's Bible classes meet. Weekly appointments at eight p. m. as follows: Tuesday, the Bible study; Wednesday, the regular church prayer meeting; Friday, prayer meeting of the Young People's League. Strangers and all others cordially welcome.

Indian May Dance.

The first annual May dance of Manitoua Tribe, Improved Order of Red Men occurred last evening. Mr. John H. Carney, chairman of the General Committee, in a few well chosen remarks bid a hearty welcome to the friends of the tribe.

At the conclusion of the entertainment those present enjoyed a dance. The committee was made up as follows: General Director, Frank P. Storr; Floor Manager, Wm. A. Westphal; Floor Committee, Joseph D. Allen; Committee of Arrangements, J. H. Carney, J. E. Woolcott, J. C. Miles, F. P. Storr, W. A. Westphal, G. H. Carpenter, C. Holtstein and D. C. Allen. The music was furnished by Prof. Conde's orchestra.

Arrested for Embezzlement.

Two men who registered at the City Hotel as Lewis Williams Reynolds of Philadelphia, and F. A. Hoyt of New York, representing themselves as agents for Gately & Co. of New York and Beatty & Fitzgerald of Philadelphia, by whom they were employed soliciting orders for oil paintings portraits and frames, were arrested this morning by a Trenton detective and taken there on warrants charging embezzlement. It appears that they collected money from customers and did not pay it to their employers.

The detective traced them to the hotel. Mr. Beerbower says they showed good references before he gave them rooms.

Struck by the Cars.

Wednesday night a Hungarian named Joseph Dolenky, who lives in the Gravel Pit and is employed on the Central's floating gang, was struck by a backing freight train in the Central yard at Bound Brook. One man ran for stretcher and another for a doctor, and before the physician arrived the injured man was found sitting in the waiting room, smoking a cigarette.

Special Evening Service.

Miss Margerie J. Reeside of Philadelphia speaks to-morrow evening before the Baptist church at Mrs. Rogerino's tea on Friday, will speak at a special evening service at the Congregational church at 7.30 to-morrow. Miss Reeside has been engaged in city mission work in Chicago and is soon to go to a tribe of Indians who have never had the gospel preached to them.

STATE SCHOOL MONEYS

ASSESSED UPON PROPERTY.—DISTRIBUTED PER CAPITA OF SCHOLARS.

State Superintendent Poland's Report of the Amounts to be Received by Each County—When it will be Received.

The following is the report of State Superintendent of Instruction Addison B. Poland regarding the apportionment of State school moneys:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
OFFICE OF STATE SUPERINTENDENT,
TRENTON, MAY 2, 1892.

APPORTIONMENT OF STATE SCHOOL MONEYS.

For the School Year Beginning September 1st, 1892.

Amount of State School Tax $1,161,750 00
Amount of State Appropriation 150,000 00
Number of School Children in the State, according to the school census of 1891 443,100
Amount Appropriated to each Child from State Appropriation 33833

Counties.	Number of Children between the ages of five and eighteen years.	Apportionment of State Tax.	Apportionment of State Appropriation.	Total Apportionment.	Amount Apportioned to Districts Sept. 1, 1891.	Amount Apportioned to Districts March 1, 1892.
Atlantic	6,895	$8,012 50	$23,324 35	$31,336 85	$27,167 17	$4,167 68
Bergen	15,888	18,464 00	53,754 04	72,218 04	62,611 86	9,606 18
Burlington	16,662	19,365 75	56,378 46	75,744 21	65,681 14	10,063 07
Camden	20,000	23,250 00	67,666 66	90,916 66	78,840 64	12,086 02
Cape May	2,000	2,325 00	6,766 66	9,091 66	7,884 06	1,207 60
Cumberland	7,000	8,137 50	23,683 33	31,820 83	27,594 21	4,226 62
Essex	72,000	83,700 00	243,600 00	327,300 00	283,838 00	43,462 00
Gloucester	7,000	8,137 50	23,683 33	31,820 83	27,594 21	4,226 62
Hudson	111,000	129,037 50	375,633 33	504,670 83	437,645 00	67,025 83
Hunterdon	6,000	6,975 00	20,300 00	27,275 00	23,652 63	3,622 37
Mercer	19,000	22,087 50	64,283 33	86,370 83	74,897 00	11,473 83
Middlesex	15,000	17,437 50	50,750 00	68,187 50	59,131 58	9,055 92
Monmouth	19,000	22,087 50	64,283 33	86,370 83	74,897 00	11,473 83
Morris	15,000	17,437 50	50,750 00	68,187 50	59,131 58	9,055 92
Ocean	3,000	3,487 50	10,150 00	13,637 50	11,826 31	1,811 19
Passaic	16,000	18,600 00	54,133 33	72,733 33	63,070 21	9,663 12
Salem	5,000	5,812 50	16,916 66	22,729 16	19,710 52	3,018 64
Somerset	7,000	8,137 50	23,683 33	31,820 83	27,594 21	4,226 62
Sussex	10,000	11,625 00	33,833 33	45,458 33	39,420 84	6,037 49
Union	18,000	20,925 00	60,899 99	81,824 99	70,957 58	10,867 41
Warren	10,000	11,625 00	33,833 33	45,458 33	39,420 84	6,037 49
Total	430,945	$500,900 00	$1,455,249 97	$1,956,149 97	$1,700 00	$300,000 00

ADDISON B. POLAND,
State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The above amounts will be distributed at or about the beginning of the school year, Sept. 1st, next.

The State Board of Education in apportioning the reserve fund apportioned to the counties of Bergen, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Essex, Gloucester, Hudson, Mercer, Middlesex, Morris, Passaic, Union and Warren the full amount of the ten per cent. contributed by those counties to the reserve fund.

It gave to the county of Ocean, in addition to its ten per cent. the sum of $6,000, and to the county of Essex, in addition to its ten per cent. $3,505. To make up this amount of $9,505 given to Ocean and Essex counties the sum of $1,000 was taken from Atlantic; $1,000, from Hunterdon; $200, from Monmouth; $200 from Salem, and $6,415 from Somerset counties.

While these last five counties do not get back the amount of school tax they raise, the amount they receive per child is higher than any of the other counties. The per capita in Atlantic, Salem and Hunterdon counties, is $7, and $7.10 in Somerset.

BREVITIES.

—Mr. C. R. Maltby and family have returned from a trip abroad.

—There is to be a Board of Health formed at Bound Brook next Monday evening.

—There is to be an entertainment at Reform Hall this month for the benefit of Muhlenberg Hospital.

—A coal train was wreck near North Bound early yesterday morning and travel west of Somerville was blocked for several hours.

—Messrs. Bingham and Fulper, the proprietors of the U. T. and C. G. A. (what those initials mean is well known) are men of untiring energy, who have made a success in a surprisingly short time. Their advertisements show careful attention and are always readable.

—The final concert of the Plainfield Choral Society series will be given in Music Hall, Monday evening, May 16th, when Mendelssohn's Oratorio, "St. Paul," will be rendered with full chorus and orchestra from the New York Philharmonic Society. The following soloists will assist: Mrs. Jennie Patrick Walker, soprano; Mrs. Sarah Baron Anderson, contralto; Mr. W. H. Rieger, tenor; Mr. Reese Bosworth, bass.

—A good typewriter is an article that is not, like Simeter articles, bought for a trifle. Like every thing good the buyer has to pay for the excellence. Mr. J. C. Allen advertises a type-writer that is recommended by experts, and as he has a reputation of selling goods at as low a margin of profit as possible, prospective buyers would probably do well to call at his commodious store. If he don't sell you the type-writer—well, he will sell you something else.

Interesting Exercises.

Very interesting exercises were held in Vincent Chapel last evening in connection with the anniversary exercises of the Woman's Home Missionary Society. Rev. I. S. Stone, who is actively engaged with his wife in city missionary work in New York city, gave a very interesting address concerning his work. A most admirable paper was read by Mrs. N. W. Pike, reviewing the work of the auxiliary during the past year.

Local Union Meeting.

On Thursday evening, May 19th, in the First Presbyterian church, a public meeting under the auspices of the eleven societies represented in the Y. P. C. E. of Plainfield, Dunellen and New Market will be held. A good programme has been arranged for the occasion. The music will be conducted by Mr. David Titsworth. The address of the evening will be delivered by the Rev. E. L. Dyott of Newark.

—In 1868 a Russian farmer named Bokaroff conceived the idea of extracting oil from the seed of the sunflower. His neighbors laughed at the wild scheme of his and that he would have his labor for his pains. He persevered, however, and from that humble beginning the industry has expanded to enormous proportions. The crop amounts to 200,000 acres of land in lands devoted to the cultivation of the sunflower. The area devoted to the crop has nearly doubled in five years. Two kinds of sunflowers are grown, one with small seeds which are crushed for oil and the other with large seeds that are consumed by the common people in enormous quantities, very much as people eat peanuts in the United States.

THE GRAND JURY IN.

TWENTY-FOUR INDICTMENTS PRESENTED TO COURT.

The Central Railroad Company Prosecuted for Neglecting to Protect Schiller Street, Elizabeth.

The grand jurors have finished their work for the term. They entered the court room at 12 o'clock yesterday. Sheriff Hicks preceded the line as the jurors marched in. Judge Van Syckel was engaged charging the jury in the case of Maher vs. McGrath, and the members of the grand inquest were obliged to take seats until he had finished.

Foreman Marrine held a batch of bills in his hand, and when the petitioners had retired for their deliberations the grand jurors rose.

Mr. Marrine reported that they had found some bills to present to the court, and handed the bills he held in his hand to County Clerk Crowell, who transmitted them to the court. There were in all twenty-four indictments, and one presentment.

The court asked if the jurors had finished their labors, and Mr. Marrine answered in the affirmative.

Prosecutor Marsh said he knew of no reason why they should not be discharged, and Judge Van Syckel dismissed the grand jurors for the term, thanking them for their faithful attention to public duty.

The presentment is against the Central Railroad Company for failing to operate the safety gates at the Schiller street crossing, Elizabeth. To sustain this dangerous crossing has been unprotected and the matter has repeatedly been brought to the attention of the City Council.

The company in reply alleged that there was a tree which prevented the lowering of the gates, and that the owner of the property refused them permission to cut it down.

Councilman Hurley waged war against the company and finally had a resolution passed asking Prosecutor Marsh to lay the negligence before the Grand Jury. This was done by Mr. Marsh, and the presentment is the result.

The presentment is as follows:

The Grand Jurors of the State of New Jersey, in and for the body of the county of Union.

Present, That it hath come to the knowledge of this Grand Jury during its session for the May term, 1892, that the main line of the Central Railroad of New Jersey at Schiller street in the city of Elizabeth, is a dangerously guarded by the said Railroad Company, and that in consequence thereof the lives of many citizens of the said city, who are obliged to cross said track at that point are continually in danger; it his further come to the knowledge of this Grand Jury that said railroad company has caused to be erected and is now standing gates of the best down at the approach of trains, yet the said company for some unknown reason, refuses to keep the same out cause the same to be operated.

We therefore present the said company, in that it does not keep the gates in duly in not placing a flagman or gateman at said crossing, and we call upon said company to remedy the evil by having the sitting of the next Grand Jury of this county.

JAMES S. MARRINE,
Foreman.

—The highest priced newspaper in the world is the Macdonnell Herald and Sinclair Times, printed at Fort Saskatchewan, Macdonnell. Its cost is $3,000 per issue, and it consists of a sheet of foolscap, and is issued daily. The printing is done by hand, a telegraphic type printing machine evidently not yet having penetrated into the interesting region of North Africa. The Herald announces the arrival of the telegraph at Fort Macdonnell in the following terms: "For years we have been wholly occupied by savage peoples, is now within six hour of Lone Tree Creek, a telegraphic station. In the absence of any banking facilities, and says the community is over-supplied with current coin when a dollar will settle nicely suitable work—some work at any sort."

ENERGY ebbs and flows. Nature points out the proper resting time when she makes men hungry. She also indicates the proper food for sustaining strength. At breakfast it should be H-O.

DEATHS.

RANDOLPH—On Friday 13th inst., Isabella Wilson Randolph, wife of Joseph Randolph, in the 74th year of her age. Funeral Sunday 15th inst., at 2.30 p. m., at the residence of her son, 69 Hodgman street. Interment private.

SMITH—Died at Greenbrook, May 12th, Persis M., wife of James M. C. Smith, aged 57 years, 7 months, 17 days. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Wm. Drake, on Monday afternoon May 16th, at 2.30 o'clock.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

"Never buy stocks except for the dividends they pay," says an old and successful financier.

Heaven save us! The witty personal paragrapher of a leading eastern daily remarks that F. Marion Crawford hits the truth square when "she" remarks that women are like religion—they must be taken on faith or not at all. The disasters that sometimes result from taking things on faith are admirably exemplified in this paragraph, which speaks of Francis Marion Crawford, that model husband and illustrious gentleman, who is the author of "Mr. Isaacs" and other famous looks, as "she."

Gentlemen, here is hope for you all. Thomas Jefferson Coolidge, at least, that is, T. Jefferson Coolidge, the new minister to France, is sixty years old, yet is noted for being "one of the handsomest men in Boston," that city of handsome men. If one man can be battered about for sixty years in this wicked world and still be handsome, then other men can be. But it would make old Thomas Jefferson turn over in his grave to know that his grand nephew is minister to France under a Republican administration.

We are informed that "one of the most advanced adepts of the Circle of Theosophists," with a large C and T, was cremated at Los Angeles—that is to say, his dead body was. But wherefore this? We have been instructed that advanced adepts in theosophy never died, but that they grew beautiful and more superhumanly powerful from age to age and just lived on. But here now one has up and died who did not even live out one age. Will some of the sacred guardians of the inside corner cupboard of the divine wisdom rise and explain?

Whitechapel.

There is no stranger sight than Toynbee hall, established in that most notorious district of London, Whitechapel. If you picture to yourself fifteen to twenty of the best scholars and most cultivated gentlemen in Great Britain—young men full of life, hope and ambition, men with a taste for all that is dainty and clean and refined—suddenly throwing all this over and going down to live with the people in the slums—leading a life, except for cleanliness and purity, just like the slum people, for the purpose of lifting them out of sin, darkness and dirt, then you will know what the Cambridge university settlement in Whitechapel, London, is like.

These magnificent young university men have taken no vows, made no parade. Their first effort is to convince the slum people that they do not think themselves any better than those whom they have chosen to live among. Many of these gentlemen are poor and work for their living during the day. At night they teach scientific or literary classes and give lectures. Other lecturers are invited and it is said that the most distinguished writers and speakers in England are heard nowhere oftener than in Whitechapel.

As to what they have done, they have gained perfectly the confidence of the people among whom they have cast their lot. They have established a library and clubs of various kinds. They have done incalculable good in showing the people how to lead a happier, cleaner life. One of the university graduates is president of the London Dock Laborers' union. These university settlements will prove one of the brightest stars in the crown of the Nineteenth century. There is hope for the world in them.

Prospects of Aerial Travel.

Professor S. P. Langley, secretary of the Smithsonian institution, has always believed that in time mankind would travel through air as surely as they now travel over land and water. He seems most certain of it these days, judging from a brief paper in The Cosmopolitan. Indeed, he announces to us a new field of mechanics—that of "aerodromics"—a running on the air. In this field the engineer and the physicist of the immediate future will exploit themselves, just as they do now in the field of electrical achievement.

But the problem, Professor Langley considers, has already been solved. It is the construction of a machine which will support itself in the air like one of the great, motionless, soaring birds such as the vultures and the turkey buzzard. Machines to do this have already been invented. They take advantage of the well known inertia of the air, that is of its indisposition to be suddenly displaced," as a starting principle. To these soon were constructed great kitelike supporting planes, set at a proper angle. The machine thus built can support itself as well as the skater upon ice or the bicycle rider, if only the inventor shall appear who will teach us how to guide the thing. That is the other half of the problem. Professor Langley writes:

> Once more, then for we cannot be too clear or too emphatic about this, it has been demonstrated that machines, even if they are built of the heavier metals, such as steel, can be sustained in the air with an expenditure of power certainly within our ability to command, and at a great speed, if they are guided rightly. What has not been demonstrated, is that we can guide such machines aright in the lawless turbulent path, and that we can descend with safety in them; and this is the next thing to do.

GORMAN FOR THE NAVY.

The Maryland Senator Favors Continuing the Work.

CANNOT REDUCE EXPENDITURES

Mr. Gorman Declares Senators Must Complete Undertakings Begun by the Republicans and That It Is Impossible to Cut Down Expenses at Present.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—The proceedings of the senate were marked by emphatic utterances of warning from Senators Cockrell and Sherman on extravagance of appropriations and notable speeches by Mr. Gorman and others on the proposed amendments to the naval appropriation bill for the continuance of the work of reconstructing the navy. Mr. Gorman plainly stated that the expenditures to which congress was committed would exceed the revenue for the next two years and make necessary increase of taxation, and that the Democrats in congress were powerless to prevent it.

The river and harbor bill was reported. When the bill came from the house it carried appropriations aggregating $21,346,976. The senate committee increased items in the bill by $1,981,148 and reduced other items by $638,000, leaving the net increase of the bill as reported from the senate committee over the amount of the bill as it passed the house $1,323,143, and the aggregate of appropriations carried by the bill $24,670,118.

The River and Harbor Bill.

The senate committee made the following among other increases over the house bill:

Maine—Camden, $6,000; Portland, $10,000.
Mount Desert, $30,000; Kennebec, $40,000; Penobscot, $15,000.
Massachusetts—Salem, $4,000; Scituate (new), $10,000; Ringston (new), $10,000 Mystic and Malden river, $6,000.
Rhode Island—Block island, $9,000; Newport, $15,000.
Connecticut—Duck island, $6,000; Cornish $7,000; Thames, $10,000; Mystic, $5,000; Bantasnick (new), $7,000.
New York—Jamaica bay (new), $9,486.
Delaware—Delaware breakwater, $50,000
Chincotteague (new), $25,000.
New Jersey—Passaic, $10,000.
Pennsylvania—Schuylkill, $16,250; survey Lake Erie and Ohio canal (new), $10,000; appraisement of Monongahela (new), $5,000.
Maryland—Patapsco (new), $26,000; Warwick (new), $6,000; La Trappe, $2,500.

Items in the house bill were decreased by the following amounts:

Buffalo, $15,000; Raritan bay, N. J., $20,000; Charleston, $100,000; Savannah, $125,000; Mobile, $100,000; Petoskey, Mich., $30,000; Hudson river, $50,000; Harlem river, $50,000, and $275,000 at other places.

Senator Frye's report accompanying the bill defends the policy of federal appropriations for river and harbor improvements.

Gorman Wants a Navy.

During a discussion over proposed increases in the navy, Senator Gorman said the appropriations for the navy, both under the last administration and this, had never been treated as a party matter. In the last four congresses they had grown from $21,200,000 to $25,727,000, and had aggregated nearly $90,000,000. If these appropriations were now stopped there would be danger of paralyzing these great industries. The increase recommended by the committee was about $11,000,000, to be *expended over* a period of years.

It would enable the great factories and forges to go on and complete their machinery. He recognized the fact that the financial problem was a serious one, but he knew of no great item that could be reduced by this congress, so that when it was charged that we now appropriate $300,000,000 the perfect answer was that the laws already passed made them a necessity or else we must stop the great works of the government. "For one," he continued, "I am not prepared, until we shall have a navy such as this country ought to have, to allow economy to prevent me from voting for a proper appropriation to create a navy of which the whole American country will be proud, by which Mr. Gorman warmly took exception. He said the Democrats could not change expenditures. "The Republican party," he said, "has long been *in power with every branch* of the government at its control. That party has fixed our expenditures at a high rate, as I think. But they are fixed and cannot be repealed. We are not responsible for what goes on today.

"The senator from New Jersey does great injustice to me and to the party when he intimates that we can do better; when the fact is that we cannot do better. The senator from New Jersey would not increase taxation. How can he help it? Your revenues are $450,000,000, your expenditures will be $500,000,000 or more. The treasury is to be watched from day to day but for the fact that they have taken a fund which under another administration was set apart for the redemption of the national bank notes, and they have also taken the sinking fund, which has disappeared as the surplus has disappeared. When congress and the senate pass acts that we would reduce expenditures $150,000,000, the senator from Missouri (Mr. Cockrell), with foresight that did honor to him, published a statement showing how we could not possibly do so. The expenditures of the government are growing year by year.

"The senator from Mississippi (Mr. George) asks me whether they are justly growing. I believe to a great extent they are." Mr. Gorman read statistics to show the progressive increase of expenditures. He concluded by saying that it was best to tell the facts to the people. The Democratic party was powerless to reduce expenditures and powerless to exchange unjust taxation until the people made a change of government.

During the debate Mr. Hale stated that twenty-four ships were now under contract at a total cost of $35,000,000, from $20,000,000 to $25,000,000 of which remained to be appropriated for. The public would have to be appropriated in 1893 and 1894.

Mr. Mills (Tex.) said it was "a condition, not a theory that confronted us." The country was bankrupt. Without a word of protest from any one the sinking fund had been stopped and preparations had been entered upon for perpetuating the national debt and making the annual interest a fixed charge. He strongly denounced this course and advocated making no more appropriations until the expenditures were brought within the limit of the revenues.

She Swallowed Paris Green.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Mrs. Minnie Bohlen, the wife of a Methodist minister of this city, attempted to commit suicide last night by swallowing paris green. Domestic troubles were the cause.

BIG RIVERS ON THE RAMPAGE.

The Mississippi, Missouri and Other Streams Causing Great Damage.

VICKSBURG, Miss., May 14.—The Louisiana legislature has appropriated $50,000 among the Fifth Louisiana levee districts, and the police jury of Madison parish appropriated $2,000 for the same fund. The district was out of funds and the levee work is highly critical at this time. 200 miles at levees. The levees from Helena, Ark., to the gulf are now watched night and day. While all are hopeful, no one doubts that a single severe storm would result in crevasses and widespread disaster.

Missouri and Kansas Flooded.

KANSAS CITY, May 14.—From the Kansas river country come reports of high water, and in that region it is higher than it has been for twelve years, and is going higher. The Union Pacific bridge at Merryille and Roseville, Kas., are said to be in danger and may go down at any minute. At Lawrence, Kas., another town will be inundated. The Kansas river is now running under the Union Pacific track, and men are at work along the line trying to strengthen the tracks. At Fort Scott the Missouri is out of its banks and all the low farms are under water.

Rain Falling, Rivers Rising.

TOPEKA, Kan., May 14.—It is raining again in Kansas. The Republican river at Junction City is five miles wide and the Big Blue at Manhattan is over its banks. The Kansas river at Topeka is now over its banks and still rising. Reports from the west say that a ten-foot rise may yet be expected. If this is true, the worst disasters are all that way, the three bridges that span the river at this point are all dropped. The water has already done great damage here, flooding houses, wareroom, mills, factories, etc.

A Big Levee Breaks.

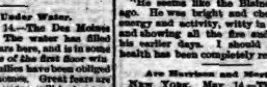
ALTON, Ills., May 14.—The Mississippi is still rising. A mile of the main track of the St. Louis, Alton and Springfield railway is under water and traffic is entirely suspended. The plants of the Sparks Milling company and the Illinois Glass works have been flooded, throwing 800 men out of employment. One of the largest levees protecting St. Charles county gave way, flooding 1,000 acres of wheat.

Rising Two Inches an Hour.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 14.—The Missouri *is rising two inches an hour*, and has already spread over the Calloway bottoms, flooding many farms and driving hundreds from their homes. The worst is yet to come. The Osage is over its banks; the Gasconade is running over for miles back, and the Moreau is flooding the bottoms. The rivers are now all within a few inches of the disastrous floods of 1883, and the indications are that in a few days it will be exceeded.

Des Moines Under Water.

DES MOINES, May 14.—The Des Moines river is still rising. The water has filled two-thirds of the cellars here, and is in some of the houses in the first floor. Many of the old sections floods of 1883, and the indications are that in a few days it will be exceeded.



New Styles in Shoes.

Fig. 1 in the accompanying cut illustrates a walking shoe that, with many ladies, will supplant the walking boot throughout the summer. It comes in dressed kid, also in patent leather. For country and seaside this shoe is also made in nut brown calf.

The *La Marquise* shoe shown at *Fig. 2* is made in dressed kid with jet embroidered toes and vamp lining, or in brown kid with bronze beading in place of the jet embroidery. Fig. 3 shows the *Langtry* shoe, which this season is made both in patent leather and in dressed kid. Fig. 4 represents a

FASHIONABLE SHOES.

black satin shoe ornamented with cut steel points, each riveted; it is known as the Stella shoe. The Court shoe shown at Fig. 5 is usually made in satin, but will like the Walking boots come with facings and with buttons. Black evening shoes have stars of steel beads studded all over them. Black and brown leather vamps are set in a lace pattern on the toe, and show gold or silver leather beneath. Some smart patent leather shoes for KIDS have large oval jet buckles as the bane of the black notes, and the sinking fall dress shoes are of brocade or silk.

Murderer Cheevers Swings.

WAYCROSS, Ga., May 14.—Elijah Cheevers, the murderer of Deputy Sheriff Culpepper, paid the penalty of his crime on the gallows yesterday afternoon. When placed on the gallows, the prisoner inspected the rude pine box and made complaint that a coffin had not been provided for him. He mounted the steps, singing, "My Mother, Don't You Grieve After Me," and persisted in repeating that one drop fell at 12:37. He was pronounced dead at 12:52.

He Clubbed His Patient.

BERLIN, May 14.—Dr. Wiederhold, director of the hospital for nervous diseases at Cassel, was sentenced to imprisonment for three months on the charge of having violently maltreated the wife of Consul Schumacher, a patient in the hospital, having struck her with a stick while she was suffering from hysteria, but said it was the best form of treatment for her hysterical delusions.

Cleveland Will Not Attend.

CHICAGO, May 14.—Grover Cleveland's response to the invitation sent to him and Mrs. Cleveland to be present at the dedication has arrived. He thanks the Woman's fair people for the invitation, but regrets to say that he fears Mrs. Cleveland's and his engagements are such for October that they will be unable to attend.

Sample Wants Very Ill.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 14.—A telegram from C. H. Vance, son of Senator Vance, summoning a physician to the bedside of his father at his country home, Gombroon, has caused much anxiety. Senator Vance has been at Gombroon for several weeks under the advice of his physician.

THE POLITICAL WORLD.

Dickinson Says New York Will Support Cleveland.

ABE HARRISON AND MORTON OUT

Report That the Alleged Anti-Administration Movement in the Empire State Has Caused a Coldness to Come Between the President and Vice President.

CHICAGO, May 14.—Don M. Dickinson, of Michigan, is stopping at the Richelieu. In conversation he declared that New York's ballot would be cast for Cleveland, and that the ex-president would be nominated on the first ballot. "The New York situation has been greatly exaggerated," said he, "and there is no quarrel there. Tammany is not fighting, and will not fight Grover Cleveland.

"When the time comes you will find the New York delegation supporting Mr. Cleveland." Mr. Dickinson declined to answer the question whether he had met any of the New York leaders, but his manner indicated that such a conference had taken place. The inference is that the New York row has been patched up.

Sherman Stock Took a Boom.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Sherman presidential stock took a boom in the circulation of a report that the senators and representatives from Colorado, Nevada, Montana and Idaho had appointed a deputation to wait upon Senator Sherman and ask him whether in the event of his nomination and election to the presidency he would vote a free silver bill if brought before him for signature. The story was denied, however, by all the senators from these states. Senator Teller said it was all nonsense to talk of the silver men uniting on Sherman. They are for silver men. "We want," he said, "a president who will not veto a silver bill if congress passes one. I believe that the Republican people will unite and defeat Harrison in the convention. He has not and will not have a majority of the delegates."

For Blaine and Rusk.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—The anti-Harrison issue seem very well pleased with the developments in the struggle over the Republican nomination. They express absolute confidence in private that Mr. Blaine will not be the nominee, and that the ticket will be Blaine and Rusk. Publicly they talk about every other possible candidate. Congressman Flick, of New York, who made a business call on Mr. Blaine, said to a correspondent that he was astonished to find how well the secretary seemed to be. He said:

"It is like the Blaine of ten years ago. He was bright and cheerful, full of energy and activity, witty in conversation, and showing all the fire and quickness of his earlier days. I should say that his health has been completely restored."

Abe Harrison and Morton Out?

NEW YORK, May 14.—The Sun says. "During the past few days there has been an interesting piece of political gossip floating about in Washington regarding the alleged strained relations between President Harrison and Vice President Morton. The anti-administration government which first manifested itself in New York excited the president's surprise and he began to institute inquiries as to the amount of work which Mr. Morton had done. Then he learned the truth and since then he has had little to do with the vice president. It is this state of affairs that has led to the talk of Whitelaw Reid as the presidential candidate on the Republican ticket."

Benedict to Pay the Bill.

NEW HAVEN, May 14.—A. C. Benedict, of Greenwich, the New York banker, a friend of ex-President Cleveland, and a prominent Democrat, volunteered on Tuesday to defray the additional expense incurred upon the Democrats in the Phelan case warrants case. The matter was being discussed by the Democratic leaders caucus, when Mr. Benedict asked how much money would be required. The amount was named, and he at once sat down and drew his check. He is the delegate at large to Chicago from the Fourth congressional district.

Gaskill for Congress.

TRENTON, May 14.—Joseph H. Gaskill, of Burlington, president of the Republican state league, will announce himself in The State Gazette as a candidate for the nomination for congress in the Second district. He has been centered upon by the Republican leaders, and their selection of him makes certain the withdrawal of Judge Buchanan, who has represented the district four terms. As the district is strongly Republican, Gaskill's election is sure to follow his nomination.

The Campbell Boom.

CLEVELAND, May 14.—Bernh Wilkins, one of the proprietors of the Washington Post, in an interview here, says: "My choice for the Democratic candidate is Campbell, and I believe he will be nominated. Campbell Democrats can't hope to win with either Cleveland or Hill, and Boies of Iowa is not in it at all. He has only been a Democrat since the state went to Cleveland in 1884, and may not be able to carry Ohio, but he could carry New York."

The People's Party Convention.

OMAHA, May 14.—The national executive committee of the People's party decided to call the convention for July 2. A temporary organization will be effected that day so the nominations can be made on July 4.

Six Democrats Chosen.

PROVIDENCE, May 14.—The fifth attempt to elect the seven representatives to the general assembly who failed of an election at previous trials resulted in the choice of six—all Democrats—by majorities of 55 to 100. It will require another election to choose the remaining representative.

Wanted Revenge and Got Shot.

WARREN, Pa., May 14.—At Garfield Chapel Livingstone was sent to the Western penitentiary on a charge preferred by Robert Raver. Harrington swore vengeance on Raver, and when released went to Raver's house and with a stick drove the dog from the door. Raver shot Harrington dead when the latter shot him dead. Raver is under arrest.

Dr. Keeley to Lecture.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., May 14.—Two hundred residents of White Plains will attend the entertainments are said for October that they will be unable to attend.

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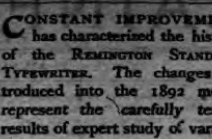
Eloped with a Hideous Celestial.

BROOKLYN, May 14.—Grace French, aged eighteen years, of Asbury park, has eloped with a Chinaman named Edward W. Lee. His friends say he has a wife in China. Lee was Grace's pupil in Sunday school.



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BURSTING OF A BIG WATERSPOUT.

The Threatening Cloud Sweeps Down in the Form of a Giant Cone, Suddenly Bursts and Floods the Mines in Which the Men Are at Work.

VIENNA, May 14.—Dispatches from Fuenf-Kirchen, in Hungary, say that a waterspout burst over the mines near the city and flooded them, and that between eighty and a hundred miners, if not more, have been drowned. An hour before the waterspout burst the wind drove up over the mountains near Peecsvarad a huge mass of clouds at first yellowish gray, but quickly deepening to dead black. The clouds were whirled along until over the mountains skirting the coal fields they had assumed the form of an enormous cone. The men at the mouth of the pits ceased work and two gangs of men from the pit nearest the mountain became alarmed and refused to descend. They started for their homes to wait for the storm to blow over. Suddenly the wind shifted to the north, the darkness increased and the cone was swept directly over the collieries.

The Great Cone Bursts.

A moment later the great cone burst and the water came down in a deluge, sweeping the men from their feet, wrecking the shanties and pouring in floods down the shafts. Large buildings were swept from their foundations, the roofs were crushed in, and furniture and tools were carried through shattered doors and windows by the wind and water. Several men standing at the pit entrances disappeared in the first rush of the flood, and are supposed to have been carried down the shaft with the water and wreckage.

In the mines the full force of men were at work. The total number is said to approximate 300 to 400. They had absolutely no warning of the coming disaster as the men on the surface had refused to descend after the water spout began forming. The lower galleries in several mines are said to have been completely flooded although the water did not rise to the upper galleries. In one pit there are fifteen dead; in another, seven; in another, nine.

The Work of Rescue.

The volume of water broke with a rushing report that alarmed the whole city and within thirty minutes thousands of men and women were hurrying out to the scene of destruction. Volunteers were called for at all the pits and men from the night shifts were sent down the shafts, which had been left reasonably safe, to rescue their comrades. The first descent was made in the mine where about fifteen men were at work on the lowest level.

The men in the upper galleries were found uninjured and were carried to the top. Nobody in the lowest gallery was alive to tell the story of the disaster. The mine was flooded at that level and several bodies were found floating in the water and were sent up. No more can be done before the pumping out of the mine. It is reported that the number of the dead in this mine may reach twenty. Other mines shared the same fate and nearly every man at work was drowned.

Women Waiting for Their Dead.

The whole mining colony is in the fields awaiting the results of the work of rescue. Women are sleeping with their children on the wet ground, intent upon getting the first news as to the fate of their husbands and brothers. The authorities of Fuenfkirchen have sent food and food and fuel fires have been built near the shaft entrances. An imperial courier has been dispatched to Fuenfkirchen with the emperor's contribution for the relief of the most pressing wants of the stricken families. This contribution is said to be 3,000 gulden, and a promise of more in case the progress of the work of rescue reveals greater loss of life.

The Behring Sea Arbitration.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—President Harrison and Secretary Blaine have agreed upon Justice Harlan of the supreme court and Senator John J. Morgan as the arbitrators for the United States in the Behring sea matter. The board of arbitrators will not meet in Paris before next winter. In the meantime the preparation of the case for use before the board will proceed under the direction of General J. W. Foster. It is probable that a conclusion may be expected in about a year from now.

No Bonding Indictments.

CHICAGO, May 14.—The federal grand jury has ended its labors, but has returned no indictment against any one connected with the alleged coal trust. Several witnesses were examined, but they knew little or nothing, and District Attorney Milchrist is convinced that any investigation of the Reading combine will have to be begun at the New York end.

It Was a Great Day for Thirteen.

CINCINNATI, May 14.—The graduating class of Mount Auburn seminary, thirteen in number, gave a banquet in parlor 13 at the Grand hotel. Thirteen courses were served, and each young lady raised an umbrella as she left the parlor. The only Friday of the year on the 13th of the month had been selected for the class banquet.

Etienne Deschamps Hanged.

NEW ORLEANS, May 14.—Etienne Deschamps was hanged in the jail here at 1:30 o'clock. Deschamps was a quack doctor, sixty-one years old. He became acquainted with Juliette Dietsch, aged twelve years, and accomplished her ruin. Becoming tired of his victim, he killed her.

Camden's Mayor Arrested.

CAMDEN, May 14.—Mayor Westcott was arrested upon a warrant issued by Police Justice Paul, charging him with arrest and false imprisonment. The arrest is the outcome of a political fight.

De Costa versus Parkhurst.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Rev. Dr. B. F. De Costa defines his position on the Parkhurst crusade and says he did not mean in his recent letter that Dr. Parkhurst was worse than Hattie Adams.

He Had Sixty Wives.

BOSTON, May 14.—James Taylor, the much married man, was sentenced to state prison for three years. This is the man who is reputed to have sixty wives in different parts of the country.

Sent Her Poison in a Ham.

SACO, Me., May 14.—Living L. Hill, a Boston provision dealer, charged with attempting to poison his wife, who lives in Saco, by sending her poisoned ham, was given a hearing.

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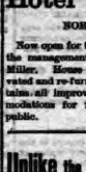

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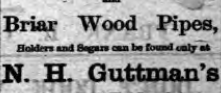

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THE GUITAR.

Old Guitars Have a Peculiar Value Which These Alone Imparts.

Favorite among instruments from an early date, the guitar has ever held its own. Its sweet, soft melody gives just the aid needed by the voice as accompaniment to ballad or love song, and the ease with which the rudiments of the art are learned gives it an extra charm. Those who are fortunate enough to possess an heirloom in the shape of an old guitar, which may perhaps have been lying for some years neglected in some damp cupboard or lumber garret, will do well to unearth the treasure and send it to a skilled musical instrument maker to be repaired and set in order, when probably its appraised value will surprise the fortunate owner. Like old violins, old guitars have a mellowness of tone that science fails to impart, and which the softening hand of time alone can produce, by seasoning the wood beyond any chance of flaw or warping. The varnish, too, has settled down, and the case with which the rudiments of the art are learned gives it an extra charm. Those who are fortunate enough to possess an heirloom in the shape of an old guitar, which may perhaps have been lying for some years neglected in some damp cupboard or lumber garret, will do well to unearth the treasure and send it to a skilled musical instrument maker to be repaired and set in order, when probably its appraised value will surprise the fortunate owner. Like old violins, old guitars have a mellowness of tone that science fails to impart, and which the softening hand of time alone can produce, by seasoning the wood beyond any chance of flaw or warping. The varnish, too, has settled down, and the various parts have, so to speak, grown into each other. As the beginning of this century more pleasing leather learned the guitar, and in those days cheap musical instruments were not in demand; therefore there was no supply of them, and old guitars must consequently be good. The best instruments were of foreign manufacture, the Italian or Spanish ranking highest. Each guitar bore inside its maker's name as a stamp of its genuineness. They varied a good deal in minute particulars; but all the best are seen at a glance by noting how little space there is between the finger board and the strings. The size of body does not actually determine the quality of the tone, nor is the shape of any importance.

The guitar is the easiest instruments to learn after its preliminary intricacies are mastered. These consist solely in an easy position of the performer and of hand and fingers, which ought to lie over the strings without any ungraceful contraction or effort. The three stray fingers are also strings, are struck by the thumb, while the other three have a finger each appropriated to them. The left hand manipulation is the same as for the violin. banjo or any similar instruments.

Where Whetstones Come From.

A deposit made in a very early geological period in the old river bed near Ratisbon, Germany, furnishes the stone from which is made the German razor hone, preferred by barbers over all others for sharpening razors. This deposit varied in color, being white in some places and blue in others. Both afterward hardened into stone, and the white layers, being much the best, are the material chosen, the blue stone being used only for the base of brick of the hone. For sharpening other keen edged tools, the snow white "novaculite" or "altered schist" of Arkansas is preferred to any other stone, and is chiefly obtained from a single hill in that state, which supplies not only the American market, but also a considerable demand. The long spike or "steel," as it is called, which housekeepers use for sharpening kitchen and carving knives, may be of either the dark gray "Lebanon stone" of Cortland county, N. Y., or another gray sandstone called "Hindostan stone," which comes from Orange county, Ind. Of foreign whetstones one of the best is the Belgian "Turkey" oil stone, resembles the novaculite of Arkansas; another, a fine grained schist known as the "Water of Ayr," which is much prized in Scotland by surgeons and stonemasons for rubbing down the surface of other stones. The grindstone used in this country comes mostly from Ohio and Nova Scotia, the latter variety being preferred, especially for scythes. Of foreign grindstones the main supply is from Belgium, says The Industrial World, authority for the foregoing statements.

The Robin's Song.

A writer in Nature Notes protests against the foolish notion sometimes entertained that the robin has only two songs. He says: "I must protest against the notion that the robin has only two songs. It has a very limited action on the part of one, and then I have suspected a singing lesson. For birds require to be taught almost everything, from their first feeding; for though a young bird is of course easily startled, it does not seem to fear one till it has seen that other birds fly away. At first it looks very much after dams. I had a good opportunity once of watching the education of a young chaffinch that was nearly brought up on my wall provided with food. I noticed that among other things that birds are good up before they can swallow without choking. One day the mother bird was feeding a very young, robin on a bush in the garden, the bird's attention being wholly occupied, when a hedge sparrow suddenly piped up close by. It lived quite a long moment the robin turned to it and began to make a curious little shackling noise in its throat, with much excitement and strong endeavor. It was obviously a first attempt at singing."

Capacity of English Theaters.

The Dramatic Year gives some very interesting figures concerning the seating capacity of the more important London theaters:

Adelphi, 2,000 persons; Avenue, 1,105 Comedy, 1,250; Criterion, 820; Drury Lane, 3,840; Gaiety, 1,265; Garrick, 1,366; Globe, 1,192; Haymarket, 1,200; Lyceum, 1,509 Lyric, 1,359; New Olympic, 2,022; New Royalty, 820; Opera Comique, 800; Prince of Wales', 1,389; Royal English Opera, 2,300 Royal Princess, 1,600; St. James', 1,100 Savoy, 1,150; Shaftesbury, 1,450; Strand 1,068; Terry's, 1,000; Toole's, 800, and Vaudeville, 1,056. The largest theaters, of course, Drury Lane; while the two smallest appear to be the Criterion and Terry's. The Royal English Opera House is the most money after which comes the Lyceum.

The Oldest Bank Note.

According to Notes and Queries, among the curiosities obtained by the British museum there is none so interesting as a Chinese bank note of the Ming dynasty about 1368. No earlier example is known to be extant. It is, however, a comparatively modern specimen for China, although it was not till 200 years after its issue that bank notes were used in Europe.

ELECTRICAL SAUCEPAN, KETTLE AND FLATIRON.

ELECTRICAL COOKING.

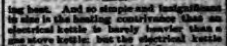
A New Step in Domestic Economics—The Idea and Its Embodiments.

Among the many novelties at England's Crystal Palace electrical exhibition is a stove intended to demonstrate that cooking by electricity is within easy reach of practical facility. A striking feature in the simplicity of the appliances. A visitor to this exhibition says: "With electrical cooking each saucepan or kettle or frying pan contains within itself the means of imparting heat. And so simple and instantaneous is the process that even an ordinary tea pot on an electrical kettle is barely heavier than a gas stove kettle; but the electrical kettle will boil away on a polished floor or on an inflammable table.

Ventilation.

The idea is the utilization of the fact that the electric current in passing through a thin wire or ribbon of platinum, which is provided always that the current is sufficiently powerful and that the wire offers sufficient resistance. This fact is the basis of the electric lamp, in which a thin ribbon of platinum or of carbon is heated to incandescence. To get heat without light is, however, the object of the electrical cook.

"You see there attempts to secure heat in a convenient form without light were made with platinum wires. And in many ways platinum is an ideal metal for the purpose, as it offers a great resistance to electricity, and it does not oxidize. You may heat it up to a red glow as often as you like and it will never rust or burn away. But plati-



CEMENT FACE WITH COATED WIRES.

num is of expensive—not expensive that only millionaires could afford to use it in their household utensils. Other cheaper metals there are in plenty, that from an electrical point of view are almost as good as platinum, or perhaps even better, but they corrode when heated in the open air.

"This difficulty has been got over by coating one of these cheaper metals with a special varnish or cement that protects it from the air, but yet allows the metal to expand freely when heated by the passage of the electric current. Silver foils thus coated best to be realized from the rough sketch of a railway foot warmer. The plate represented in the sketch is about fourteen inches long by nine inches broad, and perhaps one-tenth of an inch thick; it has a metal backing for strength, but the important part is the cement face, with the wire just visible underneath, as shown in the small cut."

A. A. Froude, the Historian.

Mr. Froude, whose appointment to the Regius professorship of modern history in the room of the late Professor Freeman has been announced, is now in the sixty-second years of age. He is a native of Devonshire, his father having been an archdeacon of the English church. Mr. Froude was educated at Westminster and Oriel. His first important publication was the "Nemesis of Faith," in 1849, which led to the resignation of his fellowship. Two years later he began to contribute articles to The Westminster Review and to the long defunct Fraser's Magazine, and his Short Studies, first of a series of posthumous publications, were published in 1867. Mr. Froude's "History" was published in twelve volumes between 1856 and 1870. In 1869 he was installed as rector of St. Andrew's university. He went to America on a lecturing tour in 1872. His "Caesar" was published and in 1874 the life of Carlyle in 1881 and 1882, and afterward took a trip around the world, an account of which is given in "Oceana," Since his return he has published several works, among being a "Life of Lord Beaconsfield."

An Aid to Ventilation.

Gas jets may be made important auxiliaries to ventilation. Inserted in the bottom of air shafts, they establish active currents, and will draw off the vitiated air from living rooms. It has been proved by actual experiment that one cubic foot of illuminating gas can be so utilized as to cause 150 cubic feet of air per minute to flow. And as a consequence gas burners will consume from three to six feet of gas an hour, it will extract 20,000 cubic feet per hour from a room each hour if suitable contrivances are used, besides giving light. There is a chance for lawful invention based on this principle.—Architect and Builder.

Scientific Brevities.

Barrels without staves are now made direct from the tree by means of boiling and softening the wood, which is first cut into logs of suitable length for a barrel.

The last few distinguishing diamonds from glass and paste is to touch them with the tongue. The diamond feels much the colder.

Cast aluminium keys are a new German manufacture.

Artificial ivory, appropriately named lactite, is now made from milk and borax, and is said to be well suited for the making of billiard balls, combs, mouthpieces for pipes, etc.

A novel application of electricity is a fog annihilator.

A rifle which will project a stream of vitriol for a considerable distance is announced to be the latest invention of a Parisian. It is pleasant to know that it is intended solely for use in warfare against savages.

An excellent substitute for the magnesium ribbon burned to make a very intense light is said to have been discovered by the French chemist, M. Villon, in aluminium, which is about a third of the price of magnesium, and which may be utilized in the same manner by burning it in a spirit lamp, or, if a flame of much more intense brilliancy is desired, in a coal gas or spirit flame supplied with a jet of oxygen. In these it burns without emitting fumes, in which respect it is superior to magnesium.

THE HOUSEHOLD

IN HOUSECLEANING TIME.

Good Methods for Cleaning Paint and Carpets; Polishing Mirrors, Etc.

An excellent way to clean paint, and one which preserves as well as cleanses it, is to put from one-quarter pound to one pound of pipe clay into a pail of water, and with an old pot, pour about a quart of cold water over it, and set it where it will dissolve slowly. A little of the clear water should be added to each pail or basinful of fresh water used. With a fine woolen cloth (old flannel shirting is good) wash the paint, rubbing a small piece at time with only this water and nothing else; then wring the cloth out of the water as hard as possible and dry the paint with it. In this way it will not be quite dry, but that does not matter as long as no drops of the dirty water are left. Do not go over too much at a time. Any particularly dirty bit of molding may be safely scrubbed with an old nailbrush without detriment to the paint if this water only is used. This glue water also cleans paper nicely, but it will not be quite strong enough, the glue acting as a kind of soap and removing all dirt immediately.

The best way to clean mirrors or any glass, even those in picture frames, the bright polish of which we wish to preserve for a length of time, is to wash them slightly with soap and water, then, when with another sponge rub them over with spirits of wine, after which dab them lightly with some whitting tied up in a muslin bag, and finish off with an old silk handkerchief. This sounds troublesome, but in reality is very quickly done and does not entail half the labor in polishing that attends the better and wetter old fashioned way, the glass, etc., bright for a much longer time.

China which has been laid aside and packed can be cleansed by rubbing salt on it when washing it. This will effectually remove the smoke stain without hurting either the colors or the glaze.

An old fashioned but capital way of cleaning carpets is to use oz gall, in the proportion of about one part of gall to three parts of water, rubbing the carpet well with a cloth dipped in the solution, care not to wet the carpet more than is absolutely necessary. This will both remove stains and revive colors, but the smell of the gall being atrocious and not to be got rid of for twenty-four hours at least, even with windows wide open, the process should be carried on in an attic or outside on a plot of grass, where no inconvenience need arise from the smell and the carpet would benefit greatly.

Silk and Satin Flower Embroidery.

There is as great a fancy as ever for the satin and silk flower embroidery. The designs are in the popular French style. The tiny simple flowers of many kinds are laid on silk or satin grounds, and threads of silk are drawn across between each petal. When the flowers are sewed on the ground may sometimes be connected into groups by stems worked with silks and are interspersed with embroidered leaves. The sprays may be tied with ribbons, or there is a dainty little basket filled to overflowing, veritably, for many of the flowers come tumbling out. These baskets are usually represented with shaded brown or gray.

It is much in excellence with French furniture and decorations, and is well suited for cushions, screen panels and for table covers.

Squares of Various Kinds.

There is no great mystery about squares. Velvets in simply well cut squares and border, for which white stock has been used instead of brown, and material is united just as made with silk or cream, to which an equal quantity of white stock, flavored with green onions and parsley, with a little chopped chives, reduced by rapid boiling to the consistency desired. The distinction between the brown sauces is equally simple. A brown stock is made of beef, butter (oiled butter) and flour, the latter being allowed to color well, though slowly. Before the liquid is added) made with brown stock. Spices, vegetables and herbs are sometimes added with glass strongly flavored with ham, herbs, mushrooms and green onions, and a little wine. It is from these all famous sauces.

Bread Holder.

A trouble is useful thing in the half of the average household, but too often it has no permanent place provided for it, and is

BREAD HOLDER FOR THE HALL.

very apt to go astray and be out of the way just when needed most. The handsome bread holder depicted in the cut will prevent this annoyance.

High back in ruby plush, crossed diagonally with tinsel galon and framed with an edging in brass and chenille cord, which also adorns the flap pocket in pompadour silk.

Ammonia in Washing Flannel.

Good Housekeeping says in regard to the use of ammonia in the washing water of woolen that with its effects in very small quantities white goods, there is a danger that it may touch some of the brighter colors and cause dullness. Where there are bright colors which would be seriously injured by fading, the following has been tried with admirable success: Dip two tablespoonfuls of flour into one quart of cold water. Let it boil ten minutes, add warm suds and wash the flannels in this, using the hands instead of the washboard. Rinse in three waters, all warm and of the same temperature. Even bright scarlet flannel will never lose its color when thus treated.

Cold Steak Reclaimable.

A nice way to use the remnants of beefsteak is to chop them very fine and cook in a little water; add some onion to suit, a little butter and flour to make a nice gravy; into this stir one well beaten egg, seasoned with pepper and salt to taste, and pour over nicely toasted and buttered slices of bread. This is an appetizing dish as breakfast or luncheon.

This Date in History—May 14.

HENRY IV.

1571—Robert Owen, philanthropist, social reformer, founder of the co-operative movement, Godly, born in Newtown, Montgomeryshire, Wales, died 1858.

1776—The Declaration of Independence is read in Philadelphia to force the construction of the United States.

1804—Henry Grattan, Irish patriot and statesman, died.

1809—Battle of Jackson, Miss.; Generals Sherman and McPherson captured the city.

Associate of Voltaire.

Voltaire, the great French painter, was coming from Versailles to Paris in the train. In the same compartment with him was a young man who he had never seen before, but who were evidently acquainted with him. They examined him very minutely, and remarked upon him quite freely in his martial bearing, his handsome face, his military pantaloons, etc. The painter was engaged, and determined to get even with the impertinent. As the train passed through the tunnel of St. Cloud, the three travelers were wrapped in complete darkness.

Voltaire then raised the back of his hand to his mouth and kissed it twice violently. On emerging from the obscurity he found that the fashion had withdrawn their attention from him, and were accusing each other of having been kissed by a man in the dark. Presently they arrived at Paris, and Voltaire, on leaving them, said: "Le-Verrier, you will say all my life by the inquiry, 'Which of these two ladies was it that kissed me?'"—Exchange.

Time Wasted.

A newspaper man who sometimes talks like a streak of lightning, after getting his connections over the telephone wire, relapsed for a few minutes into a string of words as long as the Brooklyn bridge, ending with, "Can you?"

"Wait a minute," came back the answer, "I'm being drawn," "until we get another instrument put in. That lightning burned this one out."—New York Tribune.

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AN ORDINANCE

To amend an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Concerning Peddlers," passed May 4, 1892.

The Common Council of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the Ordinance or Ordinance referred to in the title to this ordinance be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "not in Centre or 1st Ward" where they occur in section 1 of said Ordinance.

Adopted by the Common Council May 2, 1892.

Approved by the Mayor May 3, 1892.

ELBERT DILLERT, Mayor.

Attest:—F. W. RUNYON, City Clerk.

ESTATE OF JOHN F. GRIFFEN, DECEASED.

Pursuant to the order of Garrabrant C. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, this day made, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased, to exhibit to the subscriber, under oath or affirmation, their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased and that the time allowed for that purpose is six months from the date hereof, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

MARY M. GRIFFEN, Executrix.

May 6th, 1892. 5 12 9

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A UNION CELEBRATION.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE ANNIVERSARY.

Members of Chapters 1, of the Methodist Church and 6,585, of its Offspring, Monroe Avenue Chapel, and their Friends, Fill the Body of the M. E. Church Last Evening—Interesting Exercises.

The Epworth League was formed May 15, 1889 in Cleveland, Ohio. Its formation was a religious necessity. Various churches of one denomination had young people's societies, for social, religious, and philanthropic work, all under names selected by the societies. Some were weak, others strong. The strongest of these was the Oxford League.

Finally at a special meeting, after much discussion, "Epworth League" was selected as the name for all the societies. These were to be enrolled in numbered chapters, and provided with framed charters.

Of course the honor of being the first of these "chapters" was eagerly sought. Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell realizing that "first come" was "first served" *gotthere* first, hence the Chapter 1 of the Epworth League, has its headquarters in Vincent chapel, Plainfield, N. J.

Yesterday was the third anniversary of the Leagues formation and arrangements were made to properly observe it.

The choir of the Park place chapel led the singing. There was a special programme of music.

The pastor, Rev. Chas. B. Mitchell, Messrs. Walter McGee, G. M. Rhittenhouse, John Valliant, and W. W. Youngson, occupied the pulpit and made brief addresses.

Mr. Youngston is a young theological student and a warm friend of Mr. Mitchell.

Three young men and three young ladies, very young but decidedly self-possessed, also recited short, appropriate verses, in a most pleasing manner. Only the sacred character of the place and event checked the hearty applause the congregation longed to give when the handsome children left the platform. They were Clarence Mills, Mabel Jenkins, Bertha Hurlbut, Herbert Rogers, Harold Greenleaf and Reta Pond.

Warm invitations were extended all young people to join chapter one of which Mr. Mitchell is the head, or chapter 6,585 ("or thereabouts") as the president, Mr. Walter McGee, said.

BREVITIES

—A police patrol to enforce the town ordinances is talked of in Fanwood Township.

—The State Pharmaceutical Society will hold a meeting at the Albion next week.

—The pipes of the Plainfield Water Supply Company has been extended to Fanwood.

—Friday at South Cranford, a coal train jumped the track. Several cars were wrecked.

—The "C" devotional meeting will be postponed from May 17th to the following week Tuesday, May 24th.

—There is no truth in the rumor that a man residing on Manning avenue, attempted suicide Saturday night.

—The local union of the Y. P. S. C. E. will hold a meeting in the First Presbyterian church next Thursday evening.

—A large black team belonging to Henry Mullen of Bernardsville amused the First National Bank stoop as we go to press.

—The new time table at the Central went into effect yesterday. There are three changes in the departure of trains each way.

—Salvation Army public meeting tonight. Song service and gathering in of the self denial cards. Capt. McFetridge and Lieut. Russell in charge.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Warren Mission chapel will hold a meeting to-morrow evening in the Sunday-school room of the chapel.

—The "Hands Across the Sea" Company disbanded in Easton Saturday night. The scenery arrived here to-day and will be stored here until Fall in Music Hall building.

—There will be no more trouble with opera company procuring accommodations. Both the City Hotel and the Hotel Grenada are now open for the reception of guests.

—Last Tuesday while engine No. 411 was passing a train of cars loaded with oil side tracked at South Plainfield set fire to one. The flames quickly spread to the next car and they were both destroyed. Prompt action saved fifty other oil cars. The heat was so great that the rails curled up like snakes.

—Edsall says his store is so thoroughly stocked now with new and seasonable goods in the line that it is a waste of time for ladies to go to New York to do their shopping. He guarantees that in a comprehensive list of sixty-five different articles, comprising the usual wants of a family in the dry and fancy goods line, it could be as cheaply filled at his store as in any one store in New York, and just as cheaply too.

—A small boy started a cruel hoax in the business section on the street that Marshal Pangborn had been shot last night trying to arrest burglars attempting to get into Woodis' grocery. The hoax spread and caused some curiosity. The boy who started the hoax was taken in hand by his father and taught a lesson which may prove useful. The latter has determined to arrest all tramps found in the borough, was seeking for three, who were begging from house to house on Saturday evening, but missed them. It was while in search of the trio of the small boy's lurid tale.

Bowling To-Night.

An individual bowling match will take place to-night at the Crescent League alleys. The five men making the highest scores will bowl the team known as Team 1, Friday evening next. The contestants to-night will be G. Hallock, Arnold, Schlitz, Tobin, H. Doane, G. McIntyre, Herricks, Haynes, J. Doane, Barnes.

SATURDAY'S BURGLARY

MR. COKEFAIR REWARDS MR. GIESE.

The Graphic Stories by Policemen Fredrickson and Saunders, and by the Burglar and a Detective,—Pictures of the Principals.

Mr. C. C. Cokefair Saturday evening presented Special Watchman Phillip Giese with a $20 gold piece in testimony of his gratitude for Giese's services in capturing the burglar who was robbing his house Saturday morning.

The particulars of the capture were recounted in THE NEWS of Saturday.

PHILIP GIESE, Special Watchman.

FREDRICKSON and SAUNDERS, Policemen.

PICTURES OF THE PARTICIPANTS.

We give herewith a picture made by a NEWS artist of the officers who took part in the capture, and also a picture of the burglar. For the photograph from which the latter is made we are indebted to Capt. Grant, who had it taken by Fisher & Montfort, to send to New York for comparison with the pictures in the Rogues' Gallery, as it is suspected that the burglar is an old offender.

He gave the name of John Winger, and a return ticket found on him showed that he had come from New York. He had also nearly $40 in his pockets. From investigations by a NEWS reporter we believe he previously resided in Philadelphia, and that we have secured his history, by which it seems that he is an expert. We calculated from the burglar's appearance that he was fifty years of age. He says he is fifty-one. The name he gave is, of course, fictitious.

OUR PLUCKY POLICEMEN.

But first, we want to say something more about the capture.

It requires some courage, even when armed, to tackle an armed burglar who is cornered in the dark and has his adversary between him and whatever little light there happens to be, but to do this as Mr. Giese did, without weapons in his hands—well, it is quite evident Policeman Fredrickson has nothing of the coward about him.

We who admire bravery and despise a craven spirit must feel the highest admiration for all concerned in this affair.

We have asked Mr. Fredrickson to give us his story in his own words. He says:

FREDRICKSON'S STORY.

"I was just going on my beat and had met Policeman Saunders, when I heard Giese tap on the sidewalk for assistance. We ran to him a few blocks away. Said Giese, "Come, hurry, there is some crooked work being done on Crescent avenue. We all started on a run toward the place, Giese leading. Probably forty feet from the house we met a glimmer of light and shadowed our pace, getting in on Mr. Ames' lawn to avoid attracting attention in case there were any confederates about. When we got within twenty-five feet of the house the light was extinguished. I do not think this was because the burglar had heard us, though we thought so at first, but that he had finished his work and was getting ready to depart.

"We agreed in whispers what to do. Saunders was to go to the front to catch any one trying to escape that way, and I was to get in at the back while Giese was to remain where the rear in case the burglar slipped by me in the dark.

"As we got to the back door I got a glimpse of the burglar coming out with his plunder. I could just barely see the outline of a man in the door. It was so dim that Giese did not see it. It flashed through my mind that we had just got there in the nick of time. Both my hands were free, my club and pistol being at my waist.

"I sprang for the door, and, as I did so, the burglar jumped back, slammed it shut, and tried to bolt it.

"I was too quick for him, and managed to push the door partly open. He tried to push it against me, but finding I was the stronger at pushing he suddenly gave way, and, as I afterwards learned, tried to get down the cellar.

"There are two doors near each other—one leading to the cellar and one to the pantry. He got into the pantry by mistake. I had my hand out in front of me to feel, and I was so close to him, guided by the little noise he made, that when he ran up against the wall in the pantry, my hand landed on the collar of his coat, and I acted a little rough. [Mr. Fredrickson said this in all seriousness]. Then I managed suddenly to throw him to the floor and fall on him. (Mr. Fredrickson weighs 215 lbs., the burglar probably 120 lbs.) The room was so small that we were somewhat jammed in a heap.

"I felt him struggling, and I supposed, to get his right hand free for another shot. This I aimed to prevent.

"I heard Giese, (this is the name of the colored policeman) and Giese, groping around in the hall to find us.

"I called out, 'Here!' and he said, 'Where are you?'

"I said, 'Here!'

JIM'S STORY.

Saunders says:

"While I was crouching in front of the house watching I noticed that the parlor window was open, and was thinking the burglar might try to come out that way when I heard the shot.

"I ran around to the rear, concluding the burglar had fired the shot at Fredrickson, supposing he had killed him, as all was still afterwards.

"I got into the hall and was groping about, making as little noise as possible so as not to give the burglar a chance to locate me for a shot. I heard Fredrickson and the burglar moving in the direction of the sound, keeping my hand out before me. I knew by the sound that the men were on the floor, and the first thing my hand came in contact with was the burglar's hand and his revolver (38 calibre) I felt his fingers move to try and pull the trigger again.

"I wrenched the revolver out of his hand and threw it across the room, and then took Fredrickson's out of his belt and threw it across the room also, lest the burglar finding his own gone might suddenly get that and use it, while Fredrickson was busily engaged holding him.

"Then we managed to pull the burglar out.

"He squirmed and cried like a baby, and said he didn't mean to shoot the officer."

Had there been any confederate coolheaded Giese was in position to shoot him if he showed himself or if the burglar could manage to rush out. The whole affair was well-managed.

THE BURGLAR'S STORY.

At the photographers the burglar quivered again. Said he, "It will kill my poor old father if he finds this out, and I hope my wife and children won't know of it. It's too bad. I don't want any picture taken for it might get into the papers."

The brightening up he said:

"My health has not been good of late, and the doctor ordered me to go to the country. That is why I came to Plainfield. What a beautiful place it is."

A DETECTIVE'S STORY.

As told a NEWS reporter.

"I think the real reasonwhy he did not want his picture taken was from fear he would be recognized as an old thief who has served at least one term in prison, in which case the court will increase his sentence.

"I think I recognize him from your description as a burglar who served four or five years under the name of Rosebery, but whose real name is Swichsup or Snickshopp. His brother has a jewelry shop in Philadelphia. He also got three years in Newark for robbing a real estate agent. He was arrested by Detective Van Houten at Jersey City, as he was trying to escape to New York."

Capt. Grant told a NEWS reporter today that the burglar said he intended to plead guilty when arraigned in the Union County Court, as he probably will be on Wednesday.

He may have to answer to the charge of attempted murder, and on both charges spend the balance of his days in prison, as he ought to.

BURGLAR "JOHN WINGER."

"MAYFLOWER FESTIVAL."

To be Given by the W. C. T. U. Tuesday and Wednesday.

At the Crescent building corner of Broadway and Fourth street on Tuesday and Wednesday, as advertised elsewhere, the W. C. T. U. will hold a fair, or Mayflower festival. The lady patronesses are:

Mrs. Alexander Gilbert,	Mrs. W. L. Saunders,
Mrs. Charles Hyde,	Mrs. A. D. Sheppard,
Mrs. D. W. Pond,	Mrs. W. T. Broadway,
Mrs. Charles Potter,	Mrs. J. A. Hubbard,
Mrs. Charles E. Ryder,	Mrs. Jacob Kirkner,
Mrs. L. Y. F. Randolph,	Mrs. E. W. Johnson.

Fair Committee—Mrs. S. K. Krom, chairman.

Decorations—Mrs. I. D. Titsworth, Mrs. F. A. Dunham.

Refreshments — Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. S. Cahoone.

Brica-brac. The proceeds of this table are for the benefit of the Day Nursery—Mrs. W. L. Patton.

Flowers—Miss Mineola Tomlinson.

Candy—Miss E. Rose.

Lemonade—Mrs. J. C. McNaughton.

Kitchen Garden—Miss Alice Smith.

THE "CENTURY" RACE.

No. 43 of the Business Men's Wheel Club passes here First.

The wheelmen's race from Philadelphia to New York took place to-day Time was taken at F. L. C. Martin's Bicycle Headquarters on Park avenue which resulted as follows:

No. 42—G. W. Coffin (B. M. C. L.) at 1.59.
No. 31—J. W. Goulding at 1.57.
No. 7—F. M. Dangman at 1.57.
No. 16—Jas. Blake at 1.57.
No. 29—G. A. Doran at

They were followed by men bearing numbers 39, 35, 44, 26, 24, 41, 32, 27, 30.

No. 43, the first man through, had a handicap of twenty-one minutes, and is evidently the winner, as he was apparently the freshest man, and had increased his lead and was riding easily.

Experienced wheelmen think No. 7, the scratch-man stands a good chance. He is certainly a strider.

The leading prizes for which the men are racing are a pneumatic safety to the winner, and a large hat rack to club having most men in at a finish. There are in all about 40 prizes.

No. 30 had a severe tumble at the corner of Park avenue and Front street.

PERSONAL.

Miss Hattie Thomas of Philadelphia is the guest of Miss Minnie Wilson, at "Tunlaw" North Plainfield.

Mr. Ernest Lambert of Bay street, staff correspondent of the New York Tribune is on a business trip in Oregon.

Mr. John J. Kenney of East Second street is a happy father. A young son was born to him yesterday morning.

Miss Isabella Randolph died at her home on Madison avenue Friday afternoon. Deceased was seventy-eight years of age.

Miss M. Recside of Philadelphia delivered an interesting lecture at the Congregational church last evening. The lecture was given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the church.

The wedding of Miss Flora, daughter of Mr. and W. J. Ford, to Mr. John A. Krinecy, took place at the Ford residence on East Fourth street, Saturday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. Lowrie Bulkley, rector of Holy Cross church, in the presence of numerous relatives and friends from this and neighboring cities. The presents were numerous and costly. The bride was given away by her father. While Miss Frances Fisher, and Mr. Samuel Krinecy acted as bridesmaid and best man respectively. Supper was served early, after which a pleasant time was had by all present. Mr. and Mrs. Krinecy departed for their new home on West Front street, which the groom had prepared, amid showers of old shoes and rice. The house was decorated with flowers. The bride wore white moire silk and lace. The bridesmaid wore light gray silver.

His Right Hand Crushed.

Morris Fitzgerald, an employe of the Pond Machine Tool Works, met with a painful accident Saturday. He was engaged working one of the large cranes, when his right hand was caught and three fingers were badly crushed. The wounds were dressed by a physician.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

AN AWFUL MISTERY OF THE SEA.

A Big Ship and Six Men Swallowed up in a Quicksand.

HALIFAX, May 16th. (Special.)—A vessel of 385 tons burden, together with the captain, first mate, steward, carpenter and two boys, were swallowed up by quicksand on the northeast end of Sable Island on Thursday night. The case is almost without parallel.

The vessel was the Norwegian bark Henry, and she was on her way from Fonsberg, Norway, in ballast, to Ship Harbor, N. S. The vessel struck on Sable Island early Thursday morning, but was worked off after daybreak and had gone a half mile when she ran upon a sand bar and stuck fast. The vessel did not make any water, so the captain, first mate, steward, carpenter and two boys decided to remain on board until she could be floated. The second mate, boatswain and four seamen left the boat Thursday, and were taken aboard an American schooner.

Later in the day they recovered their courage, and started for their vessel which could be seen, but a thick fog came on suddenly, and they lost their way and landed on the island. During the night signals of distress were seen on the stranded vessel, and then all was darkness. Friday morning no trace of the bark could be seen. She had been swallowed up by the quicksand which constitutes that portion of the bar. Search was made for the six persons who had been upon the vessel, but they, too, had disappeared. The six survivors were brought to this city by the Yarmouth steamer Newfield.

THE WOUNDED HIGHWAYMAN CAPTURED.

The Fact that he was Dying Saved him from being Lynched.

LITTLE ROMONO, Cal., May 16 (Special.) The highwayman who held up the Redding and Weaverville stage (the detailed account of the robbery is given on page 2) and who was shot by Messenger Buck Montgomery, was captured this afternoon not far from the scene of the robbery. He had been left by his companions to die. He first said three men were engaged in the robbery, but afterward admitted there was only one, who robbed him of his share of plunder, telling him he didn't need it, as he was sure to die. He was taken to Redding in a wagon and hurried into jail, as a great crowd was in waiting, and there was fear of lynching. The crowd made no demonstration, however, when told that the man was dying. The prisoner presented a ghastly spectacle with his swollen face. Ten buckshot entered the face and body; three teeth were shot out, and three shot entered the left breast.

The only wonder is that he has survived so long. His name is George Shorr alias Charles Howard, and he is well known in Redding and Shasta, having worked as an iron moulder.

A FIRE AT NETHERWOOD.

Several Animals Burned to Death Early this Morning.

At about three o'clock this morning, a barn belonging to a man named Coles, situated at the corner of South avenue and Farragut road, was destroyed by fire. One horse, a cow and a calf were burned to death, also three wagons and other contents of the barn.

The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

The place was just within the city limits, but no alarm was sounded. The loss is estimated at about one thousand dollars.

THREATENED TO SHOOT HIM.

The Man was Under the Influence of Liquor.

Policeman Lynch this morning arrested a man on Park avenue who threatened to shoot a colored boot-black. After the fellow was incarcerated in the station house and searched the policeman ascertained that he had no weapon of any kind on his person.

Stop!

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They all say that if you want to get anything good and re liable and cheap, in the Dry and Fancy Goods line you will be sure to get it at

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Sale will be at 63 West Front street, corner of Madison avenue, Plainfield, N. J., May 21, (Saturday), and will commence at 7:30 o'clock Sale will be continued every evening until all goods are sold. 16 5t

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EDITORIAL NOTES

Barbed Wire in War

It is a barb-arous suggestion, but all war is cruel, and while we wait for the universal peace society to abolish it, the nations are busy searching out inventions which will make weapons still more destructive. The barbed wire idea, drawn from a purely American invention, is one which can be utilized to help kill people as rapidly as anything else, and we submit it herewith, in hope it will prove so horrible that wars will cease henceforth.

The idea is in brief that barbed wire fencing can be used as a perfectly insurmountable defense against a storming party. Say a fort is situated upon an elevation. In wooded districts in time of war the soldiers are set at once to building an abatis. Trees and saplings are cut down, the branches cut off, sharpened and placed, the sharpened end outward, closely interwoven all around the fort. This sort of abatis was used ages ago, in the time of the Gauls and Britons, and it has never been improved on since. Sometimes it keeps out an assaulting party, oftener it does not. In the frenzy of battle soldiers climb madly over the piercing points and never know what they are doing.

But the barbed wire abatis—that is the thing. The wire can be loaded into army transportation wagons and conveyed from one point to another with comparative ease. Where there was no timber it would serve to make the only available abatis. Three or four strings of a strongly built barbed wire fence, one inside the other, would keep the army out, barring it out of a fort. There would be no way to get inside the strings of wire except by cutting the wires. Then they would curl and tangle about the storming party's feet like serpents around a victim of delirium tremens.

With this line of defenses across her frontier Afghanistan could keep out the troublesome Russian till the Russian empire is blown to pieces by the nihilists. France could keep out the tyrant till Emperor Billy irritates the people into hurling him off his throne and turning Germany into a republic, when the two countries could shake hands and be good friends. No assaulting party could stand up under the deadly fire that would be brought to bear upon them while they were cutting the wires. If for the time the wires were charged with a thousand volts of electricity each soldier that touched them would drop over dead. Cannon ball and shell could not shoot them away sufficiently for an assaulting party to enter. Briefly barbed wire defenses will keep out everything—except boys out of a water melon patch.

Farm Villages.

Among the schemes to make the lot of American farmers a happier one is that of having the agriculturists of a neighborhood build their homes clustered together in a village, from which they could go out daily to their toil in the fields. By clubbing together they might *have their handsome little township hall* decorated so that it could be used as a theater, concert room or clubhouse. By the cooperative method they might also enjoy sidewalks, lighted streets and many of the advantages of *city life*. The village might be built around the postoffice and corner grocery, or the postoffice and grocery might be brought to the farm village. By this means farmers' families would always be in easy reach of doctor and preacher, and could have, so far as their means went *opportunities for as much social pleasure* as falls to the lot of city dwellers. They would have a railroad station and telegraph also at command.

Millionaire John W. Bookwalter is now in Europe studying the farm village. He intends to inaugurate the system on his own lands at Bookwalter *Neb.* Governor Northen, of Georgia, also an enthusiast on the subject, and is trying to induce the people in one of the counties of his state to make the experiment. The plan has succeeded in Europe especially in France and Germany. But whether this kind of farm life is suited to the American spirit remains to be seen.

Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, formulated a plan whereby Roman Catholic children might receive education at the state expense and still be brought up in their religion. The outline of it was that the Catholic school property should be practically turned over to the use of the state schools, that the teachers in them should obtain state certificates and give instruction in the usual public school branches. This being done, the children should be dismissed from school in time to receive religious instruction. The archbishop's plan would relieve the church of the burden of the expense of the schools and still give the children opportunity for training in church doctrines. *A correspondent of the London Chronicle* says that the propaganda has approved the plan and the pope has confirmed its decision.

The entering wedge in the Canada business was the introduction into the Dominion parliament of a resolution declaring that, *"subject to the approval of* her majesty's imperial advisers," representatives of the Canadian government should be attached to the British legation at Washington to look after the interests of their country.

IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

The Appropriation Record of Congress Thus Far.

FIFTY-FIRST VS. FIFTY-SECOND.

The Amount of Money Voted Thus Far Exceeds the Sum Appropriated at the Last Session—The Sudden Death of Senator Barbour, of Virginia.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Senator Gorman's declaration in the senate Friday in debate on the naval bill that the limit of appropriations fixed by the Fifty-first congress could not be restricted to any appreciable extent by this congress has aroused renewed interest as to the probable amount that will be carried by the appropriation bills of the present session. It is conceded that the sum will be in excess of the total of the appropriations of the Fifty-first congress at the first session, but the Democratic house leaders argue that the Fifty-second congress is favorably situated for making an economical record in as much as *its heaviest appropriations must be made at* the first session, with the lighter ones devolving upon the second session. The reverse of this has been true for many years past. As to the comparative totals of the appropriations at this session and at the first session of the Fifty-first congress, the following table will be of interest.

An Interesting Comparison.

It shows the aggregate of the eight appropriation bills which have passed the house as compared with the amounts of the same bills as they passed the house (*sic*) as they finally became laws in the first session of the last congress:

	1890-91.	1892-93.
Army	$24,280,065 52	$24,226,009 82
Diplomatic	1,460,955 00	1,357,425 00
District of Columbia	5,823,604 13	4,867,501 67
Indian	6,022,858 78	7,437,288 44
Military academy	423,986 11	390,086 18
Navy	22,189,455 53	20,000,170 00
Pension	96,427,461 00	134,925,000 00
River and harbor	19,979,945 00	21,336,974 00
Total	$178,139,525 06	$214,186,055 71

Excess of present session over same session Fifty-first congress, $36,046,530 65.

There are three bills now on the house calendar—the sundry civil, postoffice and fortifications. There yet remains to be reported the legislative, general deficiency and agricultural. The last named will probably not carry a total any less than that of the bill of last year. So that the general deficiency bill is the only appropriation measure aside from the sundry civil yet remaining for action upon which the majority can make important reduction as *compared with the appropriations of the* corresponding session of the Fifty first congress.

What Legislators May Do.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Pressing questions of revenues and expenditures are likely *to occupy the attention of the* senate the coming week. Senator Barbour's funeral will prevent the transaction of any business until Tuesday. It is an almost unprecedented occurrence to have two senators' funerals (Messrs. Plumb and Barbour) in the same session. The discussion of the twelve million dollar item added by the *senate committee* to the naval appropriation bill for a battleship, a harbor defense monitor, four light gunboats and six torpedo boats, will be resumed as the first business. Other bills that may be disposed of are the following: A bill abolishing compulsory state pilotage; the foreign relations bill, to give United States courts jurisdiction of violations of the treaty rights of aliens, and a bill appropriating $25,000 for the establishment of five experimental silk *culture stations.*

SENATOR BARBOUR.

Senator Barbour's Funeral.

Bishop Keane, of the Catholic university *of this city, at the request of the family* of the late Senator Barbour of Virginia, conducted the funeral services over the remains of the Virginia senator in the senate. Senator Barbour had no church connections, but his wife was a member of the Catholic church and he will be buried according to the rites of the Catholic church.

Senator Barbour's sudden death, ten minutes after he was taken ill Saturday, caused a great shock at the capitol. Senator Barbour had been ailing, and his wife died in 1886. His only near living relative is Hon. *James Barbour, a prominent politician of* Culpepper, Va.

John S. Barbour was born in Culpepper county, Va., Dec. 29, 1820, was a member of the house in the Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth congresses, and succeeded Mr. Riddleberger in the senate in 1889. His term as senator would not have expired until March 3, 1895.

Silver to Come Up Again.

The house will devote all its time to the consideration of appropriation bills. Mr. Holman says that on Tuesday he will ask the house to resume consideration of the sundry civil bill, continuing "from day to day until a conclusion is reached. Then he will bring up the postoffice and fortifications bills in the order named. Before the consideration of the sundry civil bill has proceeded very far, Mr. Livingston (Dem.) of Georgia, will propose an amendment to the section covering the appropriations for the mints, providing for the free coinage of silver. This amendment Mr. Bland offered one day last week, but afterward withdrew, for the reason that it then met the criticism that it did not pertain to the subject under discussion. There is but little likelihood of a general silver debate being precipitated thereby, as the amendment will doubtless be met by a point of order and be rejected.

Senator Vance Not in Danger.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Senator Vance has arrived in Washington from his home in North Carolina. Dr. Walsh, the physician attending Senator Vance, said that he had contracted a bad cold, which turned into lumbago and sciatica, but that the senator was now about well.

Smothered to Death.

ELIZABETH, N. J., May 16—John Butler, aged thirty-five years, an unmarried man, fell over on his face while intoxicated and was smothered to death in the boarding house of Mrs. Michael Reardon, 119 Bond street.

High Wind at Bedford.

BEDFORD, Pa., May 16—A terrific thunder storm accompanied by rain passed over Bedford county on Sunday afternoon. Several barns were blown down, trees were twisted out by the roots and fences were leveled.

IN THE SPORTING ARENA.

Final Preparation for the Great Relay Bicycle Race.

CHICAGO, May 16.—On Wednesday the great relay bicycle race between Chicago and New York will begin. One hundred wheelmen, riding in relays of from seven to twenty-five miles each, will bear a message from General Miles in this city to General Howard at New York. The riders in the south division, the final one from Albany to New York, have not sent their names to the manager of the ride, but it is well understood that they will be at their posts and waiting when the dispatch is brought to them. There will have been 91 miles of ground *over and nine relays of the fastest men in* the country with which to do it. At Tarrytown, twenty-five miles outside of New York, Will Campbell, the crack of the Riverside wheelmen, with J. L. Quick, of Yonkers, for a relay companion, will speed the message to its destination.

Sullivan Not Afraid of Corbett.

BROOKLYN, May 16.—John L. Sullivan, who is in this city, says: "My weight now is 235 pounds. I shall go into training for the fight with Corbett about the Fourth of July, and I will be in thorough condition when the day for the fight arrives. Now, I do not underrate Corbett. I know he is a good man, but I *am not afraid that he will* hurt me. I think the fight with Corbett will be a short one unless he runs away from me.

"I intend that this shall be my last finish fight. If Slavin whips Jackson he will probably be over here again bragging and looking for a go, and if he comes I will accommodate him, but only for a limited number of rounds. If Jackson wins I will not meet him. I will not contest with a colored man."

Globe Girdler Lenz's Trip Begun.

PITTSBURG, May 16.—Frank Lenz, the well known wheelman, left this city at 8 a. m. on Sunday on his bicycle trip around the world. He will be *absent two years. He will go to* New York via Cumberland, Baltimore and Washington. From New York the real girdling tour will begin.

The Lannon-Godfrey Fight.

BROOKLYN, May 16.—Joe Lannon, of south Brooklyn, and George Godfrey, the well known colored pugilist, will meet tonight at the Coney Island Athletic Club house, Coney Island, in a heavyweight contest of twenty rounds or more. Both men declare they are in fine condition and an interesting fight is expected.

Smith to Fight Shea.

WICHITA, May 16.—*Arrangements* have been perfected for a fight June 9 with four ounce gloves between Ed Smith, of Pittsburg, and Paddy Shea, middleweight champion of Kansas, for $1,000. Smith undertakes to whip Shea in ten rounds.

FASHIONS.

A Walking Dress.

GRACEFUL LINES OF TRIMMING.

This costume has such graceful lines of trimming that it is given here. The original seen was an exceedingly pretty gown of Havannah silk, trimmed with black velvet galoon and black pleated silk tulle; a Havannah straw hat, with black and white feathers; a sunshade to match, and white gloves.

Egan and McCreary Accused.

NEW YORK, May 16.—The World states that Dr. John Trumbull has *filed charges* with Secretary Blaine, alleging that Minister Egan and Consul McCreary used their official knowledge in Chili for speculative purposes and were engaged in illegitimate enterprises. The World says an investigation has been promised by Secretary Blaine.

Three Were Drowned.

PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—Three Italians and two colored men left the foot of Carpenter street to sail down the river. When opposite Gloucester the boat was caught in *the storm and capsized. Louis Berserio,* aged nineteen; George Rowait, aged twenty-four, and Charles Peterson were lost. The others were rescued.

Italy's New Ministry Confirmed.

ROME, May 16.—The incoming ministry has been officially confirmed by both king and parliament. General Pelloux has accepted the portfolio of war, Admiral Sanfront that of the marine, Signor Grimale, public works; Signor Tugcchiano Aluzie, posts and telegraphs; Signor Lacava, agriculture.

The Methodist Conference.

OMAHA, May 16.—The Methodist conference is devoting the day to memorial exercises. On Tuesday the election of officers will be taken up and the balance of the week will be devoted to acting on committee reports.

New York Saloons Wide Open.

NEW YORK, May 16.—The saloons were very generally open here Sunday, the excise law being enforced less than on any Sunday in the last two months. Several clergymen prosecuted on the Parkhurst crusade.

Almost a Cyclone at Carlisle.

CARLISLE, Pa., May 16.—Rain accompanied by a terrific wind passed over this valley last evening. In this city a photograph gallery, trees and a circus tent were blown over.

THE CZAR'S CLOSE CALL

French Detectives Find a Mine Under His Palace.

NIHILISTS MANY MONTHS AT WORK

Had the Autocrat of All the Russians Slept Again at the Gatchina He Would Now Undoubtedly Be Sleeping the Long Sleep of Death.

BERLIN, May 16.—Details of a plot to kill the czar have reached here. A week ago two French detectives arrived at the Gatchina and began a careful investigation of the place, one in the disguise of a coachman and the other in that of an assistant cook. Two days after their arrival they reported that the whole palace had been found to be undermined, that the underground chamber beneath *the czar's sleeping room* was already half filled with explosives, and that the nihilists back of the plot would have started the explosion doubtless the very hour time the czar and the royal palace had they not been frightened away by the signs of discovery of their plot.

The Czar's Police Baffled.

The undermining had been done by means of a tunnel which led to a hill not 300 yards from the palace, and which must have been the work of many months. Spades, picks and boring tools were found near the entrance in the side of the hill. This entrance was concealed by a large rock, around which the sod was laid so carefully as not to betray its frequent disturbance. The plotters must have worked at night and left before daybreak, as all the surrounding country was carefully watched.

This plot was known in a general way to exist, yet the czar's police were unable to discover its details or even to fix its location definitely until the cellars and grounds of the Gatchina palace were carefully examined, and upon finding nothing the detectives decided that the conspirators had not yet begun to act. The Paris detectives were then summoned.

Death of Father Lockhart.

LONDON, May 16.—The Rev. Father William Lockhart, rector of St. Etheldereda's church, in Ely place, was found dead in his bed. He was a descendant of Sir Walter Scott.

To Build Russia's Great Railroad.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—A syndicate of Russian and French capitalists, with 150,000 *rubles capital, have made an offer to the* Russian government to build the trans-Siberian railway from Tchelabinsk to Strietensk on the Amoor. The *offer* will be accepted.

Emperor William Ekinized.

BERLIN, May 16.—Emperor William has begun the round of festivities with which this summer is to be filled. He and the *empress passed the day in Stettin* to celebrate with the Pomeranian nobility the opening of the new county building. The reception surpassed any other that has been given to the emperor since his accession to the throne. Triumphant arches had been erected and the cheering was constant and spontaneous.

Why Bainbridge Was Transferred.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Lieutenant Colonel Bainbridge, late commandant at Fort McHenry, has been transferred to the Washington barracks under peculiar circumstances. The officers at the fort formed a mess and the colonel became a member for the purpose of keeping the club life. He was later presented with a mess bill which he refused to pay. General Howard wrote twice for an explanation and Colonel Bainbridge did not reply. Hence the transfer.

Deadly Painless Dentistry.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 16.—Mrs. Edward L. Beckley died suddenly and quietly, the result of having a tooth extracted by a *traveling dentist giving the name of "Dr."* Brodey. The tooth inserted a compound into her gums to deaden the pain of extraction. Mrs. Beckley went into convulsions. Her throat swelled and her limbs became apparently paralyzed.

Want $100,000 Damages for Libel.

CHICAGO, May 16.—Suit has been instituted against the American Casualty Insurance company, of Baltimore, for $100,000 damages for libel by the Union Guaranty and Trust company, of Little Rock. The American Casualty company alleged that the Union was insolvent.

To Fight the Monmouth Track.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 16.—A special meeting of the Monmouth County Law and Order League was held at Freehold for the purpose of perfecting plans to secure a reconsideration of the action of the Monmouth county court in *granting liquor licenses* at the race track.

Mrs. Deacon Will Not Attend.

PARIS, May 16.—It is learned definitely that Mrs. Edward Parker Deacon will not attend the trial of her husband at the assizes of Evreux, Alice for killing her lover, M. Abeille. Her deposition will be read, and M. Abeille's family will make no claim for damages.

French Clergy Obey the Pope.

PARIS, May 16.—Pere Fauvage, cure in St. Pierre-du-Gros-Caillou, refused to bless a banner bearing the inscription "Vive la France," on the ground that such a blessing would be contrary to the instruction of the pope's brief enjoining allegiance to the republic.

Big Ride for a Monitor.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The third 12-inch breechloading rifle for the navy was successfully tested at Sandy Hook Proving ground yard. When completed it will be shipped to one of the monitors and mounted in the turret.

Carnegie to Retire.

PITTSBURG, May 16.—The proposed consolidation of the various Carnegie interests means the retirement from active management of Andrew Carnegie in favor of Henry C. Frick, long the holder of coordinate interests.

Young Vanderbilt Ill.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 16.—William H. Vanderbilt, Jr., of the junior class of Yale, has been obliged to leave college temporarily, because of an attack of typhoid fever.

Three of His Sons Drowned.

MONTREAL, May 16.—By the capsizing of their boat near St. Cunegonde, three sons of William St. Cyr, the well known hotel keeper, were drowned.

Six of the Crew Perished.

HALIFAX, May 16.—The Norwegian bark Berry, Captain Jacobson, ran ashore on Sable Island. Six of the crew were drowned.

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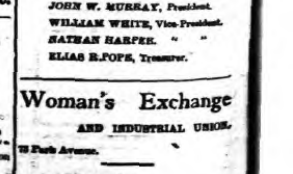

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REDDING STAGE AGAIN HELD UP.

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REDDING, Cal., May 16.—The Redding and Weaverville stage was again held up in the suburbs of the town of Shasta. Two masked men, one on either side of the road, ordered Driver Boyce to "Halt" and to throw down the boxes. Messenger Buck Montgomery, who was riding inside the stage, opened fire on the robbers, wounding one of them, but was himself mortally wounded by a robber who was in ambush. He died an hour later. Driver Boyce and a passenger named Suhr were also wounded, but not fatally. The robbers rifled the treasure boxes, securing, it is said, about $20,000.

Officers and a large posse are in pursuit of the robbers. All passes and outlets have been carefully guarded, and every endeavor will be made to capture the criminals.

Three Robberies in Two Weeks.

Three stages attacked, two persons killed, four wounded, the express company's treasure boxes secured twice, once with booty valued at $20,000, and no robber in custody, is a startling record made by highwaymen within 250 miles of San Francisco in two weeks. A fortnight ago a single masked bandit stopped the San Andreas stage between that town and Sheep Ranch, fired his gun without warning at the driver, Babe Raggio, severely wounding the latter, and killing Johanna Rodesino, a lady passenger. He then fled without attempting to secure any booty and is still at large.

Four days ago the Redding and Weaverville stage was successfully held up by two masked men, who secured the Wells, Fargo & Co. box without resorting to firearms or other violence. They are yet to be captured.

Last night the Redding stage was again held up, presumably by the same two men who were so successful on Tuesday, with the result outlined above.

Fired at the Robber.

The stage last evening was carrying large treasure from Redding to Weaverville. Express Messenger Buck Montgomery allowed a passenger named Suhr to occupy the box seat near the driver while he was inside. John Boyce, the driver, was urging his team up toward the summit of a long grade five miles from Redding when a highwayman wearing a handkerchief drop on him, ordered the team halted, and commanded the passengers to throw out the express box.

The men were helpless and did as they were ordered, but as the treasure box fell into the road Montgomery put a gun out of the stage door and fired at the robber, bringing the fellow to his knees.

At the same instant the wounded robber fired at the driver, and his confederate put a load of buckshot into the express messenger. The driver fell off his seat, and the passenger, who was also hit in the leg, seized the reins. He saved the team from running away, and the last they saw of the robbers two men were carrying the box into the woods.

Later a searching party found the boxes near the scene of the robbery, where they had been broken open with an ax. One box had fully 100 pounds of bullion, and this had been dragged down through a steep ravine to an abandoned mine, where it was opened. The ax was left alongside.

There was a considerable amount of blood on both boxes, showing that one of the robbers was badly wounded. He was tracked for nearly a mile by his blood.

The Conductor Was Killed.

YORK, Pa., May 16.—The New Orleans express on the Norfolk and Western was wrecked at Mendell, just across the Maryland line. The conductor, William Shayes, of Philadelphia, was thrown twenty feet against a rock and killed. A dozen passengers were wounded, among them John Hawke, of Lewiston, Pa., injures fatal; J. P. Hawke, cut about the head and body; C. N. Skinner, traveling freight agent of the Norfolk and Western railroad, head badly cut; William Elsdenger, of West Fairview, Pa., badly bruised. One man, unknown, is living at the point of death. His face was mashed in to a jelly.

A Mad Dog in a Church.

NEW YORK, May 16.—While the congregation were listening to the services in the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church, Washington square, Sunday afternoon, a dog, foaming at the mouth, ran into the church from the street and down the main aisle. Immediately there was a panic, and women and children screamed with fright. Adjutant Wray, of the Salvation Army, drove the dog into the street, where he was killed.

They Assaulted the Governor.

LITTLE ROCK, May 16.—The coroner's jury in the investigation of the lynching of Henry James returned a verdict that he came to his death by hanging by parties unknown. Governor Eagle, who was assaulted by the mob while endeavoring to prevent the lynching of James, received many bruises and a black eye, had the thumb of his left hand dislocated.

New York's Site a Good One.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 16.—Hon. Donald McNaughton, chief executive officer of the board of managers of New York state's exhibit at the World's fair, has returned from Chicago. Regarding the site for the New York state building, Mr. McNaughton considers it one of the handsomest and most desirable in the park.

Large Gift to Odd Fellows.

TOPEKA, Kan., May 16.—E. N. Debobsierre a wealthy Frenchman, has deeded 8,000 acres of land, highly improved and stocked with 20 head of fine cattle and horses, to the Odd Fellows' lodges of Kansas, to be converted into a home for orphan children of Odd Fellows. The land is worth $200,000.

He Wants His Name Changed.

NEW HAVEN, May 16.—Joseph Bosshagen has petitioned the superior court that his name be changed to Joseph Bayen on account, he says, of the ridicule which his name has brought him. He says that the "Yankees" all call him "Boss Bargain."

The Thunderer's New Scheme.

PARIS, May 16.—A continental edition of the London Times is to be published daily in Paris simultaneously with the London edition.

President Blanchard's Demise.

WHEATON, Ills., May 16.—Jonathan Blanchard, president emeritus of Wheaton college, died very suddenly at his home here.

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND OUT.

Gigantic Strike Against the Granite Manufacturers' Association of New England.

BOSTON, May 16.—It will be difficult this morning to find any pavers at work in this city or in any large city or town east of the Mississippi. Nor will there be any work done on the large buildings where granite has been supplied by the Granite Manufacturers' Association of New England.

Although a strike has been on for two weeks, the decisive step was not taken until late Saturday night, when, at a meeting of the manufacturers in Young's hotel, it was decided to lock out all the men employed in the various quarries controlled by the association.

This was not unexpected by the men, and in retaliation they have called out all men at work where the obnoxious bosses supply stone. The number of men who leave their work today will exceed 100,000. The effect will be not only to stop all paving work going on, but all work on many large buildings, including the World's fair buildings at Chicago and Grant's tomb at New York.

Two Thousand Out at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—The stone workers of this city held a secret meeting, and decided to strike in sympathy with the *granite cutters of New England. The strike* began today, and work on the immense Betz building, at Broad and Chestnut streets, and the Reading terminal, at Twelfth and Market streets, will be seriously affected. About 2,000 men, it is thought, have stopped work.

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One Reason Why There Are So Many Single Women About Forty Years of Age in This Country—Story of a Heroic Girl Who Deserves a Pension.

Last week I went to see my friend the colonel, a Virginian, who was a distinguished officer on the side of the south. Since the war his duties as a gentleman farmer have taken him all over the country, and, being a close observer, his opinions are entitled to respectful consideration. As we sat smoking on the wide piazza and watching the growing moonlight gradually discovering the grounds of the adjoining mansion, I saw a number of ladies looking eastward and heard them commenting in low, melodious voices on the glories of the night.

"Four maiden sisters," whispered the colonel, and they are the owners and, with the servants, the sole occupants of that fine old mansion.

"It is evident that your wife has unbounded faith in you," I laughed, "or she would not leave you alone in this neighborhood."

"She is a good friend of the widows and she feels that I am quite safe with them within call," said the colonel.

"But I thought you said they were maiden sisters?"

"So I did, and when I said 'widows' I meant widows by brevet. Those ladies are now between forty and fifty years of age. Friends tell me that as girls they were very pretty. They are the best educated women I ever met, but they are neither pedantic nor absent-minded. They are above want. But their husbands were killed"—

"Their husbands killed?" I interrupted.

"Yes, killed in the war; but all of them may not know it. Let me explain. North and south there were killed in battle or died of disease fully 500,000 men, not one-tenth of whom were married. Of the men at the front who took the brunt of battle fully nine-tenths were under thirty years of age. Now it is a law of nature that every male must have his mate, and every man who is killed or who dies prematurely and unmarried leaves some woman in some place to remain single. This subject interests me, and so I have made a study of it. I started out with a theory to account for the number of single women over forty whom I meet with unvarying regularity in the south as well as in the north, and my theory is correct; that is why I call them, not old maids, but 'widows by brevet.'"

"It is true that many of the widows by brevet may never have met the man they might have married in there been no war, but in the great majority of cases they knew the man, for they had been neighbors, friends and sweethearts. I was a single man when in 1861 I took command of my troop at Staunton, Va. Of the 110 men in the company there was not one married. I was then twenty-five and was the oldest man in the troop. Our youngest lieutenant was seventeen, but I was told, and I believe it, that from the captain down every man who rode with us for Stuart in that July morning had a sweetheart and was engaged.

"When the war ended I checked off with a friend the original muster roll of that company. Thirty-one were dead. Several had gone down before the bullet or the more fatal disease of the camp. But that meant eighty girls in and about Staunton whose sweethearts went away to die. There never was a soldier, we in the land that killed him, that didn't have some woman at home, mother, sister or sweetheart, oftener all three, to mourn his taking off. The bullet seldom stopped in the brain or breast of the man it struck down on the battlefield, but winged its way over river and hill to find its final resting place in a woman's heart. But of all the people who have suffered by the war, the brevet widow most excites my sympathies.

"I do not think I regard her from the standpoint of a sentimentalist; but I felt when congress was looking about for something to pension, that a widow should have a stroke of statesmanship and an evidence of chivalry had the brevet widows been pensioned. You laugh! Will you let me cite a case in point?

"I know right here in New York state a lady who deserves a pension for her brevet condition far more than do many of the widows of full rank. This lady was engaged to be married to a young man, a member of the Seventh regiment, who belonged to a good family, and who held a position that would have made him rich in a few years had he kept close to business. The day set for his marriage was that on which the regiment marched to Washington. He met the lady the night before and said he would remain back and join the regiment, she accompanying him, the day after for the ceremony. But the call of patriotism were as strong as her love. She said: 'We can wait, Jack, but the danger to the capital will not be postponed on account of our wedding. The thought of standing by your side at the altar has been in my mind by day and brightened my dreams by night ever since you asked me to be your wife, but I feel, Jack, that it is your duty to march with the regiment.'

"The next day she saw him through her tears at the head of his company, for he was an officer, marching down Broadway, up which he was never to return. Jack, as I will call him, was offered a higher commission in a new regiment before the three months for which the Seventh had gone out had expired, and after consulting his fiancee and getting her consent he took it. At the same time the lady went to Washington as a nurse. This was certainly a great sacrifice, but I doubt if the colonel or the nurse looked at it in that way: they simply saw their duty and did it.

"Before the echo of the guns had died out at Sharpsburg, or 'Antietam,' as your side calls it, the nurse was in charge of a hospital that had been established in the village. Among the very first of the wounded brought to that hospital was Jack. He had a bullet in his brain, and so did not recognize his betrothed wife in the nurse, and as she sat by his cot holding his hand that night he died.

"The lady nursed on till the end of the war, when she returned home, aged and heart burdened at twenty-five. The war that made her a brevet widow impoverished her father, whose business had been with the south, but she set bravely to work to help him, and was his principal support till he, too, died, another victim of the contest.

"At present the lady, now in her fiftieth year, lives in a little flat with her helpless old mother. She teaches drawing and painting, principally for private pupils in those parts. She wears no medals, has no political influence and seeks no notoriety, yet I will say that that little old widow, that brevet widow, is not a more heroic character and has not done more to prove it than one half of the men who have been living on their record since the war? If I had my way without it, that splendid woman should have large pension."—New York Times.

OUR YOUNG FOLKS

A GORGEOUS BIRD.

The Grandest Member of the Feathered Tribe in the New World.

Most of our readers have no doubt heard of the bird of paradise, renowned the world over for its bright plumage and otherwise attractive appearance. We do not believe, however, that many of these same readers have ever heard of the queer, gorgeous member of the feathered tribe, which is not only highly esteemed in its native country, but said by naturalists to be the grandest bird in the New World.

In those forests of Guatemala, where the highest trees are found, lives this remarkable bird. It is remarkable not only on account of the wonderful colors exhibited in its plumage, but it has a tail three feet long. From this latter it has gained the name of long-tailed trogon, but the natives of Guatemala call it by the more common name of quesal. Its upper parts are covered with green feathers, its breast is brilliant scarlet and part of its tail is white.

THE QUESAL AT HOME.

The quesal is a fruit eater, and leads a retired life in the depths of the forests. When on the wing its tail flies like a streamer behind it. The folk of Guatemala have no proof of the quesal that they fixed its image on their postage stamps, placing the bird on the top of an ionic column in order that its tail might be properly displayed, and even then not succeeding in showing it to the best advantage.

A Famous Singer and Her Doll.

Every boy and girl has heard of Mme. Adelina Patti, who has won so much fame as a singer. When she was a very little girl indeed, only ten years old, she sang in the country in a series of concerts. The following story is told of her:

On the evening of any concert in which she was expected to perform the young prima donna's pet "infant prodigy," as she was styled in the programme—always demanded as her reward a present of some toy. This had to be brought to her before the concert began, or else Miss Patti declared that she would not sing. On one occasion Herr Strakosch, the manager, was called upon to the dressing room in great haste. There he found the "infant prodigy" seated disconsolate upon the edge of the table and displaying a little of her temper. The promised present had been forgotten, and Miss Patti most firmly refused to go upon the platform until a nice big doll was given to her.

Herr Strakosch was in despair. The audience was growing impatient of the long wait and pleading was useless.

"You shall have such a beautiful doll afterward, dear," she was told—"the very best there is in the town." She should have three, for the number of dolls if she would only sing! But no promises and entreaties were all in vain. Little Miss Patti had made up her mind: no doll, no song, was the substance of her reply.

At last the manager himself seized his hat and hurried off to see if he could find in the unfortunate present. Alas! at that late hour all the shops in the town were closed, and it was some time before he could discover the proprietors of them and make him understand what it was he wanted. The largest and handsomest doll was hastily picked out, and very soon the manager was back to the concert hall. He rushed breathless into the dressing room and threw down his burden at the little tyrant's feet. Then, having won the day, he went on his usual round on to the platform, where she was at once welcomed with a burst of applause.

A Pair of Fairy Boots.

A pair of boots; whose can they be?
Fed round them down beside the sea;
He thought a mermaid put them there,
And as his own small feet were bare,
He dragged them home with him to wear.

They fitted well, but one fine day
The leather split and ran away;
And where they went, Ted never knew;
But if this tale be strictly true,
I think it very strange, don't you?

The Little Girl and the Lamb.

"Well, you are silly." said a little girl to a lamb, whom she found gamboling in a field. "You must be cold without any dress or hat or shoes; are you not cold at night without any clothes to cover you up?"

"No, my dear girl," thought the lamb, as he took a fresh nibble: "she must be very unhappy, for she does not know how nice daisies are and she must be very cold, for she has no soft warm wool on her back."

Hard to Read.

An Irishman and some paper
Made up their minds to part.
A letter without pen or hand—
Oh, wasn't it a sight!

The paper curled up crooked;
The Irish shouted "Bejabers!
And all that you could see at last
Were smudges and full stops.

A "polycycle" omnibus is the latest proposed novelty in London vehicular traffic. This curious invention will be a kind of elongated tandem tricycle, seating eight or ten passengers riding in couples. A driver will manage the steering arrangements, but the passengers must help to work the vehicle.

GOOD HEALTH

SALICIN FOR RHEUMATIC FEVER.

An Interesting Theory of Climatic Conditions and Remedies in Disease.

It was the example of quinine which led to the discovery of the remedy for rheumatic fever. A curious fact about malarial fevers is that the remedies have usually been found under the same climatic conditions as the diseases. The cinchona tree, which produces quinine, grows best in countries in which malaria is most prevalent. In the same way it was thought that a remedy for rheumatic fever might be found in places where the disease was most likely to flourish—that is, in a low lying, damp locality, and in a cold rather than a warm climate. It was thought that willows grew under such conditions. Willows contain in their bark a bitter essence called "salicin." This was tried for rheumatic fever with a success which exceeded all expectations. It cures rheumatic fever just as surely as quinine cures ague. It does this by attacking the disease in the earliest stages, it being of course easier to kill 1,000 germs than 20,000,000. It is salicin which Dr. Maclagan very strongly recommends as a cure for influenza, and he makes the very important assertion on its behalf that it does not in the least depress vitality, says the New York Times.

Evidence Against a Popular Theory.

In strong opposition to the popular belief that low, wet, swampy localities are necessarily malarious and unhealthy, is the following testimony of an extensive traveler in the South Sea islands:

I have seen Englishmen living in Fiji, on the borders of almost stagnant estuaries, with the densest and most rank vegetation around them on all sides, with acres of quinoe and a hundred such insects infesting the district like a plague; in dry seasons their houses will stand in the very center of great plains of rocking stone, in times of flood the muddy river will rise to their very verandas, and yet these people are robust and healthy. I have gone from there, and a few weeks later visited islands in the Solomon group or New Hebrides, where I have found a dry coral soil and high land, upon which the pure trade wind blows freshly month after month, steep land, too, from which the rain water is quickly borne downward to the sea, and all this but a few hundred miles from the Fiji group, and in the same latitude, and blown upon by the same trade wind, and yet in these places it is almost death for a white man to spend more than a few months in the year on shore, and practically no one who lives ashore at all can hope to escape frequent and severe attacks of fever. In fact, it is only by living thoroughly acclimated, through a long period of time, that he can hope to live there at all.

Honey as Food and Medicine.

Honey taken as food becomes a powerful medicine to the sugar-fed and half diseased, according to a writer in the Chicago Daily News, and many people must begin on small quantities and acquire an appetite for it. Saccharine matter, as a rule, is apt to affect the system injuriously, but if taken in the form of honey it at once becomes a valuable food and medicine. Foul air, impurity ventilation, cool tea and sedentary changes of temperature, and exposure of lungs and throats to sudden chill are the source of no end to throat and bronchial troubles. A free, regular and constant use of honey is probably the best medicine for throat troubles known, and its regular use is largely corrective.

The Hardest Tissue in the Body.

The bulk of the individual tooth is composed of a dense ivory like substance, call'ed dentine, which is covered on the root of the tooth by a modification of true bone, with hard ione, called cementum, and covered on the crown by a coating of enamel. Enamel is the hardest tissue in the body, only containing from 3 to 4 per cent. of animal matter, being chiefly composed of carbonate and phosphate of calcium and magnesium and fluoride of calcium. It is hard enough to strike a spark from steel like a flint, says Dr. W. Rushton.

The Toxic Quality of Almonds.

Peeled almonds are now recommended as a concentrated, highly stimulating and strengthening food. A physician is quoted as saying that he can stand fatigue by a judicious use of the nuts much better than by using any stimulant.

ETIQUETTE

GOOD FORM.

About Wedding Invitations, the Ring, Bouquet, Carriages and the Maids.

Invitations to weddings should be issued two and perhaps three weeks previous to the date of the marriage, according to "Good Form." Marriages in home and at church have constantly varying accessories, but the important part remains the same. The only essential variation is the one or disuse of a ring. In the Episcopal and Roman Catholic churches a ring is obligatory. In others it may be used if the bride so requests, as generally she does. Sometimes rings are placed upon the hands of both bride and groom, but this is not common.

The ring is procured by the man, also a bridal bouquet, but the wedding cards and their distribution, also the entertainment, are entirely in the care and at the expense of the bride's family; they provide also all carriages except the one in which the groom and best man go to church, the same usually being used by the married pair after leaving the church and again when they go from the bride's house. These matters must be arranged for many days in advance of a marriage.

Of course a bride has her bridesmaids or maids in her mind, if she intends to have them, almost as soon as she thinks of her wedding, also her maid or maids of honor. It is in equally good form to ask one or two, but a single maid of honor is more common. A sister, large or small, is as often chosen for this pleasant service as a girl outside the family. The maid of honor should be notified of the bride's preference as soon as the date of the marriage is settled. Bridesmaids are also early requested to confer this tribute of affection.

If a bride is rich and her maids are less so it is good taste to present them with gowns, hats, gloves and shoes for the wedding; but this is not obligatory, nor is it even a general custom. It is only a matter of personal preference and generosity.

This Date in History—May 16.

1827—Pope John XXI. killed at Viterbo.

1862—Sir Dudley North, merchant, traveler and speculator, born.

1776—Colonel John Patterick, who commanded the Americans at Concord, died; aged 69.

1801—William Henry Seward, statesman, born in Florida, Orange county, N. Y.; died in Albany, 1872. POPE JOHN XXI.

1820—Levi Parsons Morton, vice president, born in Shoreham, Vt.

1858—Daniel Manning, secretary of the treasury under President Cleveland, born in Albany; died there.

1860—The second and most famous Republican national convention met at Chicago; on the third ballot Abraham Lincoln was nominated.

1863—Battle of Champion Hills, Miss., called by Federals Baker's Creek. General Alvin P. Hovey's division taking the lead; Federal loss, 2,441, killed, 1,842 wounded and 199 missing; Confederate loss about 4,000, of whom 2,000 were prisoners.

1864—Ten battles in progress in various parts of Virginia; the most important lying at Resaca, Ga.; Avoyelle Prairie, La.; Fredericksburg Road, Bermuda Hundreds and Belcher's Mills, Va.

The Romance of the Period.

"Mildred," repeated carefully exclaimed the young man, throwing himself upon his knees, "hear me! For months I have carried your image in my heart. You have never been absent from my thoughts one moment. The contemplation of a life unshared with you would drive me to desagair—to suicide! Listen! For more than a week, Mildred, the dread, the agony, the uncertainty, the horrible fear that I may fail to win your affections has oppressed me by day and banished sleep from my eyes at night. For more than a week I have not slept! With straining eyeballs I have tossed on my restless couch and"—

"Harold," interposed the gentle girl, with tears of sympathy in her eyes, "I should consider myself the most heartless of women if I could look unmoved upon your sufferings when a word from me can banish them. If you desire to bind with insomnia, Harold, you will find instant and certain relief by using Heavydale's Celebrated Nerve Squelcher, price fifty cents a bottle, for sale by all druggists, satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded, testimonials on application, delays are dangerous, life is precious, don't trifle with it, live without sleep, send for sample, if used according to directions will cure in twenty-four hours, mention this paper."—Chicago Tribune.

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AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance locating the tracks of the Plainfield Street Railway Company and regulating the construction and operation of the same and granting permission to said Company to use electric motive power in propelling cars thereon," approved April 27, 1892.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That section 1 of ordinance whose title is cited in the title to this ordinance be and the same is hereby amended as follows: By striking out that portion contained in the second paragraph of said section and substituting therefor the following:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of West street with the north line of Front street, the line of Park avenue and running thence through West Sixth street westerly to Plainfield avenue; thence through Plainfield avenue southerly to West Seventh street; thence through East Seventh street westerly to Monroe avenue; thence through Monroe avenue northerly to West Fourth street; thence through West Fourth street easterly to Grant avenue; thence through Grant avenue northerly to West Front street; thence through West Front street to the southwesterly side line of Park avenue, also from Front street through Somerset street to the line of North Plainfield township.

Section 2. That section 11 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended as follows by striking out all of said section after the words "proceed the words "or shall afterwards fail or neglect to operate the same" and substituting therefor the following: "If the said company shall fail to build and complete that part of said road lying between the point at the corner of Monroe avenue and Front street and the point at the intersection of Front street with the southwesterly line of Park, with its turnouts and switches to said line aforesaid, and to put the same in complete operation for the transportation of passengers within the time herein after the passage of this amended ordinance, and the said road shall not be completed and put into the possession of a resolution by the Common Council directing said company to proceed and complete the road."

Section 3. That section 19 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended as follows: By striking out the word "herein" where it occurs in said section, and substituting therefor the following "in this ordinance as the same shall be amended by the proposed amendment introduced April 4th, 1892."

Section 4. That section 20 of said ordinance be and the same is hereby amended as follows by inserting in said section after the words "the terms and conditions of this ordinance" and the words "as the same shall be amended by the proposed amendment introduced April 4th, 1892."

Section 5. That in case it shall be hereafter judicially determined that the provisions of this ordinance to which this an amendment or the provisions of said ordinance as amended hereby, which authorize the construction of poles in the streets of the city are invalid, the intention of the Common Council and of the said Plainfield Street Railway Company is that the rest of the ordinance shall remain in force subject to the option of the Common Council to repeal the same as to said company for all within six months after notice to agree with the said company upon some other method of propulsion for their street cars.

Adopted by the Common Council May 2, 1892. Approved by the Mayor May 4, 1892.

A. GILBERT, Mayor.

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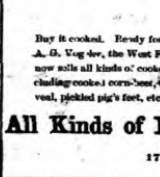

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All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises, hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey:—Beginning at a stone placed eight feet three inches south from the southeast corner of a brick house, which stone is also a corner of William W. Todd's land (formerly Joseph Drake's) and running thence (1) south forty-two degrees and thirty minutes, west forty-two feet to a stone; thence (2) south forty-seven degrees and thirty minutes, west forty-two feet to a stone; thence along his line and binding thereon south forty-two degrees, west one chain and forty-seven links to a stone in the line of William W. Todd's land (formerly Joseph Drake's); thence along his line and binding thereon south forty-seven degrees and thirty minutes, east forty-two feet to a stone in the line of William W. Todd's land (formerly Joseph Drake's); thence (3) north forty-two degrees, east one chain and forty-seven links to a stone; thence (4) north forty-seven degrees and thirty minutes, west forty-two feet to the place of beginning. Containing by estimation twelve hundredths of one hundred and seventy-two square links of land more or less.

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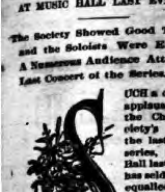
GIVES THE ORATORIO, ST. PAUL, AT MUSIC HALL LAST EVENING.

The Society Showed Good Training and the Soloists Were Excellent. A Numerous Audience Attend the Last Concert of the Series.



SUCH a dearth of applause as at the Choral Society's Concert, the last of the series, in Music Hall last evening has seldom been equalled in Plainfield. It must have been caused either by the impressiveness of the grand Oratorio, St. Paul, or the oppressiveness of the atmosphere.

Certainly the chorus never sang better and the soloists were equally good.

About eight was filled, and the handsome chorus on the stage, especially the ladies, looked charming.

A change in the position of the orchestra helped in effect considerably.

The society was ably assisted by, Mrs. Jennie Patrick Walker, soprano; Mrs. Emma Baron Anderson, contralto; Mr. Wilhelm H. Rieger, tenor; Mr. Ericsson Bushnell, bass. Mr. Edward S. Fitzhugh, conductor. Orchestra from the New York Philharmonic Society.

The story of St. Paul as well known that repetition is unnecessary. The Oratorio was the masterpiece of Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy.

The Choral Society is indebted for its success to the following Board of Managers:

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Baker, Miss M. F.	McCutchen, S. M. A.
Baker, Miss M. E.	Metzger, Miss M. E.
Bell, Miss	Mc Gee,
Cleveland, C. G.	Newbold, H. B.
Cleveland, Frank A.	Newman, H. O.
Carroll, Miss	Newbold, H. B.
Clark, James.	Overton, H. A.
Cowperthwaite, Robert H.	Perkins, Miss E.
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Carrie, R. T.	Porter, Chas. Jr.
Cook, W. H.	Plainfield Post
Cooley, E. J.	Perry, J. W.
Cozzi, J. K.	Perry, J. W.
Cozzi, G. A.	Pease, E. C.
Codding, Addison.	Pulsifer, King.
Cook, John M.	Peck, J. C.
Cooley, E. J.	Page, H. A.
Dudley, Miss	Passmore, W.
Dudley, A. W.	Passmore, W.
Dunn, Miss Georgie P.	Runyon, E. T.
Day, H. M.	Hayes, J. J.
Dudley, E.	Runyon, E. T.
Dudley, Nathan	Runyon, J. D.
Dudley, Morgan,	Roberts, Dana,
Dudley, H.	Roberts, Miss
Dudley, O. W.	Shepard, A. B.
Dudley, M. E.	Struthers, R. R.
Dudley, Miss	Struthers, R. R.
Dunn, George C.	Sorrell, L. W.
Dunn, H. L.	Sorrell, Harold
Dunn, Miss	Sorrell, Miss
Dunn, J. F.	Sutphen, Mrs. J. G.
Dunn, J. F.	Smith, Miss Mary
Dunn, Mrs.	Sommerhoff, Mrs. F. X.
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Dunn, Mrs. J. H.	Stelle, Miss
Dunn, A. M.	Spicer, J. S.
Durell, J. J.	Scarlet, Frank S.
Durell, Marion E.	Scarlet, Mrs. Lizzie
Dyer, E. W.	Tracy, J. Evans
Dunham, E. A.	Titsworth, W. H.
Dunham, E. A.	Titsworth, W. H.
Dunham, C. P.	Taylor, Morgan S.
Dudley, A.	Thompson, Wm.
Dudley, A.	Tracy, C. S.
Dudley, A.	Tutt, A. A.
Dudley, Mrs. W. W.	Turrill, W. H.
Barber, L. C.	Van Arsdale, I. A.
Barber, E.	Van Arsdale, J. K.
Barber, Miss A.	Van Arsdale, Jos.
Bobbie, W. F.	Van Allen, Mrs. I.
Bockinger, W. G.	Vreeland, Miss A. V. H
Bullard,	Weir, Miss
Bullowey, H. B.	Webb, F. S.
Bates, E. D.	White, Wm.
Bates, Miss	Whitehead, Miss A. M.
Bullman, Jas. W.	Wilson, Jos. F.
Bullard, R. R.	Wilder, W. H.
Bullard, R. R.	Wells, W. H.
Barker, Jacob	Winter, Mrs. Edward
Boyd, L. N.	Kissam, Chas. T.

LOOK OUT FOR IT.

A Supposed Mad Dog at Large.

A small black and white dog foaming at the mouth, ran into Eyerson's Carriage Repository this afternoon, causing the occupants to seek safety in the carriages which are in the building. When last seen the dog was running out Somerset street.

Union County Court.

Roderick W. Lowe, agent of the United States Industrial Insurance company, was arraigned in the Union County Court yesterday charged with embezzlement several hundred dollars from the company. He pleaded not guilty, and was held in $1,000 bail until bail could be had. Henry S. Phillips was arraigned on five indictments charging him with embezzlement from his employers, the D. O. of Plainfield. Phillips pleaded not guilty, and was held in $1,500 bail for each on June 1.

BOWLING LAST NIGHT.

Park Club Wins from Union County —Scores at other Club Houses.

The fourth game of the series of bowling between the Park and Union County Clubs, was bowled on the Park Club alleys last night.

The Park Club won both games. The following was the result:

FIRST GAME.

UNION COUNTY.		PARK CLUB.	
Kaufman	94	Hegeman	195
Fleming	121	Matthews	131
Depew	122	Darling	134
Wharton	114	Reed	157
Jackson	139	Lyman	148
	601		658

Park club won by 57 pins.

SECOND GAME.

UNION COUNTY.		PARK CLUB.	
Fleming	126	Worth	197
Depew	110	Sandford	124
Burnett	127	Hegeman	119
Wharton	118	Saunders	108
Jackson	110	Talers	178
	604		654

The Park Club won by 50 pins.

Individual bowling was the order of exercises at the Crescent League Club house last evening.

The following scores were made:

Arnold	126	Dunce	142
Bell	116	Hallock	130
McIntyre	170	Vail	120
Haynes	148	Ward	127
Dodge, J.	130	Theirs	111

The bowling at the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum last night resulted as follows:

Carty	140	Carty	145
Hughes	128	Gunther	124
Gunther	168	Lynch	111

BREVITIES

—The smallpox patient, Passmore, is reported to be improving rapidly.

—The regular meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club will be held to-night at eight p. m.

—The contractors have distributed the street car rails as far as Front street and Park avenue.

—Franklin Council No. 41, J. O. U. A. M. of this city are arranging for an excursion to Asbury Park in August.

—The mail carriers came out in their new straw hats to-day. They have had their new Spring suits about a week.

—Post Commander Bartlett, of Post No. 9 South Amboy, will inspect Major Anderson Post, No. 125, G. A. R. Thursday night.

—There will be camp meetings in Zedo's woods during the latter part of July. Evangelist Murphy of Massachusetts will conduct them.

—The members of Crescent Division, K. of P., are arranging for a grand ball to be held at the Crescent Rink during the latter part of this month.

—Twenty-seven postoffices in Wisconsin are kept in saloons. Liking stamps to dry ? would Plainfield post office was formerly over a saloon.

—A doll's show and fair, in behalf of the Brule Indian Mission, is to be held at Seminary Hall next June. The particulars will be duly advertised.

—This Tuesday evening and each Tuesday evening hereafter meetings for the study of Scriptures will be held at the residence of Mr. Grant on Grove street, opposite Park Place.

—The directors of the Central New Jersey Base Ball League will meet to-night at Elizabeth. All arrangements for the games will be perfected and teams announced for the coming season.

—Thos. Keller, manager of the Crescents, has gone to Washington, D. C., to take part in a shooting tournament. While he is absent "Chic" Hofford, the captain of the Crescents will manage the team.

—Marshall Pengborn last night arrested three tramps, who were visiting houses in the borough as a begging expedition and scaring the servants who were alone at the time. Such cases should be severely dealt with.

—A number of carrier pigeons were sent to Bound Brook this morning by Harvey Dunne and Fred Jones on their initial trip. Some of these birds will no doubt be in the great race at Chicago during the World's Fair.

—A gold dollar depreciates five per cent. of its value in sixteen years of convenient use. Yet it is then worth 35 cents, or 25 cents more than the intrinsic value of the silver dollar of to-day, when it is brand new from the mint.

—A pawnbrokers sale will take place, Saturday evening, May 21st, of unredeemed goods, at Samuel Dreier's, No. 20 West Front street and will be continued nightly until goods are sold. For further particulars see advertisement in THE NEWS.

—Rev. Mr. Goodrich met the boys and girls of his congregation who are of ages eight and twelve last Wednesday and organized a pastor's class. He will greet them again to-morrow and hereafter regularly at 3:45 Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors.

—The game Wednesday between the Gorhams, colored champions of the U. S., and the Crescents promises to be very interesting and exciting as neither club has been defeated this season. Murray & Jackson will probably be the battery for the Gorhams and Keenan and Hosford for the Crescents. A Bulletin board will be erected in Keenan Latter's barber shop on Park avenue and the result of each inning will be received from the grounds by carrier pigeons.

BICYCLERS' COLUMN.

INTERESTING ITEMS OF THE RACE, —WINNERS AND PRIZES.

Amusing Experiences—How One Plainfield Wheelman Observed the Law Regarding Lanterns and Bells —Northern Lights—Miscellaneous News.

One of the hardest bicycle races ever run in this country, in point of distance, was that of the 100-mile race from Philadelphia to Newark yesterday. The start of the eight previously had to race, the cyclers had to travel in a wretched condition, and the finish was a veritable "muddle." Many were derided not to start when they saw the condition of the roads.

At 6.38 a. m. forty-eight of the sixty contestants mustered at the starter, and the long race began. They wheeled into Bristol, W. Chamberlain of the Union County Racers fell into a ditch and injured his face, but he continued the ride. At Trenton a general fall occurred, which many more delays. At Trenton the roads were so muddy that many of the men were forced to walk, in preference to taxing their wheels.

As the day progressed a strong head wind sprang up and still further hampered the riders. Hundreds of people along the route crowds of people awaited the bicycle racers. Two or three hours ride in advance all along the line of relays, announcing the approach of the racers. Dannie Hallock, the plainfield citizen rider, rode from scratch to the finish, but was unable to catch G. W. Collis, who had a twenty-one minute handicap. Collis rode rapidly at the finish, fourth Dampman, and finished a winner, at 4.37 o'clock. Hallock was fourth.

The finish was at Presidents-town avenue, and the crowd at the point was immense. Those who finished in time received the prize for the time they finished. The winner, Collis, got $75 from Manager Ryall. The referees were by G. Carleton Brown, the Vice President of the League of American Wheelmen. The time of the first five men to finish was:

G. W. Collis, 21 minutes handicap, 7; 31 m. 20 s. Dampman, Camden City Wheelmen, scratch, 7.36.45; H. T. Wagner, Wilmington Athletic Club, 20 minutes, 8.05.15; Gallagher, M. C. W., 20 minutes, 8.31.05; J. Blake, Union County Roadsters, 27 minutes, 8.36.15.

The names of the contestants finished in the following order: G. A. Dever, Best Orange Cyclers; W. E. Hink, Bound Brook Cycle League; J. M. Talbot, Elizabeth Wheelmen; C. T. Campbell, Bohemian Rods Cycle League; J. Van Horn, Hudson County Wheelmen; H. C. Merriman, Wilmington Athletic Club; J. H. Neal, New Town Club; D. Grant-wood, East Orange Cyclers; G. Carmen, Union County Roadsters, and F. Nolan, N. H. Kenney, L. H. Adams, Decker, P. J. Dutelow, C. F. Steinbach in the order named.

Collis left Philadelphia at 4.37 o'clock yesterday morning, and his actual time was 7 hours, 31 minutes and 20 seconds. He was so thoroughly exhausted that he had to be escorted to his room. No other racer was in sight when he reached the winning post. Two years ago Collis won exactly the five-mile race of the Atlantic Wheelmen.

Among the prizes awarded to the winners were:

[illegible] Stanley, Hammond, [illegible]; 2, Cleveland, Rambler, Victor; 3, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 4, Cleveland, Rambler, Victor; 5, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 6, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 7, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 8, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 9, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 10, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 11, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 12, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 13, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 14, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 15, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 16, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 17, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 18, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 19, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 20, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 21, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 22, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 23, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 24, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 25, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 26, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 27, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 28, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 29, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 30, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 31, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 32, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 33, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 34, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 35, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 36, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 37, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 38, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 39, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 40, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 41, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 42, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 43, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 44, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 45, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 46, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 47, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 48, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 49, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 50, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 51, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 52, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 53, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 54, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 55, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 56, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 57, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 58, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 59, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 60, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 61, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 62, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 63, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 64, Victor, Cleveland, Rambler; 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—Bicyclers riding on the county road last evening say that the northern lights which have so many times been visible during the past few days, were to be seen. They illuminated the sky and the road too, making a bicycle lamp unnecessary. There is no end to the reasons for these lights to appear.

Justices Cases.

The case of Mrs. Mary McCarty vs. Overseer Hyer, charged with refusing to provide for and burying of Mrs. Ann Dolan, came up before Justice Nash yesterday afternoon. Wm. Wallace Howland, counsel for plaintiff and W. A. Berkalow for Enfield Company. The jury were sent out and brought in a verdict of no cause for plaintiff, plaintiff has to cost.

In the case of Policeman Fredrickson vs. Wilson for having no lights on his wagon, the latter was held to await the action of the Grand Jury at Elizabeth.

Sydnor et als. vs. Noel was adjourned for one week.

Walter Carter charged with criminal assault upon Mary L. Dunham, one time ago, was brought before Justice Nash this morning by Constable Mosher, to await meeting of Grand Jury.

—Choice vegetable plants, field and garden seeds, seed potatoes, etc., are made a specialty at Spencer's, 19 and 79 Somerset street. See advertisement.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

THE ITALIANS' SIDE.

An Eloquent Plea for the Justice, by One of Them.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—I am an Italian. My occupation is that of a rag-dresser. As my race in this country now receiving much abuse just now, I ask your permission to say a few words in their behalf.

I know we are but headed as a people and likely to do things in the heat of passion which we ought not to do, but, who is without fault of some kind? And is it not better to bear with each other's infirmities, since we are all human, and try and make each other better?

Now the Italians present, poor and unfortunate of my people are brought here under false promises, which never materialize, and they are oppressed and made to feel ill-natured by the continuous grind which many employers of labor do to them.

We are not treated that way in our own country, and we are a peace-loving people among ourselves until we are brought into contact with other people. We have our troubles, but I believe that there are plenty who are just as good as other people if they are treated right.

A number of them were recently brought here to do contract work, and I wish to give them as an instance of the unusual way most of these poor fellows are treated.

The contractor constantly swore at them, calling them Italian pepists, damnation Italians, and everything.

Is it to be supposed that we have no spirit enough to resent such insults? We have our manhood as you have yours and we love our religion.

To the credit of my people let it be known that they go to work in a body and went away last in their anger they might commit some crime against the person who had so grossly insulted us.

These Italians said to me, "We must go away, for if we stay here and listen to this man swearing at us and calling us names we might in the heat of passion forget ourselves and kill him."

Now, this is the kind of treatment we too often receive.

It is important to this country because not knowing the value of our labor we are got to work cheaper than others, who know what their work is worth. Then we are often cheated of even the little due to us.

We find we cannot, on the pittance we get, live as other people live. If we cannot make enough to pay rent for a house we must live in a shanty, or be poor or be without shelter. We cannot buy food as we take what we can get.

We can't starve.

Huddled together as we are in a city we become prey to many ugly diseases and become desperate or that disease breaks out among us, and spreads. Believe me, all the wrongs done us by our oppressors.

Italians in our own country, have a high standard of living. Their houses are bought of the best material and are well furnished. Their food is the best the market affords. Leaves no room for them, people of education. If you are treated to meat or bread, or are that you are treated as human beings.

Remember what we were in our own country. Many of us were rich. We gave you advertisements and the arts and sciences and by the latter you owe your success. We saved the world itself to Christianity. We are proud of our Italy, one of the richest and most favored countries upon the earth. Beautiful land you live in.

If such reminiscences were pertinent as from the ruins of the past, by the light of God's sun, let common humanity do us.

Let us live in peace for the love and peace we desire. Let us be the very land and not as which such verses as these so fitly describe:

"Oh, Italia, Italia, beloved,
Land of beauty, of sunlight and song!
Thou art fair as the dawn of the morning,
Thou art fresh as the flowers ever long.

Sweet thy tone holds, thy grove and thy meadow,
Oh, then dear land that gave me my birth,
How we long for the sight of thy mountains,
How we pine for the sight of thy earth."

These Italians are the same people whose mothers sing such tender lullabies as this:

"Sleep, my baby, sleep the evening,
While I hear the cricket sing,
While I hear the cricket sing,
Sleep, my baby, sleep.

Sleep, my baby, sleep the evening,
While I hear the cricket sing,
While I hear the cricket sing,
Sleep, my baby, sleep.

Sleep, my baby, sleep the evening,
While I hear the cricket sing,
While I hear the cricket sing,
Sleep, my baby, sleep.

Dreams of birds, of nest and meadow,
Of the lily, the rose and violet,
Of the sky, the stars and moonlight,
Dreams of all that is fair.

Sleep, my baby, in the quietness
All by my self I watch you,
The cricket's gentle pastime
Is thy mother's pastime.

Sleep, my baby, sleep the evening,
While I hear the cricket sing,
While I hear the cricket sing,
Sleep, my baby, sleep."

Jesse D. Tosi.

Resident of Plainfield for twenty years, an Italian, and proud of it.

The Runaway Yesterday.

An exciting runaway took place near the railroad bridge on Park avenue yesterday afternoon about four o'clock as the result of a collision.

John Mellon and son, stock dealers of Bernardsville, N. J., were driving a pair of horses to Plainfield to sell. Mr. Mellon was leading another horse which took fright at a bicycle and the Plainfield train, which passed over the bridge at that time. The horse jumped into the wagon, frightening the team and throwing Mr. Mellon and son out.

The frightened animals ran down Park avenue and upon the steps of the First Presbyterian church, where they stopped. Mr. Mellon's son was severely hurt, but not seriously injured. The horses escaped unhurt.

Carpenters were at work to-day repairing the bank of the road.

Silver Wedding.

Ex-Mayor L. V. F. Randolph and his wife celebrated their silver wedding at their home on East Front street last night.

A great many people were present to offer congratulations and also to welcome Miss Virginia Randolph home from Paris, where she has been completing her studies in art for the past two years.

STATE NEWS

The contractor commenced work on the New Opera House block at Cranford this morning.

During a heavy electrical storm Saturday night a bolt struck a building near Mount Holly, which was occupied by Joseph Cook and Mary and Gertrude Ivins. Cook was severely shocked and the two girls were stunned.

Burlington county Freeholders adopted a resolution requesting the Law Judges to appoint Commissioners to select and locate a jail site somewhere in Camden.

Irish Lawn is something new and very pretty too, only 10c. per yard. Point de Ireland lace is having a large sale. We are showing some beauties. There are so many good pretty things which are very cheap in price, in our store now, that we can't begin to name them. Come in and see for yourself. Undoubtedly we have the largest and most desirable line this side of New York, and sell the cheapest. A large line of Fine Lawns, Dimities and Organdies at 12c. per yard. Fine Satines, cool goods for coming in just to your cool, too. We surprise even New York buyers by quoting prices. Hope all say that if you want to see surprising good and reliable and cheap, in the Dry Goes line your visit will be sure to get it. 25.

Nearly every day pieces of the wrecked steamer Phoenix come in with the tide at Atlantic City. The greatest of the wreck have been carried away as relics.

The United States Senate has passed the Senate Resolution providing for a Memorial Column to commemorate the battle of Princeton, on condition that the Princeton Battle Monument Association will contribute a like sum.

Sunday afternoon some Italians engaged in a fight on Division street. The Central railroad tracks were hurried beneath the surface of the ground. Many of the railroad builders of granite fell with the earth and one Italian whose dog out was killed by the falling rock. The dog was also fatally injured was taken to a hospital. Several others were slightly hurt.

PERSONAL.

Ex-Councilman D. S. Roberts and wife, will leave June 1st, for Scranton, Pa., where they will spend the Summer.

The engagement of Miss Agnes Steinhauser of Jersey City and Mr. Thomas Hale of Fifth street, this city, is announced.

The funeral of Fernie M. Payne, wife of J. M. G. Smith, took place yesterday from the Presbyterian church at Dunellen. Interment was made at Hillside Cemetery.

Mr. Chas. H. Davis, the Fifth avenue artist, formerly of this city, but recently of New York, has returned to Plainfield and occupies his former home on East Ninth street.

Mr. Hugh K. Knox, of the Virginia, Tenn., Air Line, and Mr. Edward Q. Cordner of the Richmond and Danville Railroad, have rented houses on Webster place and West Front street, respectively, and will become Plainfielders. The rentals were secured through Sherrard's real estate agency.

The wedding of Miss Orisettne Nost of New York and Mr. Herbert Johnston, son of John Taylor Johnston, of New York and Plainfield, will take place next Monday. The ceremony will be performed by Archbishop Corrigan at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 102 Waverly place, New York city.

Mr. C. C. Cokefair, of Crescent avenue, has distributed fifty dollars among the policemen who took part in the capture of Winger, the burglar. Mr. Cokefair says that when the cook went to the kitchen, she found that Winger had started a fire in the range and had gotten out eggs and other food preparatory to cooking a meal. He had also made some of the toilet to remaining on the stove.

PROF. SYMONS, F. R. S., has found a new elixir of life in the study of meteorology. Having H-O for breakfast is just as satisfactory and twice as popular as "star-gazing."

DEATHS.

McGILLIS—In North Plainfield, May 16, Christine, wife of Wm. McGillis, aged 39 years, 10 months and 15 days.

Funeral services at the residence of her brother, Jacob Krieger, 228 W. Front street, Plainfield, May 18, at 11 o'clock. Interment at Cedarlawn, N. J.

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A MILK route for sale, cheap; also a young horse. L. Boyd, post office. 17 3

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased of E. W. Clark, Plainfield, N. J., or Judy & Co., Madison, Ind., and about the last level. 2 1m

FOR SALE—Good second hand surrey built by Eaton, Newark, N. J. Will be sold cheap or hard bargain. Can be seen at J. T. Smith, 69 West Seventh street.

FOR SALE—For want of use, a Babcock phaeton, nearly new, with rubber cushions, plated trimmings, and in perfect order. Apply to R. Cosgrove, 61 Somerset street. 17 3

$110 WILL buy a brand new 1892 Portland Rocking Chair. Regular price $15. Call and examine them at 104 West Front street and get a bargain. Also a few second hand chairs for sale at a bargain. Address Geo. W. Sherman. 17 6

FOR SALE—A seven years horse in fine condition, driven single. Large lot. Can be seen on Grove avenue, "Cozy Corner." Call or address Harris Davis. 16 3

FOR SALE—Good family horse; 15½ hands high, sound and kind. Address J. S., Plainfield P. O. 16 4

TAKE NOTICE—I will expose the property of my grandmother for sale for storage, on June 2, 1892. T. J. Chevy. 13 12

MISCELLANEOUS.

A RESPECTABLE woman wishes to do washing by the week to do at home. 17 1

CUTTING and making children's clothing. 144 West Front street. 17 3 2m

FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRY work done at home. Prices reasonable. Call and see me. Mrs. Wm. Adams, corner 9th and Richmond street. 13 4

GO-CARTS and repairing of all kinds. Also Lawn Mowers sold. Old Furniture repaired and varnished. 104 West Front street. 19 4

I WILL clean, dress and press gentlemen's clothes at Dudley's Bicycle store, 20 West Front street.

Pawnbroker's Sale!

The subscriber will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, all goods received by him for money loaned on pledges, which have remained in his

EDITORIAL NOTES

A writer in the Chicago Herald sends out a wail of longing for the oldtime girls. But the girls we have on hand now are pretty nice.

In Italy, ruinous Italy, every commodity is so burdened with taxes that only labor is cheap. Food costs more than it does in America, yet the average pay of the day laborer is only twenty cents a day. No wonder Italians are swarming to America. The taxation required to maintain the monstrous army does it. This policy will in time depopulate Italy of her best bone and sinew.

Miss H. P. Dame, of the treasury department, Washington, is president of the Women Army Nurses' association. She desires all such nurses to send to her their names, date of enlistment and discharge, name of commissioning authority, hospital, its surgeon and their present address. It is desired to ascertain how many of the old nurses will attend the encampment at Washington in September.

The point of view from which Republican French statesmen regard the Catholic clergy in France may be inferred from the fact that the proposal late in giving the Sunday rest day to the workingmen failed to pass the upper house of the French parliament because it was denounced as a clerical measure. The French clergy have always sided with imperialism and royalty against the republic, and Pope Leo himself has had to take them to task for it.

Co-operative Cookery.

It really appears to be making progress. There are certainly two co-operative cooking clubs that have not gone to pieces. One of them is at Utica, N. Y. Here a club whose membership now reaches sixty was organized in 1890. Officers were elected and a house hired for the kitchen. A competent chef was employed, with assistants. It was not the design so much to live cheaply as to provide the best of things at a reduced rate of worry. The chef and other employees live in the clubhouse and have charge of everything except the buying of raw material. This is done by the club itself, and a strict account of every dime is kept. At the end of each month the expenditures are divided equally among the members. It has been found that the food costs three dollars a week to each individual. The club shows no signs of failing.

Another successful co-operative cooking organization is the Bellamy club, of Junction City, Kan. This has been in operation a year and is flourishing and successful in every respect. Here the cooking is done at the co-operative kitchen, and the food delivered at the members' homes. As in case of building associations, the officers of the Bellamy club serve without pay, and this cuts down expenses. The work is thoroughly distributed, so that no one officer begins to have a feeble and work she would have if she ran her own kitchen. The club began by supplying food to forty-four families, and these remain in it and are full of enthusiasm for its future. The cost is a third less to each family than if they had the cooking done at home. The food is better prepared and in greater variety, with no bother of cabbage smells in the house. Evidently here is a hint toward the housekeeping of the future.

The Referendum.

It is a serious question whether the referendum should not be permitted to all countries enjoying manhood suffrage. The conservative leaders in Belgium made the referendum privilege one of the conditions on which they agreed to the extension of suffrage among the people.

Switzerland has probably today the wisest and best systematized government in the world. Not only has she moved on prosperously as a free government since 1815, making her the ancestor of all modern republics and confederations, but she has given us scores of most distinguished teachers, scholars and inventors, who have spread light into all regions of the earth. The referendum, therefore, which the Swiss government adopted after prolonged consideration and study is worthy the attention of all countries enjoying the right of suffrage.

Briefly, the referendum is a method of allowing the whole people to determine whether any important measure shall become law. After the federal legislatures have decided on a law and passed the bill, this does not finally decide it. If private citizens object to the law, they petition the government to have its passage referred to the whole body of voters in Switzerland. If the number of petitioners meets the legal requirement, then the government has no choice but to let the voters of the country at large decide whether they will have the law. On a certain day appointed they meet and cast their ballot for or against the measure, and the majority decision of the whole people is final. Thus in this way the legislature can never override the will of the people. A remedy is at hand which can be applied within a few days at any time. The referendum is but resorted to, however, unless some measure of unusual importance comes up for decision.

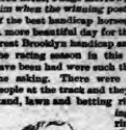
JUDGE MORROW IS KING

He Wins the Brooklyn Handicap at Gravesend.

LONGSTREET AWAY IN THE REAR

Thirty Thousand People Watch the Favorite for the Great Race Easily Beaten by Trainer Green B. Morris' Swift Horse Pesarra's Desperate Fight at the Finish

NEW YORK, May 17.—The astute trainer Green B. Morris, won the rich Brooklyn handicap at the Gravesend track with his good horse, *Judge Morrow*, who had behind *him when the winning post was passed* some of the best handicap horses in the country. A more beautiful day for the running of the great Brooklyn handicap and the opening of the racing season in this state could not have been had were such things granted for the asking. There were certainly 30,000 people at the track and they filled the grand stand, lawn and betting ring to overflowing. The betting ring just before the first race was a sight, and one can aptly ascribed *it as* looking as though four dozen different football teams were all playing at once. The people pushed and shoved each other in a fashion that would not have been tolerated elsewhere, and above all could be seen *floating mass* of greenbacks that were being wildly waved at the bookmakers by the frenzied people as they tried to get their money down.

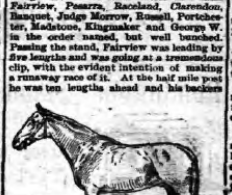


GREEN B. MORRIS.

Fit to Run for a Man's Life.

The handicap candidates presented a pretty appearance as they paraded past the grand stand on their way to the post, and they were greeted with rounds of applause. Each horse looked as fine as silk and fit to *run for a man's life. Longstreet* was a hot favorite in the betting. He opened at 4 to 5, and at that figure closed. Russell, Judge Morrow, Pesarra and Raceland followed in order in the betting, while against most of *the others a long price* could be obtained. The winner's price varied between 6 to 10 to 1 against.

The horses were finally sent away, with Longstreet in the lead. After him came *Fairview, Pesarra, Raceland, Clarendon, Banquet, Judge Morrow, Russell, Portchester, Madstone, Klugmaker* and George W. in the order named, but well bunched. Passing the stand, Fairview was leading by *five* lengths and was going at a tremendous clip, with the evident intention of making a runaway race of it. At the half mile post he was ten lengths ahead and his backers



JUDGE MORROW.

were jubilant. Russell headed the second division, half a length behind *Pesarra* and *Longstreet*, all lengths apart. *Judge* Morrow was right at their heels. At the mile Russell had overhauled and passed Fairview, who did not appear to be hard gone to the front, and Pesarra had passed *Raceland* and *Longstreet*.

The Fight at the Finish.

At this point Judge Morrow began to make his move and McLaughlin endeavored to do so with the favorite, Longstreet, but *failed*, and a cry went up that *the favorite* was beaten. Turning into the stretch Russell was leading by a length. Judge Morrow was second, lapped by Pesarra and Raceland. At the furlong post Russell still had his head *in front and Judge Morrow*, but the Morris horse was running well within himself, while Russell was laboring hard and was being punished. In the final sixteenth Russell gave it up and it looked like an easy victory for Judge Morrow. He was fooled, however, not to win without a terrific struggle, for Tarsi on Pesarra bored his mount up to him almost at a bound.

Then began a terrific struggle to the wire, during which the horses ran neck and neck. Both the jockeys and the horses strained every nerve and it was uncertain which horse would win, so evenly did they appear to be matched at this exciting point in the race. But Pesarra's wonderful burst of speed told on him and just before the wire was reached Judge Morrow's head showed in front and remained so until the finish. Russell came in third, three lengths away, while Longstreet, the favorite, finished absolutely last. A Chinaman rode Judge Morrow, the lightweight jockey, rode the winner in masterly style. The fractional time of the races was as follows: First quarter, :24½; half, :47¾; three quarters, 1m. 13s.; mile, 1m. 37¾.; mile and a quarter, 2m. 05¾.

An interesting story is told about the victory of Judge Morrow. A prominent millionaire turfman approached Mr. Morris a few days ago, while the latter was at the track watching Judge Morrow at his work, and remarked that in view of the horse's good work it was a pity that he was not first class. "Well," said the old trainer, positively stroking his chin, "I was the Kentucky derby with *Apollo* and he wasn't in the first two classes; but he was *it*." The astounding story is told about the victory of Judge Morrow. A prominent millionaire turfman approached Mr. Morris a few days ago, while the latter was at the track watching Judge Morrow at his work, and remarked that in view of the horse's good work it was a pity that he was not first class. "Well," said the old trainer, positively stroking his chin, "I won the Kentucky derby with *Apollo* and he wasn't in the first two classes; but he was it." These, indeed, are days for Judge Morrow, he added. "That's just what that old horse is." That his prediction was well founded was proven when Judge Morrow flashed under the wire first and won the great race.

The Yale Prize Equally Divided.

NEW HAVEN, May 17.—Lieutenant Totten, United States army, has announced the decision of the committee of award of the annual prize in the military department of Yale. The prize is equally divided between Thomas Handy, jr., of New York, and Josiah Harmar, of Philadelphia.

Maniac Buddeman is Dead.

NYACK, N. Y., May 17.—James Buddeman, who tried to kill his children at Tappan while insane, died before he could be returned to the asylum, from which he had been discharged as cured after spending two years there.

Gastritis Epidemic at Erie.

ERIE, Pa., May 17.—An epidemic of diphtheria prevails forward a large proportion of cases prove fatal. Strict quarantine of the infected houses has been ordered.

NO MORE BISHOPS WANTED.

The Methodist Conference Thus Declares Itself at Omaha.

OMAHA, May 17.—It was decided that after May 18 no more memorials and appeals will be received by the Methodist conference. A motion to require all reports to be in by Monday, and final adjournment to be on Thursday the 26th, was laid on the table by a vote of 212 to 111.

The Woman's national convention of the United States sent in a communication congratulating the conference on having by a majority vote of nineteen, said body declared in favor of equal participation of women in the councils of the church.

A resolution to change the name of the church from the Holy Catholic to the Universal Church of Christ was referred. Dr. Kynett offered a resolution that the committee on judiciary be instructed to insert the word laymen whether it means male or female, or both, and that a report be made by May 20, adopted.

Dr. Buckley presented the report of the committee on Episcopacy. That portion of its deeming inexpedient the election of missionary bishops of India and Africa as superintendents was adopted. That also the committee's recommendation that none of the present bishops be declared insufficient at this time on their present health is such as to lead the committee to believe that they will live during the coming quadrennial. The committee recommended that no more bishops be appointed as it is unnecessary. The bishops and their friends fought bitterly against the report but were overwhelmingly defeated.

In regard to a colored bishop the committee report that race and nationality of bishops is not a question of legislation, that the memorial be not granted. The report was adopted.

As to the matter of Episcopal residence the committee recommends that present restrictions be continued and that offices be established at Detroit, state of Washington, Europe and China or Japan.

The part referring to home residences was adopted and that relating to foreign was laid on the table. The conference then suddenly adjourned. This defeats Episcopal residences abroad.

FASHION CHIT CHAT.

Sailor hats are considered very chic.

One of the to-be new shades will be sage green.

Little hoods are attached to nearly all garments worn in the street.

Very elegant corselets are worn, many embroidered in gold, silver or shaded beads.

Parasols are made of the same material as the gowns in many instances, two yards extra material being required.

Sleeves are made wide and full, put in with large plaits that do not extend above the shoulder. They are close fitting from the elbow to the wrist.

In gloves shades of fawn and beaver are much worn. Short gloves are still in favor for ballroom and opera, while long ones are relegated to evening wear.

Since the fez box has been compelled to seek refuge on the shelf the liberty scarf has come into existence. The scarfs are of soft silks in all the changeable shades and are wound round the throat in a most effective manner.

She Killed the Outlaw.

MAYRTSVILLE, S. C., May 17.—A. L. Gilmore, a notorious outlaw, entered the house of Rev. W. Brunt, and finding no one but Miss Brunt there, forced her to prepare dinner for him at the point of a pistol. After eating heartily, he leaped out of the window. Miss Brunt seized a gun and fired eighteen buckshot into Gilmore, *killing him. A reward of $500 was out for* Gilmore, which Miss Brunt will get.

Ernst Pac ed Victorious.

QUEBEC, May 17.—Judge Routhier rendered judgment for Pacaud in the case of the queen *vs.* Ernest Pacaud, for the recovery of the $100,000 of the Baie des Chaleurs money subsidies which Pacaud got from O. N. Armstrong, railway contractor. His honour stated that Pacaud did not deal directly with the late government and could not be answerable directly to it.

Important New Railroad Project.

CLEVELAND, May 17.—A project has been started to give this city a new railway outlet to the seaboard by way of West Virginia and Virginia, with the Atlantic terminus either at Yorktown or Hampton Roads, Va. The line will traverse the coal and iron districts of Ilarva almost due east and will divert a great export trade now going via New York.

Warrants for Pittsburg Editors.

PITTSBURG, May 17.—Agent McClure, of the Law and Order league, has opened batteries in dead earnest against the Sunday newspapers. Information has been made against nine warrants issued for the arrest of the proprietors of *The Leader*, Dispatch and Press.

Editor Ford's Suicide.

DENVER, May 17.—Robert H. Ford, brother of the managing editor of the *Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph*, committed suicide here this morning by shooting himself through the left temple. Ford was formerly city editor of *The Rocky Mountain News*, and was at one time connected with *The North American Review*.

American Ladies to See the Queen.

LONDON, May 17.—Another drawing room will be held on Thursday, at which Mrs. Lincoln, the wife of the American minister, will present Mrs. Grubb, the wife of General H. Boyd Grubb; Mrs. Potter Palmer, Mrs. Wharton Miller and others to the queen.

Count Herbert's Approaching Marriage.

PARIS, May 17.—Count Herbert Bismarck, son of the chancellor, has gone to visit his fiancee, the Countess Hayos. The marriage will take place in this city on June 21. Count Bismarck's family and most of the diplomatic corps will be present.

A Cronin Suspect Ill.

CHICAGO, May 17.—A dispatch dispatch announces the serious illness of Dan Coughlin, another of the accomplices in the Cronin murder.

John A. Sullivan Named.

NEW YORK, May 17.—The commissioner has appointed John A. Sullivan collector of city revenue and superintendent of markets.

The Poisoning of General Grodno.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 17.—There is no doubt that the drug causing the death of General Grosnoe, prefect of police in St. Petersburg, was hampered, with, although Dr. Gotchowsky, who was treating him, was not aware of the fact.

A Negro Burglar Killed.

ORLANDO, Fla., May 17.—While a negro named Green was burglarizing the postoffice at Somerville he was shot and killed by an officer.

PARKHURST ON HIS PLAN.

Modern Methods Needed to Combat Modern Vice.

TAMMANY HALL AGAIN ATTACKED.

The Famous New York Clergyman Lectures at Washington on the Church's Duty Concerning Municipal Regeneration—He Defends His Course.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Long before the hour fixed for the beginning of the lecture by Rev. C. H. Parkhurst, of New York, of the Church of the Covenant, the doors were closed by the police, to prevent further crowding of the house. About 1,500 persons heard the lecture, and half as many more failed to obtain admittance. Of the list of signers to the invitation upon which Dr. Parkhurst came to Washington only two were noticed in the audience, Senator Hawes, of Massachusetts, and Gardner G. Shaipard. Rev. Dr. Scott, Mrs. Harrison's *father*, was present in a pew. On the platform were President Rankin, of Harvard university, and a number of the local clergy. Dr. Rankin presided, and read letters of regret from President Cleveland, Bishop Paret, of Maryland; Rev. W. A. Bartlett, D. D., and others. He introduced the lecturer in a few words of commendation for the work he had done in New York.

The Church and Municipal Reform.

In his lecture, which was upon the work of the church in municipal regeneration, Dr. Parkhurst referred only briefly to his experience in New York and attacked Tammany only as the manifestation of the spirit in all cities and in all parties which it is the duty of Christians to combat. Many of his points were warmly applauded, and it was apparent that the audience gave the speaker their sympathetic support. Speaking of the duty of the church to save the world, he said: "It is a most critical and clerical cowardice to go skylarking after antediluvian iniquity. It is evasive and cowardly. What is the use of maligning David for his sins and the betting power old Solomon for his irregularities? If we are going to bless today's world, we have got to bless today's world to work on. If your boy has a leg that needs to be amputated, you are not going to cure him by getting the surgeon to operate on some old Egyptian mummy that has been lying for 4,000 years under the ground. If you are *going to cure today's boy you* will have to operate on today's boy. Drunken Noah, lousy Jacob and libidinous David have been immensely overworked. It is an attempt on the part of the church to satisfy its conscience without doing its duty.

He Admits Wanton Assertions.

"Other things being equal, it is as urgently the obligation of a Christian to go to the polls on election day as it is for him to go to the Lord's table on communion day. I admire Tammany for its unswerving fidelity to its own aims and purposes. The wigwam has earned its position of power. There are a good many lessons which the powers of darkness are competent to teach the children of light, and that is one of them. Vice is a good deal sprvier than virtue, has better generalship, can work longer without getting tired, and has less need of bait holidays.

"We easily get accustomed to the conscious presence of iniquity. In my own city it is such an understood fact that every crime has its price that men's ethical sensibilities have in the course of time grown callous to the fact. Such contemptible characters as the wanton assertions of the criminal classes had become such a familiar truism that the community had ceased to pay attention to them. Only occasionally do they strike the world across the first riffle of ethical indignation.

"It looks a little now as though the general conclusion were reached from the first that, and when the general conscience gets started it makes hot weather for the sinners. Hence the almost ferocious jealousy with which Tammany has met the investigation of that gang of free booters studiously depreciates public interference with the concrete iniquity of which it is the accursed as the result of Tammany's long lease of power.

Regeneration for Cities.

"During the last three months they have expended more agony and perpetrated more lies than would have sufficed to unmask to pluck the mask from Tammany's dirty face, and to use his pulpit for the permanent destruction of the mask and the dirt under it, than they have shed over the blood stain of all the rum holes, gambling hells and brothels of Manhattan Island in all those last ten years. With them the one only crime is to uncover crime.

"It is not changed political methods that, but a new political spirit that is needed. The doctrine of municipal regeneration is valid for cities and states as for individuals, and it can be done. Grace, grit and unsettled energy are all that is needed. I myself, a thousand young men in New York city, with good heads and good hearts and sufficiently conscious to the city and to the best to the God for whom they stand, could clear our head to whip Tammany every November until there was nothing left of Tammany but the memory of Tammany. I have referred to Tammany only as a type of evil. What is transpiring in greater or less degree in almost every large city is enough to make the angels weep."

At the conclusion of the lecture Dr. Parkhurst held quite a reception, many pressing forward to be presented.

Mr. Parkhurst Commended.

ALBANY, May 17.—The Albany Ministerial association adopted the following resolution: Resolved, That we hereby commend Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst in the courageous stand which he has taken, and which he has so ably maintained against the allied forces of evil in the city of New York; and we desire to express with that the sentiments of that great city, and of the state in exception, in using its influence in behalf of the cause for the suppression of vice, and of its brave promoter, in its effort to rid the metropolis of its dens of wickedness.

Chicago's Parkhurst Club.

CHICAGO, May 17.—Disciples of New York's clerical reformer will attempt to organize a Dr. Parkhurst club in Chicago. The object of the association will be one looking toward the extermination of the criminal element and closing of gambling houses. E. J. Sunsley, one of Dr. Parkhurst's New York assistants, is here to begin the work.

Another Victim Overcome.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Mrs. Marie Andrea, whose arrest and conviction for keeping a disorderly house at 45 West Fourth street were due to the efforts of Dr. Parkhurst, was sentenced by Judge Fitzgerald to one year on the county's island.

John Redmond to Visit America.

LONDON, May 17.—Mr. John Redmond has read a cablegram to-day to Parnellite meeting at Cork announcing that he had accepted invitations to visit America. Nobody except invitations to visit America. Nobody except invitations to visit America. Nobody except

AN ARMY OF MEN IS OUT.

Thousands of Granite Workers Are Idle Now.

THE GREAT LOCKOUT IS FULL BLAST

All New England Feels the Effects of the Gigantic Struggle Between Capital and Labor—It Will Be War to the Knife from Henceforth.

BOSTON, May 17.—One of the greatest troubles that New England has ever been afflicted with is now in full progress. It is in the granite trade. All of the granite firms in New England, with but few exceptions, have closed their works by a concerted prearrangement, mainly because the workmen would not consent to have all agreements between employer and employee date each year from Jan. 1 instead of May 1, as has been the custom. Such an agreement, the manufacturers claim, is essential to the proper conduct of their business, for most of their yearly contracts are made in January and that is the time when they should know the basis of wages for the year, so that they may intelligently figure on contracts.

At Least 120,000 Men Out.

A conservative estimate places the number of locked out quarrymen at 130,000; they live mainly in Boston, Quincy, Rockport, Monson and Milford, Mass., Concord, N. H., Hallowell, Waterville, Clark's Mills and Portland, Me., Barre, Vt., and Westerly, R. I. In many places the feeling among the granite cutters is that the present state of affairs will not last longer than the present week; but thus far neither manufacturers nor employees are disposed to make any concession whatever. Some firms that have government contracts are permitted to keep a part of their force at work. The men who are idle claim that the manufacturers have violated their contract by giving them only fifteen minutes' notice of the lockout instead of the three months' notice that the contract called for.

While the lockout is the chief topic of conversation, granite manufacturing centers and thousands of men are idle, they have been remarkably quiet and well behaved.

The Lockout at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—The lockout of granite cutters threatens to effect the Reading Terminal depot in this city, in which granite from Stony Creek, Conn., was to have been used. If necessary the plans of the station will be altered and other material used.

Work Will Continue at Albany.

ALBANY, May 17.—The stonecutters on the capitol say the strike will not affect their job. They say there is enough granite on hand to keep them busy for months. The Stonecutters' union voted $100 to the striking Newark workmen.

Want Railroad Men's Aid.

CONCORD, N. H., May 17.—Representatives of the granite cutters here are said to be endeavoring to induce railroad men to refuse to handle freight for the granite manufacturers.

But Five Per Cent. Citizens.

CHICAGO, May 17.—Immigration Inspector A. C. Osborne, of New York, is in this city. He has finished an investigation among the coal fields of Pennsylvania regarding the alien labor employed at the mines, and says that but 5 per cent. of the miners are citizens. The balance are Poles, Italians, Slavs and Hungarians. "The mine owners," he said, "can get all the foreign laborers they want without violating the alien contract labor law."

Actors May Be Given Cut Rates.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The United States supreme court has decided that railroad companies may lawfully sell tickets at reduced rates to parties of ten or more persons. This decision brings joy to the theatrical profession throughout the country, who are mainly interested in "party tickets."

Lady Cora Stewart Sued.

FREEHOLD, N. J., May 17.—Sheriff Smoch, of Monmouth county, has served papers upon Lady Cora Stewart in proceedings brought by a wealthy young man of New York to regain possession of property which she holds at Chapel Hill, and which it is claimed was not legally presented to her.

Deacon Was Seeking a Divorce.

PARIS, May 17.—A local paper states that Deacon, who is to be tried for shooting M. Abeille, had already taken steps toward procuring a divorce before the tragedy occurred. To his solicitor Mr. Deacon declared that his wife's conduct was exemplary until Abeille was introduced to her.

Ferry May Plead Guilty.

LYONS, N. Y., May 17.—Express Messenger McInerney and many other employees of the New York Central railroad and American Express company are in town to testify before the grand jury in the case of train robber Ferry. It is expected that Ferry will plead guilty.

Murderer Tice Ready to Die.

AUBURN, N. Y., May 17.—Joseph L. Tice sits in his little iron cage in the prison here awaiting death by electricity. He seems to have no fear of death. The same apparatus as used in the Kemler case will be used, but a largely increased voltage will be obtained.

Dr. Briggs Offered to Resign.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Rev. Dr. Briggs announced at the annual dinner of Union Theological seminary his willingness to resign from the seminary and leave the Presbyterian church if that course would restore harmony to the church.

A Rejected Lover's Double Crime.

CINCINNATI, May 17.—Hattie Hagedorn, a saleswoman in Hohenadel & Windhorst's dry goods store was fatally shot by Frank J. Schlee, a salesman in the same house. Crazed then killed himself. The girl had tired of his attentions.

Hunger Calls a Halt.

VIENNA, May 17.—The czar has ordered the annual maneuvers held on a less grand scale than usual in view of the famine. The change of plan will save the government $1,500,000 roubles.

Another Locomotive Blows Up.

DEADWOOD, S. D., May 17.—One of the Burlington and Quincy's 75-ton locomotives blew up killing Engineer Bouchard. Fireman Wilson and a brakeman named Nelson.

Michael Davitt Wins His Suit.

DUBLIN, May 17.—In Michael Davitt's libel suit for $1,000 against The Irish Independent, the jury awarded the plaintiff twenty pounds damages.

MISS MANHATTAN AT THE MATINEE.

And Her Appreciation of Various Scenes in the New Play.

AS THE CURTAIN IS RUNG UP FOR THE FIRST ACT.

AS "THE ENTERING" OF THE VILLAIN OF THE SCENE.

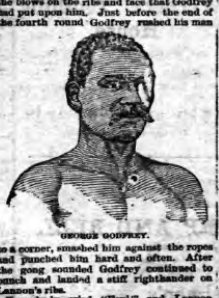
WHEN THE HEROINE "IS CAST OFF" BY THE HERO AND LEFT AT THE MERCIES OF THE VILLAIN.—N. Y. World.

JOE LANNON KNOCKED OUT.

He Succumbs to George Godfrey in Four Rounds.

NEW YORK, May 17.—The fight last night at the Coney Island Athletic club between Joe Lannon and the colored pugilist, George Godfrey, both of Boston, resulted in the defeat of Lannon. Four rounds were fought. Lannon claimed a foul, but it was decided that he was punched out. There were only 2,000 people present for the reason that most of the sports "went broke" on the defeat of Longstreet in the Brooklyn handicap. The betting was 100 to 85 on Godfrey. Lannon weighed in at 138 pounds, while Godfrey tipped the beam at 143.

Although only four rounds were fought, they were of the warmest character. The men were plainly in to fight on a grudge, and they went at each other with all the vim that was in them. Godfrey had the best of it all the way through. He knocked Lannon down in the fourth round and again went down with him in a clinch, in which Godfrey thumped the white man several times before falling. Lannon was plainly groggy as he tried to rise from the knockdown. He was thoroughly played out from the blows on the ribs and face that Godfrey had put upon him. Just before the end of the fourth round Godfrey rushed his man



GEORGE GODFREY.

to a corner, smashed him against the ropes and punched him hard and often. After the gong sounded Godfrey continued to punch and landed a stiff rightbander on Lannon's ribs.

Everybody cried "Foul!" and Lannon tried to fight back, but he was tired and winded and his blows had no effect. After the men went to their corners Lannon's seconds claimed the decision, and refused to allow their man to go out for another round. The referee would not allow the claim of foul and gave the verdict to Godfrey. Lannon's friends entered a protest, but Godfrey will probably receive $2,000 out of the $4,000 purse.

Cohen Wins the Century Race.

NEWARK, N. J., May 17.—George W. Cohen, of the Business Men's Cycle league, of this city, won the 100 mile race from Philadelphia. He was completely exhausted and had to be escorted to the hotel. None of the other riders were in sight when he finished. Cohen had twenty-one minutes handicap and his actual time was 7h. 32m. 30s. F. C. Dampman, of the W. C. R., of Wilmington, Del., one of the scratch men, was second, his actual time being 7h. 36m. 45s. He wins the prize for the best actual time. D. T. Wayne, W. A. C., was third; G. W. Goehring, of S. C. C. W., of Philadelphia, fourth, and James Blain, U. C. R., of Elizabeth, fifth.

Six College Records Broken.

HARTFORD, May 17.—At the field meeting of the Trinity athletic association six college records were broken and strong, eight won in the 100 yards dash, equaling the New England intercollegiate record.

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11:00 a. m. way for Lambertville.

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11:00 p. m. way for Jun. 1000

THE LOVERS.

Upon the polished silver shine
The evening lamps, but shine divine.
The light of love shines over all:
Of love, that says not mine and thine,
But ours, for ours is thine and mine.
They want no gossip to come between
Their tender glances like a screen,
And tell their tales of land and sea,
And whatsoever may betide
The great, forgiven world outside;
They want no guests the needs must be
Each other's own best company.
—Longfellow.

Why American Girls Succeed in England.

The alleged mystery as to how it is possible for American girls to be so successful in English society is after all no mystery, but simply owing to their self assertion. They appraise themselves highly, insist upon attention and decline to be ignored, all without the sacrifice of their dignity. The English girl does nothing of the sort, but remains to the Englishman "something better than his dog, a little dearer than his horse." I have stopped at the country house of an English peer and seen twelve English gentlemen ignore the existence of twelve English ladies at dinner every evening for a week. These men hunted all day, talked nothing but hunt all dinner and played cards and billiards all evening. The ladies were apparently a part of the furniture of the establishment and nothing more. It was pitiable to see them try to appear interested in the talk about the day's sport, asking timid questions and getting snubby answers.

This party was afterward joined by an American girl. After being there two days she told me she would not stand being ignored. She would make the men talk to her and stay a little while in the drawing room after dinner —and she did. The next day when they began on their old subject she said laughingly: "Oh, I have such a happy thought! Suppose you men stop harping on horses and hunting and make yourselves agreeable to us. I know you are all bored and dying for a new sensation, and this will be very strange and weird to you." This speech simply electrified the front de boeufs seated around the table. They laughed, looked at her with interest, and from that time on the women had a delightful time, particularly the American. —Arthur Brisbane in New York World.

A Female Traveler.

An old tramp who lately began her wanderings in Connecticut is Catherine Walker, a bent old woman, eighty-three years old, who wears a gingham dress and a deep black hood. She has a wrinkled, not unpleasant face, and looks like any aged farmer's wife in the country towns. She came into Norwich from Willimantic a day or two ago. She is not weary. She is a professional tramp. Catherine is an excellent walker, but she prefers to ride on a railroad if she can get a county selectman to forward her in that way.

She says that she first started on the road from Pennsylvania, and has crossed Massachusetts and Connecticut several times. She came into Willimantic early in the week, staid there awhile and then told the selectment of the town that she had lots of friends in Norwich who would be glad to see her. So the selectmen bought her a ticket for Norwich and put her or board of a south bound train. She is such a kind, motherly looking old woman that she had no trouble in borrowing a dollar or two of people on the street in this town. After a few days she informed Selectman Lillibridge that she "guessed she would go back to Willimantic." The selectman accordingly bought a railroad ticket for her, and she went back to that borough, on the first northward bound train. No doubt the Willimantic authorities will buy another ticket for her and send her on her travels.—Norwich Letter.

Trimming Without Nails.

Women have a great many ways of "passing" the impossible, but one of the things that is denied to most of them is to make a home trimmed hat that will look like the work of a milliner. They understand just how it ought to look, but when they come to work out their understanding through their fingers the fingers show their lack of education and fail to give those deft airy touches that lend the proper air of distinction to headgear.

A shrewd milliner in New York has put forward the first bit of real helpfulness to women who must do their own hat trimming, and are nevertheless not desirous of having that fact proclaimed to the world. In his showcases he has for sale knots of ribbons and velvets of all hues made up with the very newest twirl and twist, securely stitched and ready to be fastened on the hat or bonnet. Some of these are designed for the only decoration, and some need feather or other ornaments to complete them.—New York Sun.

Better Off as He Is.

Max O'Rell has been guilty of saying that he hopes the next time he is born it may be as an American woman. And a writer in The Woman's Tribune answers that—if he were an American woman now and had to work for half pay or less because of his sex, and if he married and should find himself owning neither his person, his children, nor the proceeds of his daily toil, and if he should find himself unable to have any voice in shaping the laws which touched him in every relation of life, being taxed without representation and governed without his consent, to say nothing of the deep tyranny he would be subject to, he might wish he were Max O'Rell again.

A Remarkable Fashion in Cutlery.

A curious fashion has found its way into the manufacture of table hardware. The handles of table knives are now made of china to match the plates. There are sets for each course. Those for pastry have backs of the steel, but the little fluffy chicks and ducks upon them: those used with the game course have tiny figures of partridge and miniature long legged snipe painted on them —Indianapolis News.

HIS CALENDAR.

It Was Original with Him but the Editor Didn't Want It.

He was a little poor with long unshaven right to the existence of a softer shade his neck a matter of faith in the beholder. He stepped lightly in and asked the editor: "How would you like an original calendar for 1893?"

"Who originated it?" asked the editor.

"I did," replied the poet, with a pleasant smile.

"Is it pretty early to think of a calendar for 1893," said the editor reflectively, "but how does it go?"

"Why, it is in the conventional run, such as indicating the anniversary of the birth of Andrew Jackson and the battle of Bunker Hill. All the subjects of the season are duly chronicled, but the thing I have just laid myself out on is the poetical business."

"Let's hear some of it," said the editor.

"To begin with," replied the poet, running his fingers through his pompadour hair dreamily, "I have confined the verses to imaginary poets. Now here is one for May signalized to J. S. Coxeyberger:

Now the balmy breeze is blowing
Over the bosom of the sea,
And the poet's heart is glowing
Finelle Simmons in a sea.

"How would you like a comic snapper on the end?" asked the poet, pausing.

"Yes, I do," said the editor.

And the billy goat is going
For the hornfel to the glen,
And the hornfel is a-growing
With he-ha-ha-ha-ha.

"How's that?" asked the poet.

"First rate," said the editor, passing his left hand gently over his face on the desk. "Now let's see what you have to say about October."

The poet was hastie himself with joy. It was all he could do to keep still. And the editor thought nothing of it when he beat time with his foot like a tenpin player while he read:

Oh, a silver frost is slipping
All the roses in the moon,
While the merlot's lip is sipping
The last drop from the spout.
There was hustle heard of chirping
Like the chirping of the birds,
And the hatchman drowsed nipping
As he sip the lemon lemon.
While the lily
In the chilly
Zephyr seems to disappear.

"I attribute that to Hemingway Olypheant," said the poet as he paused.

"It is very fine," remarked the editor, "but you must have something of a very sensible character, referring to this chosen emotional season when the marrowfat pea pops from the moist, warm earth."

"I have," replied the poet, "in my lyric on June."

Now the rosy rose springtime's
Carorting like a phantom,
And the farmer in the garden
Are uprooted by the bantam.
Now the lee man's up and doing,
And the lemon's boarding.
And beside the pleasant brothlake
The wild poppy flower is blooming.

"Are the rosy rose on the other months as good?" asked the editor.

"On the average, yes," replied the poet, "and I have taken pains to make them all appropriate to time, with the aid of high poetic terminiacs. I have done them in the finest style of the divine art, and they are so conjoined that with the slight change they can be made four several modicum verses. What do you think of the schemes?"

"Fine," said the editor.

"Is it worth $5.00?" asked the poet hopefully.

"Not to us," said the editor, "because it is not in our line. If it were in our line it would be worth no more than dollars, but as long as it is not in our line, it is not worth any more to us than a pair of immature would be to an elephant."

The poet was pretty rough to raise my expectations in that way and then let me down so hard and suddenly," moaned the poet in a fine, sweet sorrow.

"I am sorry to disappoint you, poltroon, it is usually said that editors throw pomes down stairs and out of windows. If I had done that you would think me a brute. No you think me too hard and unsuitable when I am doing my utmost to treat you with courtesy and consideration, don't you?"

"I do," said the poet.

"Then," said the editor, "here is $2.50 for your calendar. Now, I want you to go back and say there is one white editor in this land who treats the poet like an antique god."

The poet said he would, and as he hailed for a beauty with the $2.50 in his bony hand, he sang:

The matchwood is blowing,
And the purple rose
Adorns the editor's stipping
The tra-la-la-la-loo.

—Detroit Free Press.

He Knew.

A small boy was receiving instructions in simple mathematics at the hand of his father, Professor Proctor. If I had five oranges and Aunt B. was to ask you for four, how many would you have left?" The youngster thought for a moment and then answered: "Tell Aunt B. if she wanted the orf."—Middletown Press.

He Was Wise.

There's at least one lawyer in Detroit who has his doubts about the immortality of human affairs, and he is a serious man with a wife. It is his custom to put on his overcoat, when he leaves the office, precisely, notice somewhat of this character:

"Gone to lunch; back in half an hour."
"Gone to court; back in three hours."
"Gone out to see a man; back in ten min utes."

And so on, as the circumstances may require, and as he is a prompt man, callers are generally successful in waiting for him.

One day last week a caller found this on his door:

"Gone shopping with my wife; back the Lord only knows when."

The caller being a married man himself didn't wait; neither did four ladies who called in a body, for they were doing shopping themselves.—Detroit Free Press.

A Good Investment.

"It has cost you a good deal to put you son through college?"

"Yes."

"Do you think it is likely to pay you?"

"Well, I expect so. He has already received one offer from a professional baseball club."—New York Press.

Putting It Gently.

Olivia—Say, Lily, I saw Fred Hardup going into a pawnshop yesterday. Whatever could he be doing there?

Lily—Oh, I don't know—passing his time away, maybe.—Smith, Gray & Co.'s Monthly.

An Interested Party.

She—Oh, yes, I quite believe there's a fool in every family. Don't you?

He—Well—er—my opinion's rather biased. You see, I'm the only member of our family.—Yonker's Magazine.

MUSLIN CURTAINS.

How They May Be Mounted so as to Be Proof of Summer Windows.

Very few women like to see their best lace curtains during the summer. They get so dusty, and after they are washed they never look quite as nice as they did before. Besides, everything has certain seasons that one wishes to have them in, and muslin curtains are one of one's best at the windows. And so, rather than run the risk of spoiling her treasures, the good housekeeper puts away her lace and in the spring puts in muslin to have windows during the summer.

A very pretty substitute for the lace curtains can be found in the muslin ones according to the New York Commercial Advertiser. The muslins may be white, with colored dots in it, or it may be plain, white dotted muslin, which is familiar to every one.

The colored muslin is, however, more artistic, and will not so quickly show the dust and wear of summer.

IN PLACE OF LACE.

Fasten the curtains upon the pole or cornice and then cut them off just long enough to touch the floor. Now take the curtain off the cornice and gather on all sides of the edge a narrow ruffle or a shirring of plain white muslin or musli. The ruffling should be of very thin material, so that it gives somewhat the appearance of lace.

The best the curtains with strips of the muslin, edged with the same ruffling, and turn a bit of ruffling over the hook which holds the curtain back, so as to make a neat and pretty finish.

These muslin ruffle will be found really very satisfactory, and if shaken out in the fall and carefully folded they will do duty for another summer.

THE DESTRUCTIVE MOTH.

The Advice Given Below Will Save Many A Valuable Garment.

Furs and all woolen garments should be packed away early in April, before the moth-miller and buffalo-beetle are ready to lay eggs. When either of these creatures have once taken up their habitat in either fur or wool, neither camphor, pepper, cedarwood or tobacco will drive them away, and the eggs will hatch out in a cool closet or in an atmosphere impregnated with camphor, and probably with any other preventive; and the grub will go on with its sweetcorned work, patiently satisfied with its surroundings. The beetle, however, avoids all the so-called preventives, and will not lay its eggs in any substance which is impregnated with them. Neither will it attack a garment in any cast once for its purpose. Furs and woolens laid away and free not to be use are put away over in simple newspapers in which pieces of camphor gum have been laid, pieces of camphor may be suspended from the corners of muslin. These muslin especially dislike the light of day, and are more likely to take up their habitation if light is admitted. Pepper or sassafras oil for rugs, hung up in a dark closet there anywhere else. Having once secured an abiding place, it is doubtful how you get rid of the pests.

Long garments should be simply hung up in a cotton bag, made of sheet, unbleached muslin, with plenty of room to be tied and moths, with plenty of room to be tied and moths, with plenty of room to be tied and moths

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ESTABLISHED 1884. PLAINFIELD, N. J., "THE COLORADO OF THE EAST," WEDNESDAY, MAY 18, 1892. PRICE TWO CENTS

The Weather.

Generally cooler and from cloudy to partly cloudy, with rain, followed by clearing.

BREVITIES

—Mayflower Festival at the W. C. T. U. rooms, Crescent building to-night.

—The Independent Drum and Fife Corps of this city, were out practising last evening.

—Thursday evening, June 23, the High School will hold their commencement exercises in Music Hall.

—The regular meeting of the New Jersey Historical Society will be held in its rooms at Newark next Thursday.

—An old barn near Bound Brook which was stranded during the Revolutionary War was destroyed by fire last night.

—The U. S. Grant Club of North Plainfield will meet the first of next week and arrange for the coming campaign.

—The reception to members of the Loyal Temperance Legion is postponed until four o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

—A number of the members of the Salvation Army attended the great meeting of the Army in New York City yesterday.

—Gov. Abbett has as appointed State Treasurer George R. Gray an electrical railway Commissioner, vice James Smith, Jr., resigned.

—A socialist will be held, under the auspices of the Young People's society of the First Baptist church, in their rooms, next Thursday evening.

—Olive Branch Lodge, K. of P., of Elizabeth, will pay a fraternal visit to Perseverance Lodge of this city on Friday evening, May 27th.

—The Central Railroad trackmen are at work raising the rails of the track near the Central depot and will lay new board walks at the crossings, etc.

—The Gorhams, colored champions of the United States and the Crescents of this city, are playing ball at the Somerset street grounds this afternoon.

—The Daughters of the Cross will hold a sale of cakes, candies and plants on Friday, May 20th, from four to six in the Park Club building. All are invited.

—The society of the Daughters of the Cross will hold a sale Friday afternoon, May 20, between the hours of four and six, at the Park Club House, as elsewhere advertised.

—The allowances made in the River and Harbor bill for New Jersey aggregate $158,125, of which sum the Elizabeth river gets $5,000, the Raritan $40,000, and the Passaic $10,000.

—Workmen are busy laying pipes for the automatic signals on the Central Railroad from Bound Brook east. The circuit between Bound Brook and Elizabeth is now almost completed.

—The military company connected with Professor Leal's school, were photographed yesterday afternoon, in front of Dr. C. M. Field's residence on Broad way. The boys made a fine appearance.

—Michael Doucho was arrested last night for drunkenness and this morning Judge Codington gave him his choice between $10 or 20 days. He took the latter and was transferred to Elizabeth to-day.

—The representatives of the Exempt Firemen's Association of New Jersey will attend the annual meeting to be held to-day in Hackensack. Messrs. A. Stillman, chairman, J. L. Moore, A. Titsworth, Samuel Robinson and G. Thorn are the delegates from this city.

—The Central Railroad of New Jersey will sell special excursion tickets to Trenton on May 24th and 25th, good to return until May 26th, inclusive, for the accommodation of those attending the State Democratic Convention. Fare for the round trip from Plainfield will be $1.64.

—A programme is arranged for racing at Waverly Park on May 30. There will be at least seven and the afternoon will be well taken up with good racing. Among the horses of national reputation already entered are Billy Button, Electra, Rachel B. and Bert Sheldon.

—The annual meeting for the election of directors of the Union Water Company of Cranford was held Monday at the office of the company in the township of Cranford. The following named were elected directors for the ensuing year: Sylvester Cahill, Sr., Sylvester Cahill, Jr., Benjamin F. Ham. Frank Dorgan, James Hendricks, John Kean, Jr., Foster M. Voorhees.

—A well-dressed stranger deliberately crossed several tracks at the depot, in Elizabeth yesterday, and seated himself in front of the east-bound Somerville express. He paid no attention to the cries of the bystanders or the whistle of the locomotive, and was struck by the engine and instantly killed. The desperate stranger's body was frightfully mutilated, and the head was completely severed from the trunk. There was nothing on the body that gave a clue to his identity.

—A girl named Bertha Stites, who lives on Steiner place, had one of her toes dislocated by being caught under an upturned board in one of the sidewalks on Somerset street, while on her way home from school a few days ago. During he the severe hurt she received, Dr. Jenkins was called upon to attend her. There is an upturned plank on the sidewalk on Somerset street, between the public school and Linden avenue, which has tripped up and hurt a good many people of late. A hammer and a few nails would remedy the defect in a short time and save much annoyance. But these sidewalks ought to be abolished altogether. They are unfit for such engineering people as reside in North Plainfield.

CENTRAL NEW JERSEY LEAGUE.

The Base Ball League to open Saturday—Who the Clubs have Signed.

Saturday the first game in the Central New Jersey Base Ball League will be played in this city, the Crescents crossing bats with the Westfields and the Y. M. C. L. A. of Elizabeth with the Somerville at the former's grounds.

Manager Mack of the Somervilles, has a very strong team this year. His pitching force will probably include Harkins, George Cadmus and Anderson of last year's Syracuse Stars.

The Somervilles have the strongest aggregation that the Crescents will meet and consequently their games will be the most exciting.

Elizabeth has a very strong pitcher in Francis and the Westfields will probably have either O'Neil or Hemmings in the box.

Keenan and Hofford will be the battery for the Crescents.

The following bulletin has been issued by Secretary L. C. Mack of the C. N. J. B. B. League:

The Westfield Club has contracted with Dyson, Howe, McBobice, Lever, O'Rourke, O'Neil, Hammill, Warner, Hemming, Reilly, McGuire.

The Plainfield Club with Jones, Bonner, Keeler, Murphy, Turner, Dailey, Keenan, Hofford and Hall.

The Elizabeth Club with Francis, Rafferty, Demlein, Liddy, Murray, Williams, Berry, Dillon, Reed, Morse and Sparks.

The Somerville Club with Kennedy, Farrell, Morehead, Carbonell, Harkins, Cadmus, Cantlow, Curtis, Hemegan and Reese.

The players previously reserved or contracted by the respective clubs can be and whose names do not appear in the foregoing list have been released.

Sec'y C. N. J. B. B. League.

In addition to this the Y. M. C. L. A. released Moran and Dunlein, and have signed Coogan and Thompson.

The Crescents have without doubt the best-rounded batters in the League, and although the field will be a hard one, they will win the pennant.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Myers, formerly of Arlington avenue, has removed to 37 Kensington avenue.

Mr. A. B. Dunlap, of this city, has taken up his old quarters at the Grenada, on North avenue.

Mrs. James Bowman, of East Sixth street, started yesterday for a short visit to Philadelphia.

Mr. J. H. Leggett, who seriously injured his knee several days ago, is out again, but only with the aid of crutches.

Mr. E. A. Coleridge, who is connected with the Pond Machine Tool Company's Draughting office, will leave for England, next Wednesday, on a visit to his parents. He will probably return to this city in the fall.

Investments made by Howard L. Emerson of this city in the West have turned out badly and it is feared that he may suffer considerable losses. For some time past he has been in the West endeavoring to straighten out his affairs, and it is probable that he will remain for some time until they are settled.

Mrs. Annie E. Bond, wife of Van Deveere Bond, died very suddenly at 67 Clinton street, Newark, yesterday morning, at 11 o'clock. She was the eldest daughter of the late Daniel J. Marshall, who was for a great many years a prominent man in Plainfield affairs. Mr. Bond's father was for many years the pastor of the First Presbyterian church in this city. The funeral will be at Mt. Pleasant, Newark, Thursday, May 26th inst., from the house.

Bowling Last Night.

White's high water mark of 205 at the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum, was beaten last night by both Butcher and Curren. The former now holds the record for bowling with the score of 232.

The following were the results, the competitors being arranged opposite each other:

Butcher	226	Curren	207
Gallagher	149	Whalen, M	126
Curren	141	Revelle	127
Gallagher	135	Owens	116
Guntzer	140	Mack	123
Butcher	121	Guntzer	114

At the Crescent to-morrow night Team 1 and Team 3 will bowl.

The following men comprise the bowlers:

Team 1—Arnold, Tobin, Ward, Thiers, Geo. Hallock.

Team 3—H. Doane, Haynes, McIntyre, T. Doane, C. Vail.

Arrivals at the Hotels.

The Albion—Chas. D. Baldwin, Columbia College; F. J. Baverly and lady, Tyrone, Pa.; W. P. Mellck and lady, Tyrone, Pa.; Mrs. W. H. Lowrie, Miss Rachel Lowrie, Mrs. Bronck, Mrs. Bronck, Mrs. Seward, E. H. Booth, city.

The Grenada—A. Dunlap, city; J. Perrin, J. V. Moore, Newark; H. A. Spencer, New York; Louis Callman, Harlem, N. Y.; Gus. Faust, Elizabeth; J. F. MacDonald, city; F. W. Falconer, Harlem; F. Hall, Philadelphia; F. A. Bratton, New York. Henry E. Stevenson, Trenton; D. Higgins, Flemington; C. Haynes, New York;

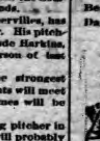
City Hotel—G. T. Wallace, Phila.; D. C. Park, New York; E. G. Bruer, New York; Perry Gross, Newark; R. E. Hoffman, Brooklyn.

—The Acme Tailoring Co., No. 12 West Front street, say they are now ready to make good their word to the effect that they carry "the largest stock of cloths, cassimeres and vestings in the State at lowest prices for the same qualities of make and fit, every suit being guaranteed all wool and made to fit perfectly or no sale, and that inspection of the establishment means almost invariably a purchase." They ask our readers to give them a call and become satisfied.

MAYFLOWER FESTIVAL

NUMEROUS PRETTY ARTICLES SOLD BY MANY PRETTY GIRLS.

Many People Present at the Crescent Building—The Proceeds for the Benefit of a Most Noble Work, the Day Nursery—Committees, etc.



HE Mayflower Festival held under the auspices of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, opened yesterday afternoon in their rooms at the Crescent building, corner of Broadway and Fourth street.

The tables and booths were admirably arranged by their pretty overseers, who were kept busy attending to their numerous buyers.

Many articles, both useful and ornamental, were sold, and altogether the festival will no doubt prove a financial success.

The object of the festival is to start a fund to defray the expenses of maintaining a circle, or Day Nursery, where poor mothers, who are compelled to support themselves, and yet are unable to go out to work because of their infants, may have them taken care of for them at a nominal price, or no price at all, if they are too poor to pay.

The management of the festival is under the direction of Mrs. Krom and reflects much credit on her executive ability. She is ably assisted by the following ladies:

The Day Nursery table is presided over by Mrs. W. L. Patton, chairman, assisted by the Misses Bess, Brown, Ellis, Fritts, Green, Holmes, Lewis, Mosher, Morrison, Mazen, Potter, Stephen, Sterlin, Spicer, and Wilhemina Patten.

Miss Mincola Tomlinson has charge of the flower booth, assisted by the Misses Anna Wykoff, Louise Cowden, Florence Titsworth, Whiting, Stephen, Lottie Stephens and Yates.

At the Kitchen Garden table Miss Alice Smith presides, assisted by the Misses La Bryeaux, Little Bess, Mary Berg and Bruestine Smith.

The lemonade stand is ably managed by Mr. W. J. M. McKinney, assisted by Mrs. W. Griffen and Mrs. A. A. Taft.

The refreshment committee consists of Mrs. Estes, Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. Francis, Mrs. Kimball, Mrs. Coyle, Mrs. Talmadge and Mrs. Rae.

The following ladies form a corps of pretty waitresses: The Misses Vermeule, Dowd, Hughes and Smith.

Miss Libbie Boss is chairman of the candy table, and is assisted by the Misses Bowers, Mrs. Smith, Miss May Kirkner, Clara Hill and Hedgeman.

Mrs. J. D. Titsworth and Mrs. F. A. Dunham have charge of the fancy goods table.

The following is a list of the lady patronesses:

Mrs. Alexander Gilbert.	Mrs. W. L. Saunders.
Mrs. Charles Hyde.	Mrs. A. D. Shepard.
Mrs. H. Arnold.	Mrs. Wm. Richmond.
Mrs. Charles Potter,	Mrs. F. A. Richmond.
Mrs. Charles Potter, Jr.	Mrs. Wm. Richmond, Jr.
Mrs. I. V. P. Rankine.	Mrs. J. W. Johnson.

A feature of the entertainment is that every purchaser is entitled to a cup of tea.

The Festival will be continued this afternoon and evening and will no doubt be largely attended.

Homing Pigeon Race.

The preliminary race of the New Jersey Central Section of the Homing Pigeon Fanciers, including Newark, Elizabeth, Plainfield Perth Amboy and Hightstown, will be down from White Haven, Pa., a distance of eighty-five miles on May 21. The birds will be shipped in club baskets at the Mill line.

Those from Newark who will enter the preliminary race are W. E. Garribrandt, Jr., Newark; Fred. Schultz, Jr., Secretary Pigeon Fanciers of the United States, and Benjamin Eiwell. From Elizabeth, F. J. Schultz, C. Campbell and J. C. Harvey Doane.

The free race under the Federation rule for a record will take place on May 28th, from Williamsport, Pa., distance 180 miles.

The second race will be from Ridgeway, Pa., on June 4, distance 260 miles, and the third race from Youngstown, Ohio, on June 11, distance 360 miles.

The other stations from which flies will be made have not yet been decided upon.

List of Advertised Letters.

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending May 16th, 1892:

Adams, Mrs Myer	Kelly, M C
Alston, J B	Knickerbocker, Wm
Bell, Jas	Mayberry, Mrs
Blackford, A	Metcalf, Miss Lizzie
Chudyk Makyem	Pape, J H
Dodd, Jas (2)	Reilly, Emily F
Chyrieus, E	Reilly, Delay
Fellows, Edith	Richardson, Miss J
Chapman, Mamie	Smith, Miss Smith
Dempsey, Katie Y	Seeder, Samuel
Green, Mrs H	Spratt, (2) B
Gartnake, Abraham Taylor, Rejon	
Henderson & Winston Weed, Geo	
Hall, Miss Lizzie	

Persons calling for the above please say advertised. E. R. Force, Postmaster.

Taken to Somerville.

The three tramps who were arrested Monday night, in North Plainfield, for demanding money and scaring the inmates at the house of Mrs. Samuel Townsend and Mr. E. A. Overton, on Rockview avenue, were yesterday taken to Somerville jail by Marshals Pangborn and Coddington, where they will remain thirty days. Two of the tramps have been in to-business, but Officer Rynch recognized two of them as old offenders.

Marshal Pangborn says that these are the only prisoners now held in Somerville jail.

—In the case of Moore vs. Mary Muldoon at Elizabeth yesterday for unpaid bill of $130, contracted seven or eight years ago, the jury returned verdict for Mary Muldoon, the defendant, for the full amount. The case will probably be appealed.

THE JOB MALE WILL.

The Statement Made by the Dying Ex-Mayor Rejected.

Chancellor McGill, in the Prerogative Court, yesterday, at Trenton, handed down a decision in the Job Male will contest, holding that the will being unsigned was not valid.

The estate by the most conservative estimate amounts to $50,000. By the will the greater part of this property is divided among the children of his five brothers, he having no children. His half-sister, Mrs. Ann Male, receives $10,000, and the Plainfield Public Library and Reading Room lots and a valuable collection of bric-a-brac. When the will was presented for probate objections were made by Job Male's sister, Mrs. Caroline Story relatives, Joel Male, the nephew, to whose property extraordinary value has been given by the Commissioners, not only offered it for probate, but came on from Canada, where he lives, to support the will and to testify in favor and against his own interests.

Lawyer Reed went for his lawyer Craig A. Mason, on night of January 28, 1892. There were seven persons present, including Job Male, the deceased, the attending physicians and Mr. A. C. Baldwin.

Mr. Male named the bequests he desired to make, which Lawyer Marsh put down. The lawyer then said:

"Mr. Male, is this your will?"

"Yes," replied the sick man.

Mr. Marsh then sat down and rapidly wrote out the will, which took the place of copying about twenty minutes. The old man was propped up in bed, and proceeded to be watching with great interest. When the writing was done Mr. Marsh took the will and a pen, which he dipped into the ink, to Mr. Male, and putting the pen into his hand, said:

"Now, Mr. Male, sign your name."

There was no reply. The pen dropped from the dying man's fingers to the floor. The physicians hurried to the bedside only to find that the old man had died without a word.

Lawyer Marsh was of the opinion that Mr. Male's reply of "Yes" to the question, "Is this your will?" was sufficient to be regarded as sufficient to establish a testamentative will, and on this ground he proceeded to have it probated. The declaration of the will invalid gives over the whole estate to be divided among the legal heirs. There will undoubtedly be an appeal from Chancellor McGill's decision.

The point made by Lawyer Reed, who was the counsel to break the will, was that, in view of Mr. Male's well-known careful business habits, if he had intended to make any will at all or have his property go to any other than relatives, he would not have waited until he was dying, especially at his age, about a week, and the Chancellor agreed with this view of the case.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Annual Election of Officers.

At the eighth annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of New Jersey, which took place in this city a few days ago the officers elected were as follows:

President, Mrs. W. C. Butler; vice-presidents, Mrs. Pike, Plainfield; Mrs. E. G. Wyse, Camden; Mrs. A. Frost, Hammonton; Mrs. Dr. Richmond, Mrs. Dr. Brackett, Orange; Miss C. P. Whitehead, Trenton; Miss Morford, New Monmouth; Miss Judd, Agent of Japan Mission, Newfield.

An interesting review of the year's work in each department was gone through with, and addresses were made by Miss Sheldon, Africa; Miss Pettee, and Miss Mary D. Faye, a missionary to India.

Bicycle Races Memorial Day.

Arrangements have been completed by the Union County Roadsters and the Rahway Athletic Association for a bicycle road race and athletic sports for Memorial Day. Entries are being made by noted amateurs. A. H. Chamberlain is the secretary and the entry list will close May 23d. The following are the events: One-mile novice safety race, two-mile boys' safety race (under sixteen years), 100-yard dash, open, scratch; one-mile ordinary race, handicap; two-mile safety race, handicap; 440-yard run, open, scratch; one-mile safety race, open, scratch. Gold and silver medals will be awarded winners of first and second places.

Bicycle Notes.

A bicycle club as been formed at Dunellen, N. J., with William Milligan as captain.

Boston prides herself upon having thirty bicycle clubs within a radius of eight miles of the City Hall as that place. The city of culture is a paradise for wheelmen, owing to the good roads which abound there.

More applications for membership in the League of American Wheelmen came in last week than in any week in the past history of the organization. Seven hundred and six new names were received.

Christian Endeavor Notes.

On Thursday evening of this week the Plainfield Local Union will hold a mass meeting in the First Presbyterian church. Rev. E. L. Dyott of Newark will make the address. Some of the societies from other cities will be represented.

The arrangements for the county convention are progressing satisfactorily and in a few days more details of the programme will be ready for announcement.

The Wreck Yesterday.

A bad wreck occurred on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, between Trenton Junction and Bellemead yesterday afternoon. Two locomotives and a number of cars and a number of the cars were wrecked, scattering the coal in all directions. The tracks were blocked for over six hours causing much delay to the trains at this station. Only one man, the fireman, is reported to have been injured.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

GREAT EXCITEMENT IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

A Confidence Man Arrested To-day After a Fight.

New Brunswick, N. J., May 18, (Special.)—James Douglass of New York, a green goods dealer, was arrested to-day at Mason's Hotel, by Detectives Russell and Oliver.

He had agreed to meet his victims, George W. Davis at Caldwell, Tenn., and Alan O. Horner of Nashville, Tenn., who were on hand ready to be victimized, when the Detectives caught the swindler.

He made a desperate resistance, during which he used Hoosier's club away from him, and dealt him several severe blows over the head.

Detective Oliver drew his revolver and gave Davis several blows on the head with the butt, which soon rendered him unable to make further resistance.

He attended a meeting at once, was bailed in the sum of $1,000 and his preliminary examination will be started this morning.

Murderer Titus Executed To-day at Auburn.

Auburn, N. Y., May 18th. (Special.)—For the second time the State's original electrical execution apparatus was used to-day in Auburn, and in the chair in which Kemmler was killed, Joseph L. Titus died, being the State's ninth victim.

Two and a half minutes elapsed from the time the prisoner was notified that all was ready until his body was on the autopsy table.

British Empire Shaken by an Earthquake.

London, May 18th. (Special.)—A rather severe earthquake was felt early this morning in the county of Cornwall. The earth trembllngs were so great that houses rocked to and fro on their foundations, crockery was thrown from shelves and broken and in a few cases chimneys were overturned.

Singapore, May 18.—A slight earthquake was felt here and Penang last night. No damage was done. Several shocks were also felt on the island of Sumatra.

Wingee to be Sentenced Next Week.

Elizabeth, N. J., May 18.—(Special.—The sentencing of John Wingee, the Plainfield burglar, which was to have been rendered to-day, has been deferred for one week, to give time to look into his antecedents.

Lynchers Seize a Train.

Nashville, Tenn., May 18.—(Special.)—A mob of 100 men this morning seized a train at Tullahoma, Tenn., and started for Manchester to lynch a negro accused of assaulting a white woman, and who is in jail there.

G. A. R. Notes.

District Inspector G. W. Moore and Assistant District Inspector Wm. Smith, inspected Charles Olden Post, No. 44, of Middlesex last evening. To-night the inspection will be made by Col. Mal. T. H. Sandy Post, No. 6, Perth Amboy.

The detail from Winfield Scott Post, No. 15, will meet the Post of next week to perfect arrangements for Memorial Day.

Rev. E. M. Rodman has issued an invitation to the Grand Army to attend Memorial services at Grace church, the Sunday preceding Memorial Day.

—Miller Brothers of the Hotel Grenada are improving the front of their building, by blocking it off in terra cotta and drab, by the addition of stone.

—Young Arthur Drake of 18 Orchard place has got a picked nine of base ball players, school boys, who are anxious to be classed by their boys, between fifteen and seventeen years, to a game and sends his challenge to The News for publication. These boys are anxious to prove themselves superior to all others.

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THOS. CAREY. 12 Jan

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to include the month of MAY.

Houses and lots at greatly reduced prices and on very easy terms, in the following cities and towns:

	Population.	Time from New York.	Construction.
Elizabeth,	40,000	30 minutes per day	
Bayonne,	15,000	35 "	
Rahway,	10,000	40 "	
Plainfield	12,000	45 "	
Dunellen	2,000	55 "	

The Central New Jersey Land Improvement Company, after an existence of twenty years during which time it has developed the most of the land now improved in the rapid growth of the towns and villages along the Central Railroad of New Jersey, has decided to dispose of its remaining properties at such reasonable prices and on such liberal terms as will prove attractive to home seekers, in addition to the above it has for sale a number of houses in Plainfield, which it has built for its own use, but which it will now sell on easy terms. Also a number of lots in desirable locations, in Plainfield, Dunellen and Bayonne, on which it will build houses to suit purchasers, on easy terms, paying only one dollar per week on each lot, without interest. Lots 25 feet wide, $100 each; lots 50 feet wide, $200 each. Many $400 lots reduced to $300, and other properties in proportion. Houses and lots are cheaper now than they will ever come to be again. A rare chance, and present prices will hold good only during May.

For further particulars apply at the office of the company, Central Building, No. 142 Liberty street, New York, or

George Kyte, 64 North avenue, Plainfield.
Wm. Lyon, 6 West Second street, Plainfield.
J. D. Vail, North avenue, Plainfield, (opposite station.)
J. E. Vail, North avenue, Plainfield, (opposite station.)
H. H. Galpin, 39 Broad street, Elizabeth.
H. H. Galpin, 39 Broad street, Elizabeth.
W. C. Dyer, 181 Broad street, Elizabeth.
Louis A. Pelletreau, Bayonne.
Charles E. Gifford, 1 West Eighth street, Bayonne.
Jas. Harper, Jr., avenues A and Broad street, Bayonne.
Wm. Lyon, 6 West Second street, Bayonne.
W. L. Veach, station, N. J.

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A COMPETENT chambermaid and waiting girl desires a situation. Please call for two days at No. 57 West Sixth street. 18-2

WANTED—A situation as nurse and seamstress, good reference. Address "J. E." care of Evening News. 17-5

WANTED—Work by experienced gardener either by day or job. Lawns trimmed and grass laid out cheap. Address Box 276. 15-3

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 78 East Sixth street. 17 2

WANTED—A girl, about 15 years old, to take care of children. Call, morning or evening, 19 Vine street. 19 2

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SAMUEL DREIER.

Sale will be at 63 West Front street, corner of Madison avenue, Friday, May 20, (Friday), and will commence at 7:30 o'clock in the evening. Continued every evening until all goods are sold. 16 5p

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EDITORIAL NOTES

Anarchist and Socialist.

Some years ago socialism as a politics was, in the public mind, practically what anarchy is now. The change that has come over its spirit will best be shown in the utterances of professed socialists at the May Day labor celebrations in Europe.

In London the great labor procession was largest, amounting to nearly half a million. But the speeches, made by the most noted labor agitators in Great Britain, contained nothing violent, and the resolutions adopted looked to nothing wickeder than petitioning parliament for an eight hour labor law. At the women's trade union meeting in London the same subject was uppermost—getting shorter hours of work. In Paris, indeed, the proverbial Gallic excitability stepped over somewhat when M. Vaillant said in his speech that this year the workingman would deliver to the French government his ultimatum on the subject of an eight hour labor day, and that if not secure the required result then the workingmen would take things into their own hands. But this speaker was immediately sat upon by another, who said he would never counsel violence, and that he was an enemy of the recent dynamite manifestations in Paris.

At Vienna, at Amsterdam and elsewhere the meetings amounted to enthusiastic eight hour labor demonstrations, and whenever socialistic speeches were made they were mild in tone. There were some bomb explosions, but it does not appear that any labor or socialist organization had any part in them. The socialist workman of Europe appears just now to be more concerned with getting shorter labor hours by parliamentary means than with blowing *the heads off kings and emperors.* The line is being distinctly drawn between socialist and anarchist.

Mouths.

The editor of Scribner's Magazine is accustomed to watch the faces of the throng about Union square, New York, to guess which are actors and which are not, since this, the "Rialto," as it is called, is the favorite promenade for the dramatic profession. He believes he can spot them by the expression of their mouths—the men, that is. Here he finds a curious difference. The particular *expression he refers to is "a certain in*dication in the lips that they are subject to the will of the owner." Strangely enough, he finds this sign wanting in all actresses except Sarah Bernhardt.

One superficial expression by which he accounts for it is found in the hint that maybe *"woman's whole life is so continuous* and successful a piece of acting that the training leaves no perceptible indication."

He writes of the telltale story of mouths in general:

"It is an expression of controlled mobility, of artificiality, slightly intelligent in the case of good actors, but curiously, fatuously artificial. The late John Gilbert had it decidedly. In equal force, but slightly more refined, Edwin Booth has it. As a student criminal lawyer too me once that when he had to decide whether a witness was lying to him he watched his mouth. His theory, based on years of acute observation, was that a practiced deceiver could render his eyes inexpressive, or even make them express the contrary of his thought or emotion, but that the lips, especially at the critical moment when a will contrived material, touched the vital point of his story, would most often betray the truth, though they were straightway begun to deny it. My own quite limited experience has suggested to me the same view."

Without a dissenting vote the senate to permit foreign built steamers to fly the *American flag passed the national house.* The conditions under which such permission is granted are briefly that the steamer shall be a first class ocean liner, with a speed of not less than twenty knots an hour or less than 8,000 tons burden, and that 90 per cent. of the capital stock of the steamship company has been owned in America by American citizens since Jan. 1, 1890, and is thus owned at the present time. But such American owners must bind themselves to build hereafter in American shipyards steamers of equal tonnage to their foreign built ships admitted to registry under this new law. It happens that the Inman line steamers are the only ones at present filling the requirements. Such steamers as the City of Paris and City of New York will therefore, in due course of time, fly the stars and stripes instead of the British flag, and will get a subsidy for carrying mail besides. Other lines will soon follow the Inman in preparing to float the national flag.

The new Chinese exclusion law is claimed by its opponents to be a direct violation of our treaty with China. The Chinese minister so regarded it, and declared it to be an insult to his country a friendly power, besides. The president signed it immediately on its passage, because the attorney general believed the Chinese exclusion law of 1882 expired May 6, and that grave international complications might arise unless another was ready to fill the vacancy. But if the temper of the Chinese legation at Washington is any indication it is by no means certain that we shall escape the international complications as it is.

A gentleman has written a book entitled "The Ladder of Journalism and How to Climb It." There is only one way to climb the ladder of journalism, and that is through the waste basket.

CENSURE FOR GORMAN.

Democrats Disagree with Him About Appropriations.

WILL THERE BE A SURPLUS LEFT?

Senator Allison Defends the "Billion Dollar Congress" and Declares That at the Close of the Present Session the Treasury Will Have Money on Hand.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The senate by a test vote of 30 to 18 practically approved the proposed increase of the navy, including the battleship, harbor defense monitor, light cruisers and torpedo boats added by the senate committee, but adjourned without reaching a vote on the final passage of the bill. Mr. Gorman's speech of Friday last came in for much commendation from Republican senators in the course of the debate. Mr. Allison made an animated defense of the "billion dollar congress," and argued that with the fiscal system embodied the sinking fund would be provided for, all *needful expenditures would be made* and there would be a balance of $25,000,000 in the treasury.

Vest's Query to Gorman.

During the debate Mr. Vest said the national expenses had been doubled while the population had only increased 15 or 20 per cent. He would ask the senator from *Maryland, if he were present, how could* the Democratic party go before the country if it yielded unreasonably on the naval bill and added this vast increment of public burden to the appropriations which were compelled to be met. Mr. Vest then condemned the appropriation as being intended merely to foist upon the country a spectacular navy for it was nothing else, in view of the relations of the United States.

The only difficulty we had been threatened with of late years was that with Chili, and if the president had waited only a few hours that would have settled itself, and his rhetorical and warlike message would not have been needed. He contended that it would be an easy thing in the event of war to convert all the numerous steam vessels into commerce destroyers.

Mr. Hale asked what would become of our seacoast in the meantime.

Mr. Vest replied that there was more naval jingoism talked about the destruction of property along our coast in the case of war than on any other topic. Not a city had ever been destroyed by bombardment in war.

Mr. Vest in the course of further argument having expressed a preference for a system of defense by torpedoes, Mr. Hale replied that we might as well rely upon pogguns. No ministry in the world could maintain its navy one hour if it told its people to depend upon torpedoes. And our cities were as great as any of theirs and more accessible.

Mr. Butler said he coincided with Mr. Gorman that the liberal appropriations for the navy had been of inexpressible benefit to the country.

Mr. Vest closed his remarks by saying that the surest way to bring about a naval war was to build up a big navy for the ships must be used; they would not be allowed to rot in the harbor. And then it would *inevitably* follow that we must increase our army so as not to be one of the smallest military powers of the world.

Allison Pleased by Gorman's Speech.

Mr. Allison, chairman of the committee on appropriations, said he had been much gratified by the remarks of the senator from Maryland. The money *he now asked for the first time admitted that the Fifty-*first congress, in making appropriations under existing laws, had not been unduly extravagant in regard to the general appropriations of that congress. It was evident from Mr. Gorman's statement that it was the policy of the Democratic party to change around and show that we are going to have another billion dollar congress because the Republican party, when in control of both houses of congress put upon the statute books appropriations which made it necessary. Mr. Vest here remarked that the senator from Maryland was bound by *his own statements—they bound no other* Democrat.

Mr. Allison said he would like to hear from gentlemen on the other side who talked about Republican laws which made extravagant appropriations necessary, what law they would repeal if they had the power. Vest replied that he, for one, would repeal the mail subsidy law and the sugar bounty bill. Mr. Allison said these bills would only take $60,000,000 of a billion dollar congress. Mr. Vest replied that that would be just a starter. Mr. Allison challenged Mr. Vest to show where expenses could be further cut down. Mr. Mills, speaking from his seat, interjected the inquiry, "What are you going to do with the sinking fund?"

A $25,000,000 Surplus.

Mr. Allison, with considerable warmth, replied: "I will say to the senators who are distressed about the sinking fund that the sinking fund has $154,000,000 to its credit here and now, and the chances are that before the end of the year every dollar required by law will be applied to the sinking fund. I will say further that when this year ends we will have $25,000,000 of surplus money instead of being in bankruptcy, and perhaps $30,000,000."

"I do not mean that all the appropriations made from year to year will have been expended. They never are; they never will be. There are always outstanding appropriations; but what I mean to say is that every requirement will be satisfied at that time will be $25,000,000 left on July 1. Of course I do not include the sinking fund in that. What the exact surplus will be will depend upon the action of the Democratic house as well as of the senate."

The roll was called on Mr. McPherson's motion to strike out both the armored cruiser provided by the house and the battleship inserted by the senate.

The amendment was rejected by a vote of 30 to 18.

Simpson Accuses Mason.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The house proceeded with the military civil appropriation bill, making but little progress. The notable incident was the reply of Mr. Mason, of Georgia, to the statement of Mr. Simpson, of Kansas, that the former had voted for an appropriation of $2,500,000 in the river and harbor bill for Savannah harbor because it was in the interest of Mr. Blake Brahmond and Danville railroad. Mr. Mason denied this and the colloquy ended with ill feeling.

She Horsewhipped Her Husband.

PLEASANTVILLE, N. J., May 18.—In the case brought by Mrs. Mary E. Adams, of Port Republic, against her husband for limited divorce, Mrs. Adams set up a plea of cruelty, but it was shown that the alleged cruelty occurred when Mrs. Adams chastised her husband.

WORLD'S FAIR MATTERS.

Chicago's Final Proposition for Government Aid—Expenditure Not Limited.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—When the World's fair committee of the house meets again on Friday the representatives of the local directory will be ready to present to the full membership of the committee what is said to be the measure containing the final proposition for government aid to the fair. The new bill includes the appropriation of $5,000,000, under conditions, however, which its friends are confident will make it entirely satisfactory to the house. Friends of the bill say privately that they look upon it as the last appeal that Chicago will make to congress in connection with the fair.

New York Friends of Chicago.

ALBANY, May 18.—New York state World's fair officials met here and adopted a resolution asking congress to appropriate $5,000,000 for the benefit of the fair. A committee was appointed to confer with the exhibition committee of the house of representatives with a view to procure change of date of the dedicatory services at Chicago.

For New Jersey's Fair Building.

TRENTON, May 18.—The New Jersey commissioners of the World's fair accepted the design of Architect Charles Allen Gifford, of Newark, for the New Jersey state building at Chicago. The building is for a duplicate in imitation of the Washington headquarters at Morristown.

The Connecticut Fair Building.

HARTFORD, May 18.—The Connecticut board of managers for the World's fair accepted the report of the building committee on the Connecticut building at the fair. This gives the construction of the building to Tracy Brothers, of Waterbury, for $8,633.

Foster Favors the Fair Souvenirs.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Secretary Foster has given his indorsement of the plan to issue 10,000,000 fifty cent pieces of special design as souvenirs of the World's fair.

SOME FREAKS OF FASHION.

Venetian satin is a fashionable material for wedding gowns, as it has a beautiful sheen and does not crush or wrinkle.

The continuous line from the throat to the arm is unbroken by raised brimmings on the shoulders of new gowns. Sleeves stand less high, but are more full in the armhole.

From Paris comes the rumor that shorter sleeves are to be worn in day dresses, finished with flowing ruffles of lace, and shorter skirts are made for walking gowns.

Dotted Swiss muslins with floral printings are among the summer novelties, and are made up over colored silks or Chinese silk linings. Lace and moire ribbon are the trimmings most used.

New pins are in the form of small bunches of violets tied with an enameled baby ribbon. This ribbon jewelry is shown in charming little bows and knots for the hats, collar, waist and tan chatelaines, and girdles tied in a bow.

Sleeves consist of two distinct parts, one falling well over the elbow and coquettishly loose, the other from the elbow being tight fitting; or a full short puff at the shoulder is supplemented by a long close sleeve falling over the hand in Directoire style.—N. Y. Sun.

WASHED AWAY BY WATER.

One End of the Union Pacific Bridge Goes Out.

OMAHA, May 18.—The eastern approach to the great Union Pacific bridge here has been washed away by flood. All traffic is stopped. The Missouri is rising rapidly. Its channel has shifted to the east bank and is rapidly eating away the filling in the bridge approach, and it is feared that the whole of the bridge will go out. Half of Beatrice is under water and much damage has been done.

Bloodshed Is Probable.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—There is liable to be bloodshed before the flood subsides over *attempts to cut levees. Serious trouble* was threatened near Nameoki, a station on the Chicago and Alton.

Venice has an armed guard protecting the Brooklyn levee. The levee shields the town from the waters which are pouring through the bridges of Brooklyn. The people of Brooklyn are anxious to cut the levee so as to cause the water to flow some other way.

States with More Females Than Males.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The census office has issued a bulletin giving the population of *New York, New Jersey and Pennsylva*nia in 1890 by color, sex and general nativity. The bulletin says that New York is given as 5,997,853, of which 2,978,888 were males and 3,020,969 females, 4,428,823 were native born and 1,571,030 foreign born. *New Jersey had a population of 1,444,933,* of which 735,819 were males and 724,114 females. Of the total 1,118,523 were native and 326,975 foreign born. Pennsylvania's population of 5,258,014 was made up of 2,666,831 males and 2,591,083 females, of which 4,412,294 were native and 845,720 foreign born. In 1880 the total population *in New York and New Jersey in 1890* slightly predominated, while in Pennsylvania the males were slightly in excess.

Wrecked by a Heavy Elephant.

CINCINNATI, May 18.—While Orton's circus was being transported over the Kentucky Central railroad, an elephant, too heavy for the road, which is built on made ground, caused a section of the road to give way causing the entire train to go down. The attack car some eight feet into the mud. The following cars, which were filled with animals, were dumped on top of the elephant car. Eight lions were killed in removing the elephant through the roof of his car.

Trenton's Breach of Promise Case.

TRENTON, May 18.—Dr. Mosert Jenkins, a prominent physician of this city, has been sued for breach of promise by Miss Emma Cunliffe, who demands $20,000 damages. She says the doctor has been engaged to her for years, but in the absence of breaking off the match that he may marry a Bordentown woman. Dr. Jenkins denies all her allegations.

Dead for $250,000 and Got It.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 18.—Three years ago Lillian Allen, a pet actress in the variety, met and married George Hoyt, son of Millionaire Hoyt, of this county. Young Hoyt died a few days after. Miss Allen claimed at $40,000; apparent assets, $75,000.

Killed on a Circus Train.

ANCHISON, Kan., May 18.—Ringling Brothers' circus train was attacked by the cowboys of a cattle ranch. Albert Dodebrick, aged sixteen, of Freeport, Ill., and John O'Donald, of Madison, Wis., were killed and four others badly injured.

BIG RELAY BICYCLE RACE

Wheelmen Riding from Chicago to New York.

GREAT TEST OF THE SILENT STEED.

Military Men Interested in This Plan to Discover What Use the Bicycle Would Be in War Time—General Miles Sends General Howard a Message.

CHICAGO, May 18.—At noon Arthur Lumsden and E. C. Bode, the first two wheelmen to ride a relay in the great relay bicycle race from Chicago to New York, left the Pullman building and sped away toward Goshen, Ind. They bore with them as freight a dispatch to General Howard, of the United States army, at New York, from General Nelson A. Miles, commander of the departments of the Missouri.

At Grand Crossing the two wheelmen turned the message over to two other men, who carried it to the next stage of its long journey to New York.

All who are to help speed the dispatch are now at their posts along the route, and there will be no delay in passing the dispatch from one party to another. About 160 well known riders will take part in the work. They are all riders with fine records. The relays are so arranged that each pair

ROUTE OF THE RELAY RACE.

of dispatch carriers will cover from seven to twenty-five miles of the long course. Two men compose each relay, so that if one is disabled the other may hurry on alone with the dispatch.

The Bicycle's Use in War Time.

It is thought by those made to calculate how long a time will be occupied in sending the dispatch from Chicago to New York as the condition of the roads is uncertain. The relay riders have been chosen with some of the finest roads and fast time is therefore not expected. With good roads and no obstacles to meet it is calculated the run will be made by the relay riders in from five to seven days. The relay ride is made to test the value of the bicycle for military purposes. General Miles is deeply interested in the experiment, and is inclined to believe that the bicycle will eventually become an important factor in military movements.

In discussing the question the general said: "The great advantage to an army equipped with bicycles would be its ability to reach strategic points before the enemy. The army that gets there first has the battle half won already. It has been found that a soldier can carry his gun on his wheel and ride along as a very good rate.

"The fact is that experiments have been made with the bicycle in almost every army except that of the United States. They have done very well in Germany, France, Austria, England and Russia, and are apparently satisfied that the bicycle may be of great use. You understand that the idea would be made to take the place of the horse for marching purposes, but in those marches where the bicycle can be used there is no doubt that they will be of service, can be got out of it, and more satisfactory moving than out of any other method than steam or electricity."

They Lynched a Spy Comrade.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 18.—When Pawnee Bill's Wild West show came to this town last week one of the features was a lynching scene. Six boys at Skelton afterward played lynching, with Eddie Gerald as the victim. The rope strangled him into insensibility, and his life was only saved by physicians after a long struggle.

A Mortgage for $5,000,000 Filed.

TRENTON, May 18.—A mortgage for $5,000,000 has been filed here against the New York and Greenwood Lake railroad. The mortgage is given by the New York and Greenwood Lake railroad, the Erie railroad and Edward Cooper and Abram S. Hewitt, of New York, to the New York Security and Trust company.

Germany's Guns Are All Right.

BERLIN, May 18.—It is semiofficially announced that a technical examination of the small arms of the navy, made in view of *Boulze Albrecht's charges of defective* work, show that the new rifles are fully up to the standard.

Four Men Mortally Burned.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 18.—A terrific explosion occurred in the Glen Lyon mine, this county, this morning by which Mr. and Mrs. Peter Curren, who has many died; Michael McHale, Richard Custen and Owen Williams.

He Liked About the Sultan.

SCRANTON, Pa., May 18.—Introduced to the house a bill placing rough lumber on the free list and reducing the duties on the manufactures of wood.

Junior Mechanics at Scranton.

SCRANTON, Pa., May 18.—Three thousand members of the Junior Order of Mechanics paraded here in celebration of the thirty-ninth anniversary of the founding of the order.

Mayor Lombard Killed.

FOUNTAINVILLE, O., May 18.—August Lombard, a wealthy farmer and mayor of Lombardville, Scioto county, was killed and a child fatally hurt by a runaway team.

Gone $40,000 and Is Missing.

BOSTON, May 18.—E. F. Wilson, of E. F. Wilson & Co., 530 Washington street, is reported missing. His liabilities are estimated at $40,000; apparent assets, $75,000.

Mount Vernon's First Mayor.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., May 18.—At the first city election held here Edward F. Bush, the Republican candidate, was elected mayor.

No News of Venezuela's Revolution.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The state department continues officially ignorant of any serious disturbance in Venezuela.

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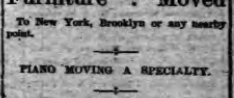

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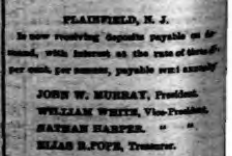

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DELAWARE DEMOCRATS CONVENE.

The Delegates Are for Cleveland, but if a Gray Boom Appears They May Bolt to the Delaware Senator's Aid—Democrats Believe Blaine Is Surely Out.

CHICAGO, May 18.—A clear cut and significant expression on the political situation was given utterance here by Chairman J. S. Clarkson, of the Republican national committee. Mr. Clarkson, fully restored in health, reached Chicago on his way to New York from Hot Springs, Ark. To a number of friends who called on him at the Grand Pacific hotel, he said: "The 7,000,000 of Republicans who will be represented at Minneapolis have not made up their minds regarding their candidate. The results of the conventions held in the different states clearly show this.

"There will be more uninstructed delegates in the Minneapolis convention than has ever been known in the history of the Republican party. The northern states and states which cast the electoral votes which will elect have almost every one of them sent uninstructed delegates. The majority of the instructed delegates come from the southern states.

The Nomination Not Settled Upon.

"Some of the able editors and federal office holders claim the nomination is settled already. I certainly do not think so. But as for being a party to any conspiracy in favor of the nomination of Blaine, Sherman or Harrison I desire to enter protest. There seems to have been considerable ill feeling manifested of late regarding the nomination, those who claim the whole situation is clear getting excited if any one differed with them. I will keep out of the contest and cast my vote for whoever I shall determine will be a winner."

"Then you don't think Mr. Harrison will be nominated on the first ballot?"

"Now, you cannot draw me out as to whom I think will be nominated. Without much doubt there will be several ballots cast. The man must be very popular who would secure the nomination on the first ballot when such a large proportion of the delegates are uninstructed."

Delaware Democrats Meet.

WILMINGTON, Del., May 18.—The Democratic state convention met in Dover. The convention was harmonious, and the plans of the Bayard faction was carried through. This was as intended by ex-President Cleveland. The Hill men were entirely frozen out, not a single Hill man being named for any position, even on the committees.

The delegates to the Chicago convention as elected are Ex-Secretary Thomas F. Bayard, Governor Robert J. Reynolds, Richard R. Kenny, Hiram R. Burton, Congressman Joan W. Causey and William R. Sirman. The platform denounces the administration and arraigns Senator Higgins for his views on the foreign policy.

The principles of the McKinley tariff and its laws of customs administration, it continues, are fatal to commercial welfare and freedom and to the interests of labor. Cleveland's administration is referred to as a blessing to the whole country, which diffused a spirit of mutual brotherhood throughout a union of coequal states and maintained peace with honor without large and costly outlays.

Senator Gray, Congressman Causey and the state administration are indorsed, and the calling of a Delaware constitutional convention is urged. The delegates will go to Chicago uninstructed, but they are for Cleveland. They may, however, espouse the presidential cause of Senator George Gray if a boom for the latter should be apparent.

Walter Damrosch Talks.

SYRACUSE, May 18.—Walter Damrosch said: "It may be supposed that because I am Mr. Blaine's son-in-law I know many important political secrets, but he never discusses politics with me. I believe, however, that Mr. Blaine will not permit his name to go before the national Republican convention. His health, however, is excellent. Thorough examination by physicians has failed to find trace of an organic disease. I do not believe there is any prospect that he would yield to even a popular demand for him to accept a nomination."

Blaine Their Only Hope.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Several Philadelphia Republicans were here to consult Senator Quay about the presidential question, and he frankly told them that unless Secretary Blaine would become a candidate there was but small prospect of defeating Harrison. It is understood that Mr. Carlson has telegraphed Senator Quay that he expects to be in Washington next Friday to talk over the political situation preparatory to going to Minneapolis.

To Succeed Senator Barbour.

RICHMOND, May 18.—Governor McKinney's intention in reference to appointing a successor to Senator Barbour is a matter of much speculation here. It is asserted that he remained over in Washington with a view of consulting prominent Democrats and that the only three names he heard suggested there are John Randolph Tucker, Pitzhugh Lee and John Goode.

California for Cleveland.

FRESNO, May 18.—The Democratic state convention is evidently overwhelmingly in favor of Cleveland. At the mention of his name the delegates went wild with enthusiasm.

A German-Russian Alliance.

PARIS, May 18.—The report that the czar has consented to the marriage of the czarewitch and Princess Margaret, of Hohenzollern, youngest sister of Emperor William II, has had a very disquieting effect upon the government here.

Kidnaped by Two Men.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 18.—As William La Forge and Miss Kate Gilbert were promenading at Seaside Park they were approached by two young men, one of whom held Gilbert while the other kidnaped the girl.

Still After Slippery Gorse.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—General Schofield said that he had no official information as to the anticipated arrest of Gorse, but he was advised that the Texas authorities were using every effort to capture him.

To Investigate the Maverick Bank.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Senator Chandler was heard before the committee on finance in support of his resolution calling for an investigation of the recent failure of the Maverick National bank.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Pennsylvania Odd Fellows are in session at Sunbury.

The order of Red Men of Pennsylvania are holding a three days' convention at Reading.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Autrey, of Adel, Ga., were thrown from a carriage and killed.

At Cliftenburg, Ala., three negroes charged with murder, were hanged and shot by White Caps.

Eastern Pennsylvania farmers are looking for incendiaries to assist them, home labor being impossible to obtain.

H. H. Barr, who was under the charge of embezzling $10,000 from the Reading railroad, at Chester, Pa., is dead.

The body of Timothy Guild, an Arcadia (N. Y.) hotel man was found near that place with three bullet holes in the head.

Governor Flower has appointed Francis B. Delehanty, of Albany, as miscellaneous court reporter at a salary of $4,000 a year.

The authorities of Leavenworth, Kan., will charge Dr. Keeley a license for a drug shop on the ground that he gives whisky to patients.

The Methodist general conference at Omaha elected Sanford Hunt and Homer Eaton agents for the New York Book Concern.

Talk about annexation with Hawaii has been renewed.

A bill authorizing the secretary of the navy to sell Brooklyn navy yard lands has been introduced in the house by Congressman Coombs.

The court of claims has given the heirs of General Robert E. Lee a verdict for $27,-620 as damages to the estate caused during the war by cutting timber off of it by the federal troops.

Three masked robbers entered the residence of Hon. S. J. Canon, of Muscatine, Ia., held up the inmates and got away with several thousand dollars.

Louis Dumphier, the Buffalo theater manager, who was shot by his wife about ten days ago, has recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital. Both bullets are still in his body.

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DELAWARE DEMOCRATS CONVENE.

The Delegates Are for Cleveland, but if a Gray Boom Appears They May Bolt to the Delaware Senator's Aid—Democrats Believe Blaine Is Surely Out.

CHICAGO, May 18.—A clear cut and significant expression on the political situation was given utterance here by Chairman J. S. Clarkson, of the Republican national committee. Mr. Clarkson, fully restored in health, reached Chicago on his way to New York from Hot Springs, Ark. To a number of friends who called on him at the Grand Pacific hotel, he said: "The 7,000,000 of Republicans who will be represented at Minneapolis have not made up their minds regarding their candidate. The results of the conventions held in the different states clearly show this.

"There will be more uninstructed delegates in the Minneapolis convention than has ever been known in the history of the Republican party. The northern states and states which cast the electoral votes which will elect have almost every one of them sent uninstructed delegates. The majority of the instructed delegates come from the southern states.

The Nomination Not Settled Upon.

"Some of the able editors and federal office holders claim the nomination is settled already. I certainly do not think so. But so far I belong to any conspiracy in favor of the nomination of Blaine, Sherman or Harrison I desire to enter protest. There seems to have been considerable ill feeling manifested of late regarding the nomination, those who claim the whole situation is clear getting excited if any one differed with them. I will keep out of the contest and cast my vote for whoever I shall determine will be a winner."

"Then you don't think Mr. Harrison will be nominated on the first ballot?"

"Now, you cannot draw me out as to whom I think will be nominated. Without much doubt there will be several ballots cast. The man must be very popular who would secure the nomination on the first ballot when such a large proportion of the delegates are uninstructed.

Delaware Democrats Meet.

WILMINGTON, Del., May 18.—The Democratic state convention met in Dover. The convention was harmonious, and the plans of the Bayard faction was carried through. This was an indorsement of ex-President Cleveland. The Hill men were entirely frozen out, not a single Hill man being named for any position, even on the committees.

The delegates to the Chicago convention as elected are Ex-Secretary Thomas F. Bayard, Governor Robert J. Reynolds, Richard R. Kenny, Hiram R. Sorin, Congressman John W. Causey and William R. Sherman. The platform denounces the administration and arraigns Senator Higgins for his views on the foreign policy.

The principles of the McKinley tariff and its laws of customs administration, it continues, are fatal to commercial welfare and freedom and to the interests of labor. Cleveland's administration is referred to as a blessing to the whole country, which diffused a spirit of restored brotherhood throughout a union of coequal states and maintained peace with honor without large and costly outlays.

Senator Gray, Congressman Causey and the state administration are indorsed, and the calling of a Delaware constitutional convention is urged. The delegates will go to Chicago uninstructed, but they are for Cleveland. They say, however, supposing the presidential cause of Senator George Gray if a boom for the latter should be apparent.

Walter Damrosch Talks.

SYRACUSE, May 18.—Walter Damrosch said: "It may be supposed that because I am Mr. Blaine's son-in-law I know many important political secrets, but he never discusses politics with me. I believe, however, that Mr. Blaine will not permit his name to go before the national Republican convention. His health, however, is excellent. Thorough examination by physicians has failed to find trace of an organic disease. I do not believe there is any prospect that he would yield to even a popular demand for him to accept a nomination."

Blaine Their Only Hope.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Several Philadelphia Republicans were here to consult Senator Quay about the presidential question, and he frankly told them that unless Secretary Blaine would become a candidate there was but small prospect of defeating Harrison. It is understood that Mr. Clarkson has telegraphed Senator Quay that he expects to be in Washington next Friday to talk over the political situation preparatory to going to Minneapolis.

To Succeed Senator Barbour.

RICHMOND, May 18.—Governor McKinney's intention in reference to appointing a successor to Senator Barbour is a matter of much speculation here. It is asserted that he remained over in Washington with a view of consulting prominent Democrats, and that the only three names he heard suggested there are John Randolph Tucker, Fitzhugh Lee and John Goode.

California for Cleveland.

FRESNO, May 18.—The Democratic state convention is evidently overwhelmingly in favor of Cleveland. At the session of last night the delegates went wild with enthusiasm.

A German-Russian Alliance.

PARIS, May 18.—The report that the czar has consented to the marriage of the czarevitch and Princess Margaret, of Hohenzollern, youngest sister of Emperor William II, has had a very disquieting effect upon the government here.

Kidnaped by Two Men.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 18.—As William La Forge and Miss Kate Gilbert were promenading at Seaside Park they were approached by two young men, one of whom held Gilbert while the other kidnaped the girl.

Still After Slippery Garza.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—General Schofield said that he had no official information as to the anticipated arrest of Garza, but he was advised that the Texas authorities were using every effort to capture him.

To Investigate the Maverick Bank.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Senator Chandler was heard before the senate committee on finance in support of his resolution calling for an investigation of the recent failure of the Maverick National bank.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Pennsylvania Odd Fellows are in session at Danbury.

The order of Red Men of Pennsylvania are holding a three days' convention at Reading.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Antony, of Adel, Ga., were thrown from a carriage and killed.

At Childersburg, Ala., three negroes charged with murder, were hanged and shot by Wiley Smith.

Eastern Pennsylvania farmers are looking for immigrants to assist them, home labor being impossible to obtain.

H. H. Beer, who was under the charge of embezzling $10,000 from the Reading railroad, at Chester, Pa., is dead.

The body of Timothy Guild, an Arcadia (N. Y.) hotel man was found near that place with three bullet holes in the head.

Governor Flower has appointed Francis B. Delehanty, of Albany, as miscellaneous court reporter at a salary of $4,000 a year.

The authorities of Leavenworth, Kan., will charge Dr. Kesley a license for a drug-shop on the ground that he gives whisky to patients.

The Methodist general conference at Omaha elected Sanford Hunt and Homer Eaton agents for the New York Book Concern.

Talk about annexation with Hawaii has been renewed.

A bill authorizing the secretary of the navy to sell Brooklyn navy yard lands has been introduced in the house by Congressman Cowles.

The court of claims has given the heirs of General Robert E. Lee a verdict for $217,-000 as damages to the estate caused during the war by cutting timber off of it by the federal troops.

Three masked robbers entered the residence of Hon. S. J. Canon, of Muscatine, Ia., held up the inmates and got away with several thousand dollars.

Louis Dampkier, the Buffalo theater manager, who was shot by his wife about ten days ago, has recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital. Both bullets are still in his body.

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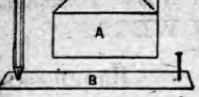

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Put your drawing paper on your mother's lap-board or a pine table, decide where you want to draw your circle, find in that spot exactly the size of your compass through the paper into the wood beneath, so that it will stand firmly in the manner represented in Fig. B. Hold the pencil upright, place the point on the paper and move it round the pin, which acts as a pivot, until the pencil has returned to its starting point. When the pin is at the extreme end of the compass the circle will be as large as your instrument can draw. To make a small circle, move the pin up, and the pencil down. Remember the distance between the pin and the pencil will always measure exactly half across your circle.

To make the ruler: Fold your paper as you did for the compass. Be sure to have the folded edge perfectly straight, and when you cut off the extra paper, leave the strip nearly an inch wide, and as long as the paper will allow. (Fig. C.) This is the ruler for drawing straight lines.

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It was at the hour when the shades of night begin to fall and the curfew wander homeward to roost. The weary wayfarer gave a last grip and said:

"I cannot wrap you in small for your kindness, madame. But here is a little puzzle which may serve to while away an idle hour. My father, left a widower at the age of forty-seven, married a maiden of seventeen, and upon the following day my brother, Lyman, married her mother, then a widow of thirty-six. In due time a son was born to each couple. It may afford you some little amusement in estimating the various relationships that may have risen to Lyman, to Lyman's wife and Lyman's child; also to himself and his own wife and child. You might also elucidate the relationship Lyman bears to his own wife and child and to his father and the latter's wife and child. But I must be on my way. Good evening." And he was gone.

When Isham G. Hicks, the husband of the benevolent lady, returned home somewhat later he found the wife of his bosom suffering from a bad headache, the result of an hour's grappling with the puzzle. She repeated it to him and retired with a groan. Mr. Hicks scratched his head. Isham G. laughed aloud and declared that a woman had no head anyhow, and sat him down to work out the puzzle in fourteen figures.

When Mrs. Hicks awoke in the gray of the morning her husband was not by her side. An hour elapsed ere he came to bed. At breakfast she heard him say in dreary monotone:

"Lyman's baby-in-the-half-brother-sister-father's-stepmother, and his father's daughter-and-his-mother's daughter-and-stepmother-are-my-blood-sisters."

The horror of it began to creep slowly into her mind. Mrs. Hicks drew a chair beside him with flaming cheeks, and before him was a sheet setting forth logical propositions of which the following is a fair sample:

"The elder man is the father-in-law of his mother-in-law and the husband of his step-grandmother, and is also the child's step-grandmother."

Wisps of auburn hair lay about on the table.

Mrs. Hicks remained in bed all that forenoon with her head on her brow and muttered dreadful sentences like these:

"His wife is his baby's half brother's half sister, and his father's father-in-law, and is also his mother-in-law and mother of his grandson's half-sister; and his mother-in-law is also his dear aunt."

In the afternoon he went down to the lumber yard and told the puzzle to the men there assembled, and they all laughed him to scorn and then figured on the smooth side of thirty-six square feet of lumber and had three full-to-overflowing cuspidors for Hicks' benefit by the small watches of the night. A bustling man who drifted in to trade horses became involved and lost his stock at the end of the week.

The puzzle permeated every nook and corner of the village. Two popular members of the Y. M. C. A. stopped each other's horses over it. Colonel Hanks pulled the nose of a tourist to whom he was trying to sell land, and all the boys in town fought over it.

Then John P. Smith attacked the wife of his bosom with ferocity and a scythe and knocked her into the well, where she speedily drowned. A mob chased Mr. Smith to the village gallows and gave him five minutes in which to hang himself. He should not be lynched, whereupon he declared that the demise of Mrs. Smith was attributable in divine providence and a good deal of a relief. He then rambled, the same throwing her into the well. His sole intention had been to bother upon her a well merited castigation for introducing a mother-in-law into the household, thereby necessitating the paces and harmony of the same.

The announcement resulted in a profound sensation, defeats upon the part of the string band, which continued until the sheriff and posse rescued Mr. Smith and kept him under lock and bars in a cell all the time and the case came up for trial on the morrow. It was dark when the jury was sent out. They canvassed the case thoroughly. Hicks, who was among them, detailed the puzzle and exhibited his tally sheet.

At 4 o'clock in the morning the door was found open and the jury fell down the stairs fighting like demons. The stove had been overturned and the building was soon in flames. The back door company swirled up and ran over three gentlemen, two of whom immediately assailed two firemen, whereupon the whole body of the latter attacked the entire jury impartially. The alarm of fire aroused the village and the majority of the citizens appeared on the scene. Here they were assailed by firemen for rioting in the face of the destroyer and was attacked by the foreman of the company. Several citizens went to the assistance of the latter, and them upon whom he had fined jumped in to help the foreman.

And then the fight waxed. The fire was forgotten. The rival editors trounced each other, and their printers took about. The members of the various lodges could not stand by and see a brother mistreated, but they, too, rushed into the fray. The Rev. Mr. Marks mounted a hitching post, prayed, and was struck by a brick. Then he, too, waded into the mêlée with an ax-helve, and Deacon Crook ran to the minister's assistance. In three minutes nearly every churchman in town was in a fighting mood. The rival editors fought. Every man who had a grudge against any other man tried to get satisfaction then and there, and all the debtors attacked their creditors.

A gale had sprung up, and before the fire had been got under control the major portion of the business part of the village was in ashes. This threw many men out of employment and they moved away soon after. Others, seeing that there would be no house for them to be reported. Several capitalists who had been about to make investments immediately folded their purses. The grand jury found true bills against many of the participants in the great fight, and they all fled like the wind. Nobody would buy property and the town quite upon its feet.

The number of the voters was so reduced that a rival town secured the county seat, and with it went everybody who could get away. The newspaper was sold. Many of the buildings were loaded on trucks and hauled off to the new county seat. And finally a cyclone blew all of the remaining buildings and put an end to the village for good and all.

All this was the work of the relationship puzzle. Behold how great a flame a little spark kindleth.—New York World.

Sad.

As from beneath your bed you draw,
With heaving breast, joyous awe,
Your trousers—how that song dies out,
To find them creases wrong.
—Chehler and Frohsher.

Removating the Chairs.

Those who have in their possession old fashioned chairs may consider themselves fortunate, as such articles of furniture in a new dress are now considered just the thing for any parlor. The older they are the better, then they look modern. Fortunately he "on their last legs," and not safe. I have one which is nearly seventy years old. It is painted a dark green color; the bottom, which was flag, is padded and covered, the cover made of "rensy" work. The back piece is made of two strips of brass colored plush, "rensy" work between, forming a rectangle 14 by 17 inches. This is lined with black brocade and is not fastened to the chair back, except at the top where it is held in place by two pieces of ribbon. Across the bottom of this back piece are five brass colored silk tassels.

A relation of mine has renovated her old ones named above, stenciling along the cane, which was beginning to give way, by weaving in wire and sizes, I believe, she tacked each cane open and the front rung on the old comforter; lastly covering with dark red plush, stretched very tightly and held in place by brass headed tacks. For the back she cut a piece of comforter shaped cushion, either tacked on or tied with ribbons. One can get an idea of the shape and size of these fancy back cushions by looking over a furniture catalogue.

I admired these chairs, but felt that I had no knack at such work, but on being engaged with the same splash of red backed chair I determined to do my best with it. I procured a ten cent package of brown powder, helped myself to father's carriage varnish, ripped the plush cushions off old dress, steamed and rubbed them over a hot flat iron (plush eats up, of course) and colored some ribbon with dyes. With these articles, various tools and the chair, I disappeared aloft (no higher than the attic) only to descend at meal times. The second day I "emerged," carrying a little chair which was compliimented to such an extent that I almost decided to make the renovation of old chairs my life work.—Cor. Housekeepers' Weekly.

Why She Left.

"I must leave," she said, as she presented herself before the mistress of the house. "I am sorry, for you have been as kind to me as I could have expected, but I can't stay any longer."

She was a pleasant looking young woman—a girl almost—neatly dressed and neat out in her demeanor.

"I am sorry, too," said the mistress, looking up in surprise. "You have been very satisfactory. Where are you going, may I ask?"

"Back to the factory," was the reply.

"Back to the factory?" exclaimed the mistress. "Why, what did you leave it for?"

"I thought it would be better," she said. "I could barely live there, but then here I could get as good or better wages and had nothing to pay for board. It seemed better, especially as my mother, before she died, had taught me to do housekeeping work. She took great pride in it, and I thought—I thought"—

"You thought what?"

"I thought I could do better and I tried, but the girls I used to know laugh at me and will hardly recognize me."

"But aren't you doing better than they?"

"Yes, I can dress better than I could and save up a little money too."

"And aren't you more comfortable than you were in your boarding place?"

"Yes, indeed. That was nothing but an attic."

"Is the work less hard?"

"It is not as hard. And is it usually pleasanter?"

"And yet you are going back to the factory?"

"I must. I'm losing the respect of all my friends. They say that domestic work is degrading, and—and I won't stand being looked down upon."

She went back to her attic and the factory because she was ashamed to do the right thing, because public opinion had taught her to do, and her companions while she had shown spirit and independence. They said nothing about it.—Chicago Tribune.

Mourning.

Few standard usages have been so much modified of late as those pertaining to mourning. God society, in all cases of the last to break away from conservatism, has become so wearied with the ostentatious grief and the pomp and circumstance made to surround such occasions that it takes a decided stand against the tyranny of some of its votaries.

From a few blossoms typical of the frailty of human nature, from the bit of bay or the laurel which were laid on the coffin as emblems of the faithfulness or fortune glory of the departed, custom ran mad, until the flowers and wreaths grew heavier and more elaborate, a drawn black carriage—often more than one—to transport those that could not be piled upon the casket. Everything belonging to the last sad ceremony should be of the utmost simplicity and plainness. Furbelows are out of place among the somber and sorrowful trappings of grief.

The fashionable command a shortening of the period of mourning. At the same time your is considered out of taste for the use of crape and other fabrics formally adopted for first mourning. In many cases even less than this is desirable. Black crape is declared so unwholesome that a strong feeling is growing up against its use, especially in a veil to be worn over the face. Veils of black gauze, crepe lisse or plain, the last are preferred, and the crape veil, if worn, is thrown back over the hat. The nun's veiling veil is quite as much favored by many persons as that of crape.

While it is true that children are some times put into black by people whose judgment is considered good in most matters, the idea seems to be a mistake. In many cases the children are too young to fully understand the meaning of all this sentiment, and it is little less than a crime to shadow their lives in this way.—New York Ledger.

Why a Woman's Watch Gets Out of Order.

"Women are very severe in their treatment of watches," says a jeweler. "Perhaps not intentionally so, still so in effect. Even the pockets in which they carry their watches are so contrived as to be out of materials of such large durability as are their timepieces under almost any conditions are soon out of order. It is a heavy draw in the end, a light one to-day, and the watch must suffer the consequences.

"If you will look over the rack of the workers in the repair department of any large jewelry house you will find that the greater percentage of watches there for mending belong to women."

"Then women are more severe on watches than are men?"

"By all odds, yes. And do you know what in a large degree is responsible for it?"

"What?"

"The fads and follies of fashion."—New York World.

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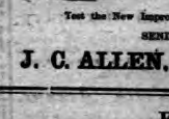

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1804—Napoleon Bonaparte proclaimed emperor of France.

1830—Charles Stewart Parnell, famous Irish statesman, born in Ireland.

1868—Benjamin Franklin Taylor, poet and author, born at Westfield, Mass.

1869—James Gregory Whitbeck, editor of the Plainfield Press, and Miss Ella Louise Hubbell, eldest daughter of Abram Cowgill, were married by the Rev. Dr. Hall at the Presbyterian parsonage.

1880—Pemberton's circus in wild confusion fled into the suburbs of Grant's forces encamped on the Mississippi. On the same day another circus brought at Carrville was burned to the ground.

1881—Very hot weather on every part of the line and at every point where the opposing armies were upon each other, especially at Chattanooga, Atlanta, Vicksburg, Memphis, Charleston, Mobile, Montgomery, Richmond, Petersburg, Lynchburg, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, Atlanta, Columbia, Ga., and Riverside, Hendricks, Va., Plainfield, N. J., Mrs. Southworth, novelist, died in Plymouth, N. H., her birthplace.

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BASE BALL.

AN EXCITING GAME AT THE CRESCENT BALL GROUNDS.

The Colored Champions Hard to Beat —The Crescents Lose the Game in the First Three Innings. — The Score, etc.

An audience of nearly 800 people, assembled at the Crescent League ball grounds, on Somerset street, yesterday afternoon, to witness the struggle between the Gorhams, champion colored base ball team of the United States, and the Crescents, who expect to be the coming champions of the Central New Jersey Base Ball League. Many colored people were present and the game was hugely enjoyed by all.

The Gorhams won the game in the first three innings. Singles by O. Jackson, and A. Jackson both who scored on a two bagger by Selden, gave the Gorhams a handicap in the first inning. Another run in the second and two in the third made the score five to two at the ending of the third.

After this the Crescents settled down to hard work and reduced the majority from six to four at the commencement of the ninth.

That inning was the chance for redemption, but luck was against the Plainfielders and Bonner was the only man to cross the home plate, Jones, Sneedan and Turner going out on short hits and Keeler being left on second.

The features of the game were the pitching of Sneedan, and the fielding of Murphy, Jones, Daley and Bonner for the Crescents, and the pitching of Selden and the fielding of Stanton and O. Jackson for the Gorhams. In the batting Murphy and A. Jackson carried off the honors, followed by Selden and Leidy.

Sneedan, the new pitcher, was formerly on the Binghamtons, of New York, and is the best twirler the Crescents have had yet. He was quite effective yesterday, fanning some of the heavy batters of the Gorhams out with ease.

The following was the result:

CRESCENTS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Keeler, r.s.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Turner, 3b.	5	0	0	0	5	2
Murphy, l.f.	3	2	3	1	0	1
Jones, c.	4	0	1	10	3	0
Holford, c.	3	1	2	4	0	1
Leidy, c.f.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Sneedan, p.	4	0	1	15	0	0
Bonner, r.f.	4	2	0	0	0	1
Sneeden, p.	4	0	2	0	2	0
Total	5	4	24	30	7	

GORHAMS.

O. Jackson, c.f.	4	1	2	0	0	0
A. Jackson, s.s.	4	1	2	2	3	0
Selden, p.	4	0	1	4	4	0
Sharry, r.f.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Malone, 1b.	4	1	1	9	0	0
Terrill, 3b.	4	0	0	2	5	0
Carter, c.	4	0	0	4	1	0
Stanton, 2b.	4	1	1	2	2	0
Chamberlain, lb	4	0	0	13	0	1
Total	6	5	27	17	2	

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Crescents..... 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 1—5

Earned runs, Gorhams 4. Crescents 1. Two base hits, Crescents, 2; Gorhams, 3. Time of game, one hour and fifty-four minutes. Umpire, Mr. Berriman.

BREVITIES

—An informal dance will be held at the Park Club house to-night.

—At Hope Chapel to-night, Miss Julia E. Bulkley will deliver a lecture on the "Holy Land."

—Wetumpka Lodge, No. 2401, K. of P., will initiate several new members in their lodge rooms at Music Hall building to-night.

—The oldest college in the United States is the Harvard, established 1636. Oberli is the first in the United States that admitted ladies.

—The Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold a sewing meeting on Friday afternoon, at two o'clock, in the lecture room.

—Evangelist Murphy, the colored preacher, who has recently been in Elizabeth, will conduct a camp meeting in Hyde's woods, in this city very soon.

—The fourth anniversary of the Warren Union Mission Christian Endeavor Society, will take place in the Mission chapel next Tuesday evening, May 24th.

—The contractors for the Plainfield Street Railroad Company have completed the erection of the poles, on Front street, as far as Plainfield avenue, and will soon begin laying the rails.

—The Central Railroad Company proposes to paint all their passenger coaches dark green, the same as the Philadelphia and Reading. A number of the cars are in the shops now and will soon be out in their new dress.

—To prevent draughts from an open car window in front of you, hold your newspaper close to the back of the person sitting in front of you; it will turn the draught back on himself, and he will soon close the window.—Ex.

—They were snow flakes, which filled the air this morning, some say. Others insist that they were floating blossoms. Reason would favor the latter, but fact the former, incredible as it appears for these so near the end of May.

—A scheme for those who intend to visit the World's Fair at Chicago next year is as follows: Buy the ticket now, including board and lodging for six days, paying therefor in monthly installments so that by the time you are ready to make the trip, it is paid.

—Ryerson, the Somerset street carriage man, says he has received the third shipment of carriages since May 1st, and is constantly duplicating orders; in other words, he says he is selling the goods as advertised, at prices for cash. He is also opening a full line of harness goods.

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PART FIRST.

Piano Solo, "Polonaise".....Chopin
The Story of Hiawatha, in costume.....
Ed. L. McDowell
Miss Emma Van Rensselaer Wilson.
A Gypsy, becoming dazed through the fascination of love, turns Flower Girl and relates the story of her fading him with her wand, and her seeing her lame lion on them. The man thinks the lion dead, having tasted of Potterus and attacks his mistress. She escapes by climbing a tree, and the lion is killed by the shot of a hunter.
Violin solo.....Walter Burnett Burnham
{a. "Sentiment Love Making."} Miss Emma Van
{b. "How It Is Sometimes."} Rensselaer Wilson.
The Bowman.....Maurice Thompson
Avon C. Burnham.

PART SECOND.

Piano Solo, Selected.....
{a. "A Dreaded Rival."} Miss Emma Van Rensselaer
{b. "A Girl of Culture."} Wilson
Violin, Sixth Air Varie.....De Beriot
Walter Burnett Burnham.
"Training an Elocutionist,".....A. C. B.
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AVON C. BURNHAM.

PERSONAL.

Augustus Rumpf of New York has located on Vine streets, North Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Clarkson, of this city, have returned from a trip to Southern California.

J. T. Davett, formerly of Newark, but now of North Plainfield, has rented W. G. Parson's house on Washington avenue.

J. A. Cresswell of Newark has rented and taken possession of Mrs. Hedgeman's house on Sycamore avenue, North Plainfield.

Miss Blanche Fellows will give a pupils recital at her residence, Wednesday, May 25th assisted by Miss Teale, recitationist.

Mr. I. W. Dickenson of Boston, State Superintendent of the Massachusetts Public schools, is in the city and is registered at the Albion.

Mrs. J. Parker Mason will be unable to appear in the entertainment to be given at the Casino, May 27, on account of the severe illness of Mr. Mason's mother.

Samuel Bingaman, of the Monterey and Mexican Gulf Railroad Company, formerly of New York has located in this city and will reside on Westervelt avenue.

Mr. Alexander McKinnon, who has been for some time extra agent for the Central Railroad of New Jersey, will leave to-day for his home in Canada to be gone several weeks.

Mr. Charles Sandford of East Front street is probably by this time in New Mexico. He started some time ago and a letter announcing his safe arrival at his destination, Clayton, is daily expected by his father. Mr. Sandford is very popular in Plainfield and is warmly welcomed whenever he visits his old home. He loves travel and had but recently returned from Tacoma, Washington, where he bought a large tract of valuable property. Mr. Sandford has had many adventures in his travels, a few of which have appeared in his interesting letters to THE NEWS.

Miss Bulkley at Hope Chapel.

The many friends of Miss Bulkley will be glad to have another opportunity to hear her lecture upon her trip through Palestine.

A year ago a large audience gathered at Hope Chapel to hear the description of the journey from Joppa to Jerusalem.

This evening at Hope Chapel Miss Bulkley will tell of the road from Jerusalem to Nazareth; and will add a description of Nazareth which has the peculiar interest of being the place where the Saviour spent most of His life. An interesting part of the lecture will be the tale of the ascent of Mt. Tabor where the party had an adventure with the Arabs.

This may be one of the last times that Miss Bulkley will favor a Plainfield audience before her departure for Europe.

The lecture will begin at eight p. m. All will be welcome.

Arrivals at the Hotels.

The Albion—S. E. Soare, Miss Anna M. Evans, Q. S. Tompkins, Miss Belle Grover, New Brunswick, and I. W. Dickenson, Boston.

The Grenada—D. H. Atwater, Red Bank; J. H. Wolf, Philadelphia; H. A. Daniels, Bridgeport, Conn.; F. L. Converse, New York; W. A. Boice, West New Brighton, N. Y.; W. F. Pitkin, New York; A. Robinson, New York; J. D. Russell, New York; J. O. Sullivan, New York.

City Hotel—Perry Gross, Newark; E. E. Hoffman, Brooklyn; Frank Halling, Boston; Louis F. Wadsworth, City.

Mayflower Festival Tonight.

The Mayflower Festival, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. at the Crescent Building, will be continued one night longer. A number of useful and ornamental articles are still left, and a large number of visitors are expected to be present to-night.

—Light moves at the rate of 192,000 miles per second. Electricity moves at the rate of 280,000 miles per second.

THE GAME OF CRICKET.

THE ST. GEORGE CLUB OF PLAINFIELD TO PLAY SATURDAY.

The Electric Cricket Club of Newark to Meet them First—Who the Players will be—A Lively Season Probable.

The St. George Cricket Club will begin their series of games next Saturday, May 21st, at 2:30 p. m., by meeting the Electric Cricket Club, of Newark, N. J., on the grounds of the former in this city.

The following is a list of the St. George team: John Nodes, captain; Robt. Gows, James Ogden, J. Nevill, C. Jolly, F. Wharton, B. Marsden, J. Lewis, N. Hendryx, John Ogden, J. P. Thompson.

Reserves, C. McIntosh, D. Thompson, J. S. Bingham, corresponding secretary.

The following is the schedule of the games to be played by them and also the names of their opponents:

Date	Opponents.	Grounds.
May 21st.	Electric	Home.
May 28th.	Newark	Home.
May 30th.	Elizabeth.	Elizabeth.
June 4th.	Harlem.	Home.
June 11th.	Newark.	Home.
July 2d.	St. George Ath. Assoc'n.	Home.
July 4th.	Brooklyn, (2 innings.)	Home.
July 9th.	Harlem.	Central Park.
July 16th.	Newark.	Home.
July 30th.	New Jersey Ath. Club.	Bergen Point.
Aug. 6th.	Newark.	Home.
Aug. 20th.	New Jersey Ath. Club.	Home.
Sept. 5th.	Brooklyn, (2 innings.)	Prospect Park.
Sept. 17th.	Newark.	Home.

WAS IT SUICIDE?

Charles Amery, a Travelling Salesman Found Dead at Elizabeth.

When Mary Kelly, the chambermaid at Ryan's Hotel, Elizabeth, opened the door of room seven, yesterday, occupied by a travelling salesman from Boston named Charles T. Amery, she was startled by a strong smell of gas. She informed the clerk. He went up and found the door locked. He broke it open, and found Amery lying on the bed in his business suit, faintly breathing. He was carried out and a physician summoned, but when the latter arrived he pronounced the man dead. In Amery's pockets were $8.67 and a railroad ticket to New York. Amery was a hard drinker, and the accepted theory is that he got drunk and blew out the gas. The police, however, think that it was a case of suicide.

Pen Sketches from Life.

A well-known gentleman, residing on Putnam avenue, Jersey City, a man of all work a colored individual who is slightly deaf, and who, when filling the tank which is done by a small engine, is warned when to stop by an overflow pipe letting a stream of water fall where he can hear the sound of it.

The other evening the man started to fill the tank and while that was being done sat down on the porch. He was very tired and fell asleep. Meanwhile the engine labored faithfully on and when the tank was filled the overflow pipe sent out its stream of water.

This awoke the sleeping beauty, who started on a run to stop the engine.

Just then a colored man who works about the neighborhood happened along. In the gloaming he saw the figure of a man run swiftly and silently around the house, concluded it was a burglar, and determined to capture him.

He hurriedly got a colored friend to help.

They mapped out a plan of action. It would be a strategic masterpiece. The first point was to secure weapons, and they started on a run to do so. The further they went from the scene of action the more courageous they became.

Revolvers weren't big enough, so they got shot guns. They probably would have preferred cannons, but they were not at hand.

Then they ran back. The owner of the property was "warned" and he correctly reasoned out the matter, and saved his employe from arrest.

An Inspection Trip.

President McLeod, of the Reading, and President Wilbur, of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, are on a four days' inspection trip over the lines of the latter company. They were accompanied by some of the executive officers and the division superintendents of the road will join them from time to time. Many reforms in management are expected to result from the examination. It is understood that they are preparing a comprehensive scheme for operating the newly leased lines that will reduce expenses very materially. It is estimated that the expenses could be reduced $500,000 a year, but examination shows that double that can be saved. That is all.

Christian Endeavor Local Union Mass Meeting.

The first general meeting of the Plainfield Local Union Christian Endeavor Societies for 1892 will be held in the evening at the First Presbyterian church. The committee in charge have arranged a very interesting programme. This programme including the address by the Rev. L. R. Dyott of Newark, N. J., who is the State Secretary of New Jersey; the Rev. Dr. Sullivan, New York, and the President Tuner. Following the programme a social time will take place and refreshments will be served. All are invited.

Among the Bowlers.

The tournament at the C. Y. M. I., was continued last night at their alleys, with the following result:

Cyrus Hill 129.
Whitehead 129.
White 121 vs. M. Whalen 119.
Bingham 121 vs. Carey 146.
M. Whalen 121 vs. Hamilton 126.

—A. Mulford, of Mulford's real estate headquarters, say that they are offering specially low prices in building lots this week, with small payments and quickly paid leases.

LEAGUE GAMES.

Rules Adopted at Elizabeth Tuesday Night.

The Central New Jersey Base Ball League held a meeting Tuesday night in the rooms of the Y. M. C. I. A. at Elizabeth and completed arrangements for the coming season, which opens on Saturday.

The most important business done was the adoption of rules. The rules of the National League were adopted with the following changes, viz.:

Rule 31, section 2: But one base will be allowed on a block ball. Section 5 of this rule is stricken out.

Rule 46, section 4, add "unless it be on third series."

Rule 57. The fines are limited to 10 cents and $1 for first offences of players.

Postponed or tie games to be played on same grounds on the succeeding Thursday.

No player under contract to National or Eastern Leagues or the Western Association shall be eligible to play in the C. N. J. B. B. League.

New players must be declared on the Wednesday preceding the game in which they play.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Of Interest to Teachers.

DOVER, N. J., May 17, 1892.

To the EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—Will you kindly insert in your paper a notice of the annual meeting of the New Jersey State Teachers' Association, in accordance with the inclosed circular?

Yours very truly,
J. H. HUNTER, Secretary.

The next annual meeting of the State Teachers' Association will be held at Asbury Park, June 30th and July 1 and 2, 1892.

A programme of more than ordinary interest and attractiveness has been prepared, and it is confidently expected that the meeting of 1892 will be one of the most important and valuable in the history of the Association. It is believed that the change in the time of holding the meeting from December to June or July, will commend itself to all. Asbury Park was selected as the place for holding the meeting, from the nearness of all who attended last year. At the close of the school year, when teachers are usually ready for a vacation and recreation, a trip of two or three days to Asbury Park will afford just the desired opportunity for rest.

The attractions of this famous sea side resort are so numerous and well known, that a whole article would be necessary. Adopting the plan of last year, which proved to be very popular, only one session will be held each day. It will be possible, therefore, to hear all the papers and discussions, and to enjoy oneself without losing any of the beneficial enjoyment of a visit to the seashore.

Arrangements have been made each year that entertainment can be had at the principal hotels and boarding houses at specially reduced rates. It is hoped that small excursion parties will be formed in different parts of the State, to make the trip to Asbury Park in company, thereby greatly enhancing the enjoyment of both travel and attendance upon the Association.

The teachers of New Jersey are greatly indebted to the State Association for many valuable reforms in the School Law of the State made in recent years, by which the profession has been so decidedly hoped, therefore, that their loyalty to the Association will lead them to attend in large numbers this the last meeting of the veterans of the regiment ship be kept as high water mark.

You are urged, therefore, to attend the next annual meeting, and if not, to preserve your connection with the Association by the payment of annual dues and pledge and mailing it to the Secretary. You are requested, furthermore, to labor with your fellow teachers to secure new members and urge them to become such by signing a similar pledge.

The following synopsis of the programme will be made soon after June 1.

At the present time the Executive Committee are announced the following speakers already secured: Chancellor N. Sims, D. D., LL. D., of Syracuse University; Henry Sandwith, Ph. D., President of Drexel Institute, Philadelphia; Professor Charles Harrison, Princeton College; Dr. George H. Hardy, New York City; Dr. James M. Green, Trenton; Dr. Edward Brooks, Philadelphia School; George G. Ryan, City Supt. of Schools, New Brunswick; Henry Snyder, City Supt. of Schools, Orange, and others, whose names will be announced later.

All the teachers of the State will be interested to know what will be done to make a second exhibit of the work of the pupils of the State. Plans are maturing for the next year. This will constitute an important feature of the programme.

The annual meetings of the Council of Education and of the State Reading Circle, will be held on the afternoons of June 30th, and July 1st.

If further information is desired prior to the issuing of the complete programme, teachers are requested to address the undersigned.

J. H. HUNTER, Dover, President.
J. R. BUCHANAN, Dover, Secretary.
TRENTON, May 2, 1892.

Marriage Insurance.

Jersey City boasts of a marriage insurance order. Membership is open to any unmarried man or woman upon payment of eight dollars down and a promise to pay two dollars a month. When the members furnish proof to the corporation that they are married, an assessment is levied upon all the other members, and the amount is paid to the newly wedded couple, less ten per cent. to maintain the fund. In case the fund is not large enough to meet the demand, as it may be called, to exceed five hundred dollars. Members are permitted to marry any time after two months' membership, but they must not marry before. In order to furnish proof of marriage, and thus wait three years to get the five hundred dollars, a certificate must be drawn at the expiration of eighteen months, on condition that the prospective bride and groom shall have paid in advance.

—The first iron steamship was built in Great Britain, in 1886.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

A STEAMSHIP ASHORE.

An Unknown Vessel Goes Aground on the Jersey Coast.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 19, (Special.)—A large iron steamship went ashore on the Brigantine shoals, off Absecon, this morning and is stuck fast in the treacherous sands which have proved many vessels heretofore. She lies about a mile and a half out.

LATER—At 11 o'clock a tug succeeded in pulling the vessel off the shoals, and she proceeded up the coast. She is an unknown vessel, and is considered one the safest of her build, so the mishap must be attributed to the captain's carelessness, however, that the unlucky ship is a tramp.

GREAT LOSS OF LIFE.

The Floods Causing Great Havoc in the West.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, May 19, (Special.)—The latest telegrams show that the flood has been more disastrous than was anticipated. Reports indicate a loss of over a thousand lives, and the end is not in sight. The terrorized people have started refugee in so many directions that it is impossible to count them. What the number on the death roll will be.

A Negro Lynched.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 19th. (Special.)—A mob took a negro, Charles Brevvitt, from his place of confinement at Shelbyville, Tenn., early this morning, and lynched him at the railroad bridge.

Brevvitt was hanged from the rope broke and he was then riddled with bullets.

Brevvitt was accused of attempting to assault a white girl.

Raise Again a Grandpa.

NEW YORK, May 19th, (Special.)—James G. Blaine was notified yesterday that he was again a grandpa. He immediately telegraphed his congratulations. The news came from the home of Mrs. Walter Damrosch, Mr. Blaine's daughter, where a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Damrosch yesterday afternoon.

Dooming Must Hang.

LONDON, May 19th. (Special.)—The Privy Council to-day rejected the appeal of Dr. Jabez Balfour, Reporter Imperial, from the sentence of the Victorian Court. This removes the last chance that the condemned man had for escape from the gallows.

A Shower of Frogs.

MEXICO, Mo., May 19. (Special.)—A heavy shower of frogs took place five miles from this town last night. The largest fall was on the farm of Phillip Shearer, who reports the frogs as thick as bees. The frogs were of all sizes and alive.

Weather Indications.

NEW YORK, May 19. (Special.)—For Friday, clearing, in the morning, followed by fair and cooler.

For Saturday and Sunday, fair; cool.

STATE NEWS

The Pennsylvania Railroad, in order to keep up to the Central, has a new one hundred engines, which they say will run ninety miles in ninety minutes.

The annual review of the Second New Jersey Volunteers will be held at Newark on Wednesday, the 25th. There are a number of the veterans of the regiment residents of this city.

A deed recording the transfer to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company of the Philadelphia and Somboro Railroad has been filed in New Jersey. The consideration cited is $18,000.

All carpenters employed by the Port Reading are by the new rules required to live in Jersey City or Philadelphia. This has caused the resignation of many Valley and Central men long in the service.

Fifty-two men who have been employed by the Lewisville shops of the Belvidere Delaware Railroad have been notified that on account of the scarcity of work, caused by the Reading road not supplying the order for coal.

A suit weighing 4,800 pounds was being tested by John Alexander, foreman in Co's factory in Newark, Thursday morning, when it fell and crushed through the floor to the cellar, narrowly escaping three employes, and damaging many considerably.

No strength for work. No relish for food. No power of digestion—nervous, irritable, impulsive—eh?

Have some H.O to-day.

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Cheese, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at

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Large Auction Sale at Carey's,

CORNER FRONT AND GROVE STREETS,

Friday, May 20th, at 2 p. m. Sharp,

Consisting of contents of a Betherwood house, moved to my rooms for convenience of sale.

Everything Pertaining to Housekeeping.

Also a large lot of New Furniture, Bedroom Suites, Parlor Suites, Diningroom Suites, etc. Terms Cash.

T. J. CAREY, - Auctioneer.

Cent-a-Work Column.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A COMPETENT chambermaid and waitress wishes a situation. Please call for two days at No. 317 West Sixth street. 19 1t

SITUATION wanted by respectable colored woman, by the day, or washing, to take home. 18 3tr

WANTED—A situation as nurse and sewing by a young lady. Address "M." care of EVENING NEWS. 17-3

WHEN out of employment this is the column to put your notice in. The people you want to reach read it.

WANTED—Work by experienced gardener and florist. Can furnish best of references; gardens laid out etc. Address Post Office Box 373. 16-3

HELP WANTED.

BOY wanted, about 14 years old, from seven a. m. to 6 30 p. m., and from five p. m. to six p. m. (evening School). Apply to Van Arsdale & Co., No. 25 Park place. 19 1t

WANTED—A girl, about 15 years old, to do light housework. Call morning or evening, 19 West street. 19 1

FOR RENT.

SQUARE piano to let. Terms $2 per month. Address "Piano," box 1100. 5 17tf

TO LET—Fully furnished house, 12 rooms, 10 minutes walk from station. All improvements from June 1st, 1892 for season, $75 per month. J. Halford, broker. 16 tf

BOARDERS WANTED.

ROOMS with board. No. 21 West Second street. 14tr

FOR SALE.

$65 INSTALLMENTS will buy a $125 ball bearing bicycle, guaranteed perfect running order. Address Geo. W. Morrison. 17 6

A MILK route for sale, cheap; also a young horse. Enquire Boyd's, rear of 20 Park place. 19 1t

$120 with option. Boulevard property, 3 minutes from Rysdorph. 20 Boulevard. 19 3t

BABY carriage for sale cheap, or will exchange for a horse. 19 1t

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased at Edgewood Park, Scotch Plains, of Address Edgewood Park Co., Plainfield, N. J. Cheapest property in the market. Call and see them. 200 feet above the rail road. 9 19tf

FRESH Jersey cow with calf will be sold cheap. Inquire of C. Lee, Asbury Park, or Mr. Forster, Stanard near Manning avenue, or cor. of Evening News. 19 1

FOR SALE—Good second hand surrey. Can be seen at No. 5 Liberty street. Also one single or back harness. Can be seen at J. T. Scott's, 42 West Seventh street. 18 1

FOR SALE—For want of use, a Babcock Buggy, in good condition. Also a set of double carriage and cart combination harness. Apply to R. Compton, 61 Middle avenue. 17 6

$110 WILL buy a brand new 1892 Singer Family Machine, fully warranted for five years. Handsomely ornamented and guaranteed free from all breakages for five years. Address Geo. W. Morrison. 17 6

FOR SALE—Good family horse, 15½ hands high, sound and kind. Address J. L. Bell, Box 1100. 17 6

THE way to let the people know you have property for sale is to put them informed through the EVENING NEWS.

TAKE NOTICE—I will pay no bills contracted by my wife after this date. Signed, Jno. Cosey. June 5, 1891. T. J. Cosey. 12 1t

MISCELLANEOUS.

CUTTING and making children's clothing. 161 West Front street. 17 6 eod

LADIES' wishing last impressions for pastry to Range, address by postal card, Range, care of EVENING NEWS office. 17 6

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order, bought and sold. Call Post Office, 11 Somerset street. 9 18tf

AT THE CASINO,

Tuesday, May 24, at 8 o'Clock,

an evening with

Avon C. Burnham,

of Brooklyn, N. Y., assisted by his pupil

Miss Emma Van Rensselaer Wilson,

in dramatic, humorous and romance recitals, with an exposition of the Delsarte system and a lesson in physical culture adapted to ladies.

Mrs. J. C. Richter, pianist.

Master Walter Burnett Burnham, Violin.

Tickets—admitting gentleman and lady—$1.

For sale at Central, Randolph's, Reynolds' and Moy's pharmacies. 19 tf

Pawnbroker's Sale!

The subscriber will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, unredeemed goods received by him by way of pawn or pledge, and which have been in his possession for the space of one year, viz.: 32 silver watches, 46 gold watches, 19 filled watches, one gold watch and chain, one gold bracelet, two gold lockets, one gold bracelet and chain, one gold watch and chain, one gold watch and chain, one gold watch

EDITORIAL NOTES

Now is the time when the graduating girl's brain is racked with intensity of thought, not so much about her commencement essay as about her commencement gown.

A German has invented for coast illumination a more powerful light than even electricity. He soaks pumice stone in benzine, then passes an air blast through it, thus obtaining a benzine gas. The gas is carried over a magnesium powder which further adds to its brilliancy. It is then passed through a pipe like gas and is ready for combustion. So powerful is it that a small flame is said to possess 400,000 candle power.

Another assault on a woman in one of the jail-like cells of the locked compartments of the British railway car ought to make Englishmen do away at once and forever with their antiquated, clumsy, heavy system of dividing cars into trunks and locking three or four people in them. But it is not likely that even this will move the British public. A few months ago it was a preacher who attacked a woman in a compartment. This time it is the brother of a lord. Some years ago it was a colonel in the British army, the friend of the Prince of Wales. We are told that since the lord's brother committed the outrage "popular sentiment favors some improved method of communication between compartments for passengers and the guards' van." The only feasible means of communication will be to tear down the ugly partitions, throw the whole car into one long, light, airy room, American fashion, and let the "guards" sit in the car with the passengers, where they can at all times have an eye on proceedings.

Astronomical Progress.

"We have but entered the vestibule of our acquaintance with the universe," says Camille Flammarion. "May there not exist among the planetary races psychic bonds whereof we are as yet ignorant?"

Well, we will give it up, that last part of the problem. But the latest achievements in astronomy give reason to hope that many things now seemingly impossible may become as easy as making an egg stand on end was to Columbus, when *we once know how it is done. The best* that has been accomplished by astronomers in many a year is the finding out how to get the physical constitution of a star. Photography has come to the aid of astronomy in accomplishing marvels. A star viewed through a telescope. its light is made to fall upon a prism. This prism separates the rays. They fall as a colored ribbon upon a screen beyond and the ribbon is photographed.

Optical chemistry discovered some years ago that each substance known to man makes, when it burns and its blaze is passed through a prism, a ribbon of light peculiar to itself, which never varies. At times other rays are mingled with those of this ribbon or spectrum it shows that other substances have been mixed with the first one. By comparing the ribbons or spectra formed on the screen by the different substances known on our earth with the spectrum formed by the light of a given star astronomers can determine the constituent elements of that star.

Some time ago it was found at the Harvard observatory that the rays of the spectra were double in case of certain stars. This led to the wonderful discovery that certain stars in the far off universe have other stars revolving about them with a rapidity that is almost inconceivable to us. Sometimes the twin star is so far away that its light cannot be seen by us through any telescope yet invented, but we know the star is there from its spectrum. Astronomers have even been able to calculate how long it takes these stars to revolve about one another. Sometimes a star visible through the telescope disappears altogether at regular intervals and appears serenely in the heavens again. In this case the star goes into eclipse behind a dark star. Algol, the fiery orb in Medusa, has been found to be a double star of immense size, that revolves being composed of one white sun and one totally dark one. The two fly about each other in 2 days, 20 hours, 48 minutes, 53 seconds.

Another great double star is the one called Menkalinan, near the White Capella. These twins waltz around each other at the dizzy rate of 8,650 miles a minute. This double sun is 900,000 times as heavy as our earth. It travels well for a large body. In many cases both stars are light, as with Mizar in the constellation of the Dipper. These revolve more slowly, performing their journey in 104 days.

The above discovery in regard to the spectra of double stars may be considered perhaps the most important one made in astronomy in years. Another, however, is almost equal to it. That is that by the same two beons to astronomers, spectral analysis and astro-photography, it is possible to ascertain whether a star is approaching earth or receding from it. These two achievements, together with the fact that we are constantly obtaining more and more powerful telescopes, constitute the most important results of astronomical work in the past few years.

VILAS AND GORMAN OUT.

Two Democratic Senators Have a Lively Tilt.

THE MARYLAND SENATOR SCORED.

Wisconsin's Statesman Censures Him for His Attitude on Appropriations and Says That the Democracy Looks Like a House Divided Against Itself at Present.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The naval appropriation bill, with all the senate amendments intact—battleship, double turreted monitor, four light draft cruisers and six torpedo boats—passed the senate by a vote of 32 to 18. Mr. Gorman's recent speech was discussed and brought on a sharp and somewhat personal debate between Senators Gorman and Vilas as to the policy of the Democratic party. The somewhat bitter encounter between the two senators began when Mr. Gorman expressing surprise at what seemed to him the unjust criticism of Mr. Vilas upon his remarks on Friday last, repeated in substance what he then said, that the legislation of the Fifty-first congress which was under the control of the Republican president at the other end of the avenue had made it absolutely necessary for this congress to appropriate $200,000,000. There was no escape from it, but there was no Democrat in congress that would be held responsible for it. When newspapers in the professed interest of the Democratic party held up to the people the hope that a Democratic house with over a hundred majority could reduce it they were deceiving the people.

Parading as Reformers.

He knew these men who were parading themselves before the country as reformers and economists who, when their own locals were affected, would advocate making appropriations and afterward make a public parade of their virtue by striking down the very great appropriation intended for all the people of this great country. This, he thought, was not economy. He hoped to see the Democratic party soon restored to power. The best interests of the country required it. But it would never come into power unless it treated the country fairly and presented the facts before the people. It must not claim the power to reduce expenditures and taxation when it had no such power. He repeated that $300,000,000 would be required for this year, of which probably $240,000,000 would be needed for pensions. The administrative act and other pension acts passed by the last congress would ultimately increase the pension list $60,000,000. Expenditures could not be reduced at this session, but next session they might be reduced thirty or forty millions of dollars, and thus bring the total appropriations of the Fifty-second congress below those of the Fifty-first by this amount.

Vilas Scores Gorman.

Mr. Vilas, replying to Mr. Gorman, said the senator from Maryland, highly distinguished by the respect of his party for a great many years and by his eminent position in this senate, owed it to him (Mr. Vilas) to have examined what he (Mr. Vilas) said before he made it the basis of attack. "The senator misapprehended," Mr. Vilas continued, "seems to me to be superheated. He seems unnecessarily sensitive. It cannot be due to anything said by me. I am afraid that the senator, in the course of the discussion in which he indulged that the tendency of his remarks, more than what was said, seemed to be more gratifying to his and my political friends than to his and my political friends, and that because of an apparent isolation he has seemed to think that he was criticised when no criticism was intended and none was expressed.

At this juncture Mr. Gorman disclaimed any personal feeling toward the senator from Wisconsin. Mr. Vilas, resuming, contended that it was in the highest degree important that the Democratic party should go before the people as a unit. If in one section of the country the party was to fall in about economy and disinterest and common justice taxation and in other parts of the country the party was to go on justifying a rate of taxation which had increased so enormously year by year, the people of this country would say: "You are a house divided against yourself. You cannot stand either in our confidence or upon a secure foundation."

Mr. Vilas referred to the line of argument adopted by Mr. Gorman on this bill as substantially advocating a bounty upon shipbuilding. Mr. Gorman replied that if so, the point was one that had been inaugurated by Secretary Whitney.

"Rascality and Robbery."

Mr. Vilas retorted, "Why that is so easy to answer I wonder the senator has so exposed himself."

"Taask yon," said Mr. Gorman under his breath.

Mr. Vilas continued: "At that time we had no navy; only the remnants of rascality and robbery; old hulks that could hardly float upon the sea. At that time there was necessity for building a navy. Constructs were necessary for the purpose of constructing modern vessels. The whole amount appropriated during Mr. Whitney's administration was $30,000,000, a million or two what was usually been appropriated in previous years. The difference between the appropriations of the years appropriating to continue enormous plans was simply the difference between honest dealing with the public money for purposes for which the people were willing that money should be spent, and the misuse of it for purposes which they had condemned—namely, special protection to private industries."

After further debate Mr. Gray moved to strike out from the amended bill the double turreted monitor, the light draft cruisers and the torpedo boats. This was voted down without a division, and the senate amendment providing (in addition to the $6,300,000 previously authorized by the house) one new gun battleship of 9,000 tons, one harbor defense monitor of 7,500 tons, four light draft cruisers and six torpedo boats was agreed to by the following vote:

Yeas—Messrs. Aldrich, Allison, Blackburn, Butler, Casey, Chandler, Cullom, Davis, Dawes, Dixon, Dolph, Frye, Gallinger, Gibson, Gorman, Hale, Hansbrough, Hawley, Higgins, Hiscock, Manderson, Mitchell, Morgan, Pugh, Quay, Ransom, Sanders, Sawyer, Sherman, Squire, Stanford, Stockbridge, Teller and Washburn—36.

Nays—Messrs. Blodgett, Cockrell, Coke, Gray, Hill, Jones (Ark.), Kyle, McPherson, Mills, Palmer, Pasco, Pefferr, Perry, Pugh, Turpie, Vilas, Voorhees and Walthall—18.

The naval bill as thus amended was then passed.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Another day was devoted to the smoky civil bill in the house. The northwestern members made unsuccessful appeals for irrigation surveys, and the extreme western congressmen succeeded in having the appropriation of $400,000 for public land surveys increased to $1,000,000.

WORK OF THE METHODISTS.

The Rocky Mountain Annual Session Was the Great Conference.

OMAHA, May 19.—At the Methodist conference Jesse L. Hurt was elected secretary of the Sunday school union and missionary secretary. Dr. J. W. Macdonald, the editorial editor of The Methodist Review by unanimation.

The report of the committee on itinerancy was taken up for discussion. The majority favors the removal of time limit, believing Methodism could be better conserved by the permanent location of ministers. The minority do not favor the removal of the time limit. The whole committee recommend that the eighth be so amended as to read: "When a traveling preacher is accused of being so unacceptable, inefficient or secular as to be no longer useful in his work, the bishop may, after due notice, act for a location, and if he shall refuse to comply with the request the conference may, after formal trial and conviction, locate him without his consent; provided, however, that in no case shall a preacher be located while there are charges against him for immoral conduct."

Dr. Miranda, chairman of the committee, spoke in favor of the majority, holding that the abolishment of the time limit would not work the best results. Dr. Mathews, of New York, spoke and in an eulogistic speech, nominated James Monroe Buckley, of New York, as editor of the New York Christian Advocate. Amid the wildest excitement Dr. Buckley was elected. Arthur Edwards, of Detroit, was re-elected editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate, Chicago. David H. Moore was elected editor of the Western Advocate.

Presbyterians Meet.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 19.—Delegates to the Presbyterian general assembly have gathered in Portland and the session began. Many important questions are to be decided.

FASHIONS.

A CHARMING COSTUME.

A Parisian Indoor Dress in Crepon, Chalil or Fancy Woolen.

This attractive model for a house dress, designed by Worth, combines style, simplicity and comfort in most admirable fashion. The original is a gay and pearly gown of soft, clinging wool of a rose red shade, with large bows of pale moss green ribbon. The collar and square plastron are of Russian embroidery of bright colors wrought in cross stitch—a trimming *seen on many of the new dresses.*

In design it is an easy fitting princess dress with but few seams and buttoned invisibly all the way down from under the left arm to the hem of the skirt. The bodice is cut over a silk lining, with front-fitted by darts and hooked down the middle, the top being covered with embroidery. Over this the princess front is put on plainly, without seams, and turned *down diagonally at the top in a graduated* revers that is faced with the red material.

FRENCH HOUSE DRESS.

A directory belt with large bow crosses the front only, and large bows are fastened on the right shoulder and far down the left side of the skirt.

The back breadths have fullness added in the seams below the waist. The sleeves are full at the top, where they droop in folds around the elbow and are closely buttoned below. Ribbed red silk stockings and low shoes of red kid, of suede, or of black or red leather complete this charming costume.

Crepon, chalil, cashmere and fancy French woolens can be made after this model, and the trimming may be that with bright Russian embroidery and rose colored bows or pale, violet woolen with ecru embroidery. Sage green, gray and silver blue gowns made up with cream tinted embroidery have a sash belt and bows of pale pink ribbon of great width.

Bancroft's Will Ambiguous.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—C. C. Cox, of San James M. Bancroft, executor, have filed a bill for an interpretation of the will of the late George Bancroft. They state that parts of the language of the will are ambiguous, and the attorneys title to certain private papers is not set forth.

Boston Street Car Strike Probable.

BOSTON, May 19.—The Knights of Labor union, composed of employees of the West End Street railway, claim that the company has violated its ten hour day agreement. If the company does not remedy the grievance in forty-eight hours a general strike will occur.

Andrew Smith for President.

BOSTON, May 19.—At the semi-annual meeting of the National Association of Wools and Worsted Manufacturers held in the evening your were elected as follows: President, Andrew Smith; secretary, E. T. Whitmore; treasurer, R. T. Jones.

Consul Anderson Dead.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—John A. Anderson, United States consul general to Cairo, Egypt, is dead. Mr. Anderson was appointed by President Harrison, while roommate he was at Miami university, Oxford, during their college term.

Italy Rewards an American.

ROME, May 19.—Several months ago Paul Tamme, of New York city, while fishing on James Gordon Bennett's yacht Namouna, saved an Italian from drowning. The Italian government has just sent him the naval medal for bravery.

It Was a Fatal Duel.

CHIHUAHUA, Mex., May 19.—Lieutenant Don Pablo Ochoa, one of the most prominent attorneys in Mexico, died here from the effects of a wound received in a duel with Senor Diaz Lombo, the editor of El Diario de Cuihuahua.

Banned by Governor Russell.

BOSTON, May 19.—The governor made the following appointments: John W. Corcoran, of Clinton, and James H. Richardson, of Boston, to be associate justices of the superior court.

ELKINS HOLDS THE KEY.

The Presidential Situation in His Control.

MASTER OF TWO MEN'S DESTINY.

Report That Both Blaine and Harrison Have Placed Themselves Entirely in the Hands of the Secretary of War. Said Harrison Was an Algor's Mouse.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Secretary Blaine, it is said, has consented conditionally to the use of his name at the Minneapolis convention. Nathaniel Paige, of Washington, who is at the Fifth Avenue hotel, states that Mr. Stephen B. Elkins, secretary of war, had a conference with Secretary Blaine and President Harrison, and had received definite instructions from both to present the name of either at Minneapolis as the Republican nominee for president. Mr. Paige also stated that Secretary Elkins was given permission by both Blaine and Harrison to withdraw the name of either as may seem advisable at the time.

And Harrison Was Mum.

NEW YORK, May 19.—A special to The Press from Detroit says: "General Clarkson said: 'I have not been in communication myself, but Quay, Platt and the old time forceful elements of the Republican party, met at General Alger's house and are still in consultation. Grand Harrison contingents have thrown down the gauntlets, and the fight began in earnest from today, win or lose. Perhaps the most remarkable feature of the meeting was the unanimity as to Blaine. General Clarkson said he had no authority to speak for him, and did not represent him, but he knew that Blaine had a definite opposition than had yet been made.

"He said that with Blaine out of the contest it was a problem as to who would win. He said the opposition was composed of the mindful only of the best interests of the Republican party. Mr. Clarkson is not anxious to talk except to emphasize the belief that General Harrison cannot be nominated without a fight, if then.

"In this as in most of the details of this meeting the first friend of Senator Quay can be seen. How much the gathering means to General Alger's chances it is hard to say. The conference so far seems to tend toward a final agreement on Harrison, failing any candidate who shows strongest for the finish."

Whitney Will Not Be There.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Ex-Secretary of the Navy William C. Whitney returned from a five weeks' trip abroad by the steamer Majestic.

"Do you know that you have been named as a prominent candidate since you have been away?" he was asked.

"I have been so informed," answered Mr. Whitney, "but I have no idea that presidential candidates will be in my boots, and I have no boo buzzing in my bonnet."

"Will you attend the anti Hill convention to be held at Syracuse?"

"No, I shall not. I am in no way identified with the movement. I have had nothing to do with it from the start. I do not believe in the movement."

South Carolina Anti Cleveland.

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 19.—The work of the Democratic state convention was directed by the conference. It was overwhelmingly anti Cleveland. Resolutions reaffirming the principles set forth in the Ocala platform were adopted, as was a platform protesting in the strongest terms against the nomination of Grover Cleveland for president. The delegates at large elected were: Governor Richardson, Senator J. L. M. Irby, Dr. William J. Stokes and W. J. Talbot. Hill seems to be South Carolina's favorite for president.

Bontelle Thinks Blaine Would Accept.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—"I believe Mr. Blaine will be nominated," said Mr. Bontelle, of Baltimore, this morning. "I think he will be nominated I do not doubt he will accept. He is not a candidate and will not write his letter of acceptance. He will neither again indicate his intention to withdraw nor will he put himself in the hands of his friends. I do not think he will utter a syllable on the subject again. I think he has practically declined him, if that should be the outcome of the deliberations of the convention."

To Buy a Sherman Paper.

ALBANY, May 19.—Sherman's presidential boom has one of its most earnest supporters in the Albany Evening Journal, owned and controlled by William Barnes, Jr., a grandson of Thurlow Weed. It is reported that the friends of President Harrison have been negotiating for the purchase of The Journal in order to convert it into an administration organ. If the arrangement is consummated it is said Charles Emory Smith, of the Philadelphia Press, will be made The Journal's editor in chief.

Alger Meets Ridicule.

DETROIT, May 19.—Since Colonel Duffield's recent conference with Platt, Quay and others in Washington Alger stock has taken a decided drop. The friends of Alger say nothing upon Blaine's persistent refusal to allow the withdrawal of publications for Harrison.

An Anti Hill Resolution Missed.

FRESNO, Cal., May 19.—At the Democratic convention a resolution was introduced that the delegates to the national convention be pledged not to assist or vote for D. B. Hill. The resolution was issued by several of the delegates. It was then referred. All delegates to the national convention thus far chosen by congressional conventions are Cleveland men.

Blue Carr for Governor.

RALEIGH, May 19.—At the Democratic state convention Saturday the third party element was completely overcome. The platform adopted was that of 1890, with three planks from the Ocala platform and one new plank. Hon. Elias Carr, of Edgecomb, was nominated for governor.

Cleveland Means Hill in Georgia.

ATLANTA, May 19.—The state Democratic convention elected four Cleveland delegates at large and eight district delegates. Hill candidates will be instructed.

Murderer Tim Dies Easily.

AUBURN, N. Y., May 19.—Joseph L. Tice, the wife murderer, was electrocuted in the Auburn prison. His death was apparently instantaneous and painless.

Kingsbury's Creditors Made Happy.

BROOKPORT, N. Y., May 19.—J. H. Kingsbury was made acquainted by which he will pay his creditors in full not later than 8 p. m.

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SIOUX CITY, Ia., May 19.—A great flood almost has overtaken Sioux City. A great wave came down the Floyd river, which flows through the center of the city. In a few minutes the water had risen above the first floors, and several thousand people fled in terror to the higher ground. The water rose four feet in an hour and a half. Probably one-third of the inhabitants of the city live on the low ground which is overflowed. So rapid was the rise of the tide that great numbers were unable to escape. At least fifteen persons have been drowned, and there must be many others. All the boats on the Sioux river are now being used to save life and property. The Missouri river is very high, and when the flood in the Floyd river struck it the water dammed up and rushed over the adjacent low grounds. The stockyards and packing houses were situated at the confluence of the two rivers, and they were instantly inundated. About 2,000 head of livestock were drowned there. Great numbers of dead stock have also been found floating down the Floyd river.

Immense Damage Done.

The whole railroad yards and switching track district is under water and there has been immense damage to the roundhouses and other railroad property. The roundhouse of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha is damaged to the extent of $40,000. That road, the Illinois Central, and the Sioux City and Northern enter the city by the Floyd valley and all are stopped. The Hotel Fowler and the Boston Investment company's building are surrounded with water. It is estimated that 5,000 people have been driven from their homes. All business is suspended. The following are the names of the drowned so far as reported: Nellie West, Mrs. Louise Horner, two children. Others are lost, but so great is the confusion and excitement it is almost impossible to ascertain anything definite.

One Hundred May Be Drowned.

The relief committee states that in all probability over fifty people have been drowned and it is even thought that the number of lost may reach 100. The Floyd valley, a mile wide in places and five miles through the manufacturing and railroad districts of the city and thickly dotted with homes, is a scene of desolation. Hundreds of houses were swept away entirely. Over a half mile of paving on one street was destroyed. All the railroad yards, machine shops, warehouses, lumber yards, stove works, foundries, shoe factories, gasworks and many retail business houses are submerged. Not a railroad train can reach the city. In the afternoon fire in the flooded district added to the horror. The total loss in the city is estimated at from $1,000,000 to $5,000,000.

Under Six Feet of Water.

ST. LOUIS, May 19.—The Mississippi passed the thirty-six foot mark at 10 p. m. It is rising steadily and slowly. A strong gale has prevailed throughout the flooded section during the entire day, lashing the waters against such levees as remain standing as have so far withstood its force, causing sections of the earth to crumble away. It is this feature which has caused the greatest fear. All fears of saving the town of Madison in the northern part of St. Clair county, Ill., has been given up, and Madison is under six feet of water. The main portion of East St. Louis is still safe but the outlook is most threatening. But for several railroad embankments the city would be an island. These embankments connect it with the Eads bridge to the west and the Pitsburg bluffs to the east. Many of the residents of the city have moved out. The American bottoms, the most fertile stretch of Illinois, is now a sea twenty-five miles long and five miles wide. Thousands of acres of farm land are deserted. The loss will run into the millions. The work of rescuing the farmers from their house tops and supplying them with food is being prosecuted with great vigor.

Nine Russians Perish.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 19.—Lincoln is waterbound. Not a train can come or go. For fifty miles east and west all roads have washouts. The Rock Island eastbound train from Denver is a mile east of here unable to proceed and surrounded by water. The situation here is terrible. Two thousand people are homeless, and nine Russians, seven of them children, were drowned before they could be rescued from their house, which was washed away. The property loss here alone is already over $30,000.

Above the Danger Line Now.

KANSAS CITY, May 19.—The Missouri river is again booming. The danger line has been left far behind and the water is still rising at the rate of an inch an hour, and the signal officer says that a greater flood is coming. Thousands of acres of wheat and corn are now under water and incalculable damage has been done to crops of all kinds.

Uneasiness at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, May 19.—The air is full of rumors of breaks in levees above and below New Orleans. The river in New Orleans is one-tenth above the highest water mark and the water is slopping over the tops of the levee in a number of places. Several large levees along the river are reported dangerous, and the greatest uneasiness prevails.

Ten People Drowned.

ROSSVILLOS, Ark., May 19.—The river has six inches during the day and everybody is moving out. Hemp Wilson, colored, four women and five children were drowned at Dawdle's place while trying to escape in a skiff.

To Arbitrate the Lockout.

NEW YORK, May 19.—A plan to have three bishops arbitrate the granite lockout between the manufacturers and their employees may be adopted. Both sides express themselves in favor of it.

Fire Caused by Strikers.

LONG ISLAND CITY, May 19.—The top floor of Simonds' stove foundry was destroyed by fire. Loss, $50,000. It is believed the fire was set by strikers.

Tufts College to Admit Women.

BOSTON, May 19.—The trustees of Tufts College have decided to admit women to its institution.

Bibb's Knee Slide.

"Excuse me, madam, but I think I had the pleasure of seeing you yesterday." "No; I never go to the Zoo."—Judy.

A Curious Phenomenon.

Johnnie with his mouth open as wide as he can get it for medicine.

But my, how his mouth opens for honey.—Judge.

Rev. Kennedy Bail Out on Bail.

LONDON, May 19.—The Rev. Kennedy Bell, the clergyman of the Established church who assaulted Miss Abney and Miss Brittain on a railway train, has been released on bail.

Collector David Short $28,000.

WACO, Tex., May 19.—Otis W. David, county tax collector, is short $28,000. His bondsmen have made the deficit good. No explanation has yet been given by Mr. David.

The Vice President Leaves Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Vice President Morton left Washington with his family for their country home at Rhinebeck on the Hudson.

Pardon for Dunlap.

BOSTON, May 19.—The governor's council voted 5 to 4 in favor of granting a pardon to James Dunlap, the Northampton bank robber.

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Leave Plainfield at 7 45, 8 32, 9 30, 10 45 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 p. m. Leave South Amboy at 1 00, 2 00, 3 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00 a. m., 12 00, 1 00, 2 00, 3 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 7 45, 8 32, 9 30, 10 45 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 p. m. Leave Bound Brook at 1 00, 2 00, 3 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00 a. m., 12 00, 1 00, 2 00, 3 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00 p. m.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

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9 15 a. m. for Pennington, 11 15 a. m., 1 35, 5 20 p. m. for Junction connecting for D. L. & W. R. R.

9 30 a. m. for Pennington, High Bridge connecting, for stations on Flemington Branch.

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1 35 p. m. for Pennington, Flemington, Lambertville, Trenton, Bordentown, Burlington and Philadelphia.

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9 05 p. m. for Pennington, High Bridge connecting, for stations on High Bridge Branch.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

8 15 a. m. for Somerville, Bridgewater, Bound Brook, Millstone, Manville, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

8 15 a. m. for Junction connecting for Dunellen, Metuchen, Rahway, Elizabeth, Newark and New York.

9 05 a. m. for Somerville, Bridgewater, Bound Brook, Millstone, Manville, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport.

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THE MIDDLE AGE UNMARRIED WOMEN OF YESTERDAY AND TODAY.

"If I am not married by the time I am thirty, I'll put on a gown and cap like a sister of charity and renounce all the vanities of life." Have we not all heard such speeches from girls in their teens? Have we not perhaps given forth such sentiments ourselves at that callow period?

The point of view of the girl of sixteen, almost as we may deem it, is after all a species of atavism, or return to the old ideals which our ancestors were trained, when matrimony and social activities were just the alternatives presented to the impressible mind of the properly educated young woman; and thirty, in the ancient chronology, meaned the last possible day of grace. Age is, to a certain extent, a relative term depending very much upon the conditions of life and the place of thought. In the last century both men and women were pushed forward earlier into the arena—political, social and domestic—and consequently often ran through their allotted gamut of pleasure and pain long before they had reached threescore years and ten.

The middle aged spinster of our time holds an unenviable position, nor does she feel it to incumbent upon her to seat herself in a shady corner of the drawing room because she does happen to be single the distinction of a husband. What became of her in the past it is impossible to say. She was called "old maid," and that was probably the end of her career. Now we seldom hear the term applied, and would even be in double as to what old maids were supposed to look like was it not for an occasional comic valentine in which the charms of this obsolete genus are set forth in high colors.

In viewing the limitless potentialities for usefulness and happiness that rise up before the intelligent, progressive and healthy single woman, we may well sigh over so many wasted lives of the past, when she seemed to have no distinct place in social or domestic life, except to do the things that no one else cared to do.—Anne H. Wharton in Harper's Bazar.

Influence of Eastern Women.

Under the title of "Woman's Influence in the East," Mr. J. J. Pool has written a series of essays showing what women who have risen to fame and greatness among the Mussulman, Hindoo and other races of Hindoostan. Among the women whose lives are given are the Queen of Angel, the Empress Noor Jehan, the Ranee of Jodpore and many others who conclusively showed that seclusion has not been able to subdue their strength of will or to deprive them of courage in the moment of danger. In ancient days, as Sir Lepel Griffin points out in the introduction, Indian women enjoyed comparative freedom; they attended with men social and religious festivals, and received an equal share of the education of the day. It was not until India fell from its high estate into comparative barbarism and when an era of wars and troubles set in that women in India lost their equality with men.

Then the Mussulman conquerors set an example of seclusion, though, says Sir Lepel, it may be fairly asserted that the position of a married Mahommedan woman today is socially and legally more secure and protected against arbitrary violence, either to person or property, than that of an Englishwoman, whose disabilities, until the last few years, were a reproach to our civilization. It is remarkable that the women who have made a name in Indian history have been Sikhs, Mahrattas or Mohammedans; the reason probably being that these peoples generally defer the marriage of girls to a reasonable age, while among the two former races the seclusion of women is much less strict.

At the present day when the Pax Britannica permits all women to go about without fear, seclusion in the sense is a mark of respectability, and the women of the higher classes have little opportunity, even if they desire to go abroad, but for all that their influence is very strong and occasionally, as the begum of Bhopal has shown, they are even now capable of ruling a state with the greatest ability and success.

A Physical Phenomenon.

Did you ever see her? I mean the clean girl—the girl who always looks neat and well groomed under all circumstances? As the old saying is, clay wouldn't stick to her. But whether it would or not it doesn't, for the simple reason that she never gives it a chance. If she were condemned to die on the scaffold she'd sit up all night to wash and iron her Schu and shirt and handkerchief, so that she would be late at the ceremony on account of her careful toilet.

The clean girl is rarely a fashionable girl. She belongs rather to the old maid order or prinky sort. Some mornings on my way down town in a street car I amuse myself by looking around for the clean girl. I don't always find her. On the contrary, I see many things which surprise me—buttons off or hanging by one thread, ravelled edges here and there, ruins fastened up with a pin, buttonholes too large to hold the button, gloves ripped or out at the finger ends, and worst of all things, I've myself of untidiness, dried mud on the bottom of a skirt, stains of food on the front of a sack or jacket. And, going a little higher, I see tired faces which have been carelessly bathed, and that the hair is not completely free from dust and dandruff.

But other mornings the clean girl comes tripping in, and I am always glad when she takes a seat beside me. She smells as fresh as a clover field, and looks it too. The scalp beneath her soft brown hair is as free from dandruff as if she had just been left the hairdresser's chair, and her skin has that fresh, wholesome look which the human epidermis presents when it is kept clean by bathing, soap and water must compete with the child' obligation to keep it from the pores to the children. One obligation is that the parent shall be clean with the child, so that the parent shall be a master in things of mud—a safe, unfailing guide and counselor, not an imitator. The all aim is to fulfill in the highest sense the trust which heaven has laid upon parents.—New York Tribune.

Blacking Stoves.

Every good housekeeper dislikes to see a grimy stove, yet often does not exactly know how to remedy the evil by the use of blacking. A pair of thick gloves is, of course, a necessary part of the outfit of any one who has to do the blacking, and the careful one also should, to keep her hands dainty. As a rule far too much blacking is used on stoves. A cake of blacking, which can be sold for eight cents, ought to last a year for blacking one stove. If more blacking is used it will not be rubbed into the surface of the stove as it should be, but remain as a fine dust, to be afterwards blown about the kitchen and create a generally gritty appearance, so often seen in uncared for kitchens. A fresh coat of blacking should be applied to the stove once a month, when the fires should also be cleaned out and the interior of the stove thoroughly brushed out. Before putting on new blacking the old blacking should be washed off; the new coat must now be applied and the stove thoroughly polished.

The edges of the stove, if left in a rough state from the mould, should not be blacked, but cleaned like a steel knife with sapolio or brickdust. The nickel knobs and other nickel ornaments should be kept bright with a chamois skin or old, shrunken flannel. An ordinary paint and whiting brush is one of the best things with which to apply blacking to a stove. A stiff brush, such as is used for this purpose, is the best brush for polishing.

During the month polish the stove with the polishing brush each morning, just after kindling the fire. Mops are not such always on hand in cooking to rub off any grease spot as soon as it occurs. If the spots are allowed to remain a few days they oil put on the stovecloth will remove them. The ground edges and nickel work of the stove should be rubbed off at least once a week, besides the monthly cleaning when the stove is blacked.—House Magazine.

Mothers, Keep Abreast of Your Children!

There is in every community a class of people who should not be capable of receiving any education outside their own limited experience. Life runs along easily enough when the clean girl is rarely a fashionable girl. She belongs rather to the old maid order or prinky sort. Some mornings on my way down town in a street car I amuse myself by looking around for the clean girl. I don't always find her. On the contrary, I see many things which surprise me—buttons off or hanging by one thread, ravelled edges here and there, ruins fastened up with a pin, buttonholes too large to hold the button, gloves ripped or out at the finger ends, and worst of all things, I've myself of untidiness, dried mud on the bottom of a skirt, stains of food on the front of a sack or jacket. And, going a little higher, I see tired faces which have been carelessly bathed, and that the hair is not completely free from dust and dandruff.

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American Girls and Foreign Men.

Do young women in this country like diplomats for the uniforms they wear, for the foreign tongues in which they speak, for the demarcation so rigidly set by the possible chance that they will take them to court some day? In the first place, many American young women do not care anything at all for diplomats, but there are others who like the social charms and requirements of adepts. Really, not many American young women lose their heads completely over foreigners because he is in the diplomatic service. One point of resemblance between an alien and a native American is that each is likely to be taken by the true sense of the officer who is able to the market value, but not many child cotton over here, and most of those that do need regilding.

There is a good deal of fun in a young foreign attaché, and the young woman who like fun—and that is what youthful society is for—likes the fun of the attaché. It is a kind of fun that represents the accumulated experience of centuries of young and old men who devote themselves to the study of how to be most agreeable to the people to whom they are specialized. There are young women of, course who are captured by the most insignificant foreigners, as there are occasional mistakes a tallow dip for the sun. The fools are not all confined to the male sex.

The truth is that the world does not and will not waste much sympathy on an American youth who cannot make his way with an American girl against a rival with a title. And the best proof of this is that he is a foreigner.—Harper's Weekly.

A Saying That Has No Foundation.

The oft repeated assertion that "women are born actresses" has no truth for its foundation. There are two classes of women who are prone to be severe in their judgments of their sisters. To the first belong those who may be classed by their temperament and in part to force of environment, have never come face to face with a clever piece of acting, and hence find it impossible to understand how another can be tempted. To the second class belong those who, guarded by a consciousness of their own absolute sincerity, are always on the alert to detect in others evidences of similar weaknesses. But while representatives of these two classes are to be found in every community and in every grade of social life, they are, happily, in the minority.

The world, thank God, is full of true women, tender, pitying, mother hearted women, who are always mindful of the sisterhood of women and who at all times are ready to relieve the shadowed, to plead the cause of the unfortunate and to urge gentleness and forbearance toward the weak and erring. Never in the world's history has the relation between women been so cordial and beneficent as now. The long crusade in behalf of "woman's rights," though not yet a success so far as the ballot is concerned, has made, for years by year, been drawing woman into a better understanding of women, into broader and kindlier sympathy with her in her arduous duties, her petite ills and her needs, and to-day everywhere it impresses that is reaching out the helping hand to weaker.—Housewife.

Patient Matrimonial.

The training of children, either girls or boys, should be commenced at that moment when the motive can see in them the first gleam of the knowledge of right and wrong. When they know for the first time that action merits—whether it receive it or not—reward, and another punishment, because of the action itself, and because of its pernicious effect upon the character of the doer, then the work of education will be nothing more than disciplining, but when this time arrives the mother's real duties commence, and from that moment she does her responsibilities. Girls and boys require very much the same treatment in this matter of training, and I do not know that I believe in making very much, if any, distinction in it. The same amount of firmness, of common sense, of respect to individual character and regard for individuality should be shown in the one case as in the other.

The greatest care must be exercised by the mother in her children grow older to retain their affection, to be one of and one with them; to have her daughters talk over the people, and especially the men they meet, with her, as they would with a girl friend, and to keep an ever watchful eye over their girl and men friends alike. I believe that frequently girls' friendships in the friendships are formed after she is fourteen or fifteen.—Mrs. John Wanamaker in Ladies' Home Journal.

Mrs. King's Big Ranch.

When ladies go to call on Mrs. Richard King, after they have reached the front gate they have to drive ten miles up the walk to the front door. But the baker when he wants to get at the kitchen must drive thirty miles from the back gate. Mrs. King lives on her ranch forty-five miles south of Corpus Christi. Over her acres roam 100,000 head of cattle. These are attended by 300 cowboys and 1,200 ponies. When there comes an order from a Chicago butcher for 1,000 head of cattle it is but short work to round them up and start them on their way. Abraham, Isaac and Jacob would find this life ideally patriarchal. And Mrs. King is not far removed from the modern improvements of the home and house parties of this lady of large acres and many cattle.—New York Evening Sun.

Precocity of Julia Ward Howe.

School, which some children regard with mingled feelings (as I have been told), was a delight to Julia Ward. She grasped at knowledge with both hands; plucked it as a little child plucks flowers, with eager, rejoicing haste. At nine years old she was studying Paley's "Moral Philosophy," with girls of sixteen and eighteen. She could not have been older when she heard a class reciting an Italian lesson and fell in love with the melodious language. She listened and listened again, then got a grammar and studied it herself, and one day handed to the astonished Italian teacher a letter correctly written in Italian, begging that she might join the class. If you find precocity among these things, dear girls?—Laura E. Richards in St. Nicholas.

Hints for the Housewife.

Scorched spots may be removed from cotton or linen by rubbing well with chloride water.

Acids, wine or fruits may be extracted by first being moistened with ammonia, then washed in cold water.

To remove brown spots from black silk, rice paper sprinkle of ammonia on the spot, steep by done, and rub gently round and round with the finger.—Exchange.

Price Concerts to the West.

To wash a fine colored handkerchief without fading, boil an ounce of bran in a quart of water for half an hour, and when the colors do not run, the second is to wash in a soap lather very quickly, wring thoroughly and then iron, so that it dries at once. There should be a bag of bran in the cold, moistened corner should be kept out of the water as much as possible. A little alum in the water will make the process more sure.—New York Journal.

Red Cross Sisters in Russia.

The number of sisters of charity in connection with the Russian Red Cross society is now ninety, making a total in Russia of 1,900 Red Cross sisters, besides a considerable number in reserve, 50 per cent of whom would be immediately available for active work in case of war breaking out.

Fountains Train Hands.

On the through lines of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad cabs form part of every staff on the dining cars. The kitchen girls assist the cook. They clean and prepare vegetables and fruits, make salads and dressings, cut bread and save cut butter prints, fill cruets, pitchers, cake baskets and sugar bowls with table supplies; pack and distribute linen and towels and dry dishes. They work ten hours a day seven days in the week. At first they are a little unsteady and more or less awkward and waste more supplies in a day than they can make up in a week, but after they get their train legs on they are invaluable.

The cashier sits in the rear end of the dining room, gives out checks, receives the cash, keeps an eye on the passengers and reports at once to the manager any evidences of discourtesy or dissatisfaction, and in addition sells cigars.

Cashiers get the same wages as the kitchen girls. All these fair train hands are from Boston, and are selected for positions exceed the passenger list for any day in the year.—New York World.

How to Keep Young.

Dr. Edward Everett Hale gives this prescription as an infallible rule for preserving a youthful spirit at seventy years of age: "Never think about what people regete the credit of what's done. Self seeking is what makes people grow old even in youth."

A correspondent asks, "Why don't women learn more about what colors are becoming to them?" It is an unfailing rule (if the complexion is good) that the color, being the same as the color of the eyes, worn near the face makes the eyes appear bluer or browner, as the case may be.

It was in the Congregational church that women were first permitted to preach. One of the pioneer women preachers in America was Antoinette Louise Brown, who in 1853 was ordained pastor of the Congregational church of South Butler, N. Y.

It is well to remember that dessicate slightly moistened and afterward shaken out of doors are much more sanitary than feather dusters, the use of which drives the dust from one location only to settle upon another.

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MARY M. GRIFFEN, Executrix.

May 9th, 1892. 3 12

ESTATE OF MANNING VERMULE, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parvin, Surrogate of the County of Union, this day made, on the application of the undersigned, Executor of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the said executor their debts or demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of these presents or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the said executor.

NELSON BUNTON, Executor. 419

March 9th, 1892.

ESTATE OF ROSS VERMULE, DECEASED. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parvin, Surrogate of the County of Union, this day made, on the application of the undersigned, administrator of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the said administrator their debts or demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the said administrator.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY MEETING.

Rain Kept Many Away from the First Presbyterian Church Last Night—The Programme.

Owing to the severe storm last night, the First Presbyterian church was only a little more than half filled at the meeting of the Plainfield local union of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor.

The societies represented were the Congregational, Trinity, Park Avenue Baptist, First Presbyterian, Seventh-Day Baptist, Warren Union Mission, Washington-ville, and Hope chapel of Plainfield; the First-Day and Seventh-Day Baptist, of New Market and the Presbyterian of Dunellen.

The meeting was opened by M. M. Dunham, president of the local union, who introduced the Rev. Mr. Sobesack who followed with scripture reading and prayer. Prayers were also offered by Mr. E. E. Anthony, Mr. Scavenger and Mr. Dayton, of New Market.

The singing was led by the Rev. Mr. Martin of the First Presbyterian church of Dunellen, assisted by Miss Bessie Blair of this city. Mrs. Barnes was the organist.

The address, "Christianity in the Free-and Home" by the Rev. J. P. Dyott of Bergen was excellent.

After the services in the church a general social time was had in the church parlors, at which refreshments were generally supplied.

The following was the programme:

7:45 o'clock—Service of Song Conducted by Rev. Mr. Martin.
7:50—Responsive Exercises.
8:00—Collection.
8:05—Address by Rev. J. P. Dyott, of Newark.
8:25—Prayer.
8:30—Closing Hymn.
8:35—Benediction.
Followed by a general social time in church parlor.

BREVITIES

—Justice Nash issued six levies for poll taxes yesterday.

—Scientists move at the rate of 30 miles per hour.

—The question of sewerage is being agitated at Bound Brook.

—A kite-shaped race track is being constructed at Belle Mead to cost $30,000.

—A horse will live twenty-five days without solid food, merely drinking water.

—It is reported that there are five cases of small pox in a house near Bound Brook.

—The booming Mississippi river is now bounded on the east and west by parts of the United States.

—The new fire hydrants for the water company have arrived and were distributed about the city yesterday.

—Horse power is calculated to be of sufficient force to raise 33,000 pounds to the height of one foot in a minute.

—The Sunny Hour for May, a juvenile monthly, has the latest portrait and biographical sketch of the beautiful Empress of Russia.

—The North Plainfield Democrats meet to-night at the school house to elect delegates to the State Convention, at Trenton, Wednesday, May the 25th.

—Piper is a non-conductor of heat or cold; on going for long cold rides, a newspaper folded across the chest and in the bottom of your boots will go far to keep the cold out.

—The United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association say they have an extra special sale of canned and dried fruits and canned vegetables now going on at the store, 29 West Front street.

—Somerville Division, Sons of Temperance, will have an installation of officers on Friday night, to which the public are invited. Visitors are expected from this city, Elizabeth and other towns.

—T. F. Vanhorn, a resident of North Plainfield, who kept a large wholesale and retail grocery store at Dunellen, made an assignment yesterday for the benefit of his creditors, without preferences.

—The Jubilee Concert for the benefit of the Muhlenberg Hospital, which was to have been given at Reform Hall last night, is postponed until Monday, May 23d. Tickets already issued are good for that evening.

—Special Officer Cornair of the Central depot, caught a small boy tampering with the railroad Semaphore block signals at West Front yesterday. He was released after promising to keep away from them in the future.

—A runaway horse ran into a fast-moving coal train near the Union Station in Elizabeth, yesterday. He was knocked down and was thought to have been run over, but when the train had passed, he sprang to his feet and dashed off.

—Rev. Dr. Richards of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church will preach at the Seventh-day Baptist Church tomorrow morning. Dr. Lewis is attended by the Baptist Congress in Philadelphia, where he presents a paper to-day.

—The architects who designed the artistic homes with which our Queen City abounds probably made no allowance for Nature's improvements. Many of these homes are covered with rich vines the blooming vines which add so much to their beauty as a beautiful frame does to a fine picture.

—A woman, who was arrested as she was about to take a bath in the Washington Square fountain in New York last Sunday evening, said she was from Springfield, N. J. When a Springfield man goes away from home he always lays out the gas, and travels up and down the fire escape, but the idea of any one from Springfield attempting to take a bath! There is some mistake about this.—Westfield Leader.

A SHILLING SOCIABLE.

At Vincent Chapel Last Evening. Description of the Scene.

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the Methodist Episcopal church entertained those of their friends who braved the storm last evening for the good of the cause, with a Shilling Social held in Vincent chapel. The room was prettily decorated for the occasion with large sprays of apple blossoms and wild flowers.

The following interesting programme was enthusiastically encored throughout:

Piano Selection.....Misses. Holbook and French
Song Solo.....Mr. Fred Cutler
Piano Solo.....Master Jesse Veeh
Piano Solo.....Mrs. The. L. Gandell
Cornet solo.....Master Raymond Moffett
Banjo Solo(Encore).....Misses Holbook and French

The admission was one shilling (or 12½ cents), while ice cream and cake were disposed of for two shillings.

Many fancy articles were purchased, the price in every case being shillings, one or more as the occasion required.

The charming young ladies of the church, and they are many, were out in *full force, and before departing decided* to continue the Shilling Social again shortly on that their friends who were unable to be present last evening on account of the storm could have another chance.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Richard Mattis of this city is visiting Mrs. R. Smith of Raritan, N. J.

Rev. J. B. Cleaver, formerly of this city, but now of Bound Brook, will preach to Craven Post of that place on Sunday evening, May 29.

The Freshmen of Rutgers College will hold their first annual banquet at the hotel Albion to-night. President Charles W. Gulick will be the toastmaster.

Merritt Potter, son of S. A. Potter, formerly of Grove street, North Plainfield, died at his home, No. 483 Wyoming avenue, Philadelphia, Wednesday. Funeral this afternoon at one o'clock from the house.

It would be very hard to find a more beautiful view than that from *the tower of the handsome residence of* Mr. E. P. Talmage on Norwood Heights. At this season of the year, when Plainfield is showing forth all its beauty, such a bird's-eye view is like a dream of Paradise.

Mr. J. Wesley Johnson of La Grande avenue is a lover of the horses and cattle. He has a thoroughly equipped farm a few miles south of Plainfield and has on it some forty blooded horses, including the famous stallion, Young Stamboul for which he recently refused $12,000. He has also on it nearly seventy registered Jersey cattle, the finest herd of the blood blood and for pets, four very young colts, two diminutive burros, or Mexican donkeys and two large oxen, while turkeys, chickens and other fowls run around in abundance. Mr. Johnson drives out to his farm every week and takes much interest in his animals.

Edgewood, the elegant home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hyde, of East Front street is just now a miniature fairyland. The spacious veranda is decorated with oriental splendor. Flowers and shrubbery of every kind abound. In front of the house is a magnificent fountain embedded in rocks in the center of a pool, the edges of which are thickly covered with ferns. The fountain throws a spreading spray of water about thirty feet high, and is supplied from an artificial pond in the rear of the house. Such a beautiful place could not have a more gracious host and hostess.

The Proposed Electric Railway for North Plainfield.

For several days past it has been talked of on the streets that the Edison Electric Light Company of North Plainfield will apply to the Borough Council, probably at the next meeting, for a franchise to operate and maintain an electric railway.

An extended description of the proposed railway appeared in THE NEWS of Saturday, March 12th.

It has become necessary for the company to increase the capacity of its plant to meet the calls for lighting private dwellings, which exceed the present ability to supply.

A 130-horse boiler has been ordered, which will double the present power of the plant.

The trolley railway system will be adopted, if the franchise is granted, as it is probably will be.

The route proposed is from the Somerset street bridge to the mountain, extending to other sections as the people may desire.

In our former account we referred to the proposed plan of extending along Mountain avenue to connect Plainfield and the Oranges. We also stated that Mr. John Taylor Johnson had a number of New York capitalists interested with him in the scheme, and that in view of it, he purchased for $98,000—about half its estimated value—the Estabrook property, comprising some thirty-two acres on the mountain, and including a frontage on Belmont avenue. The property is being graded and laid out in villa plots, and plans were reported made for a series of most beautiful dwellings, as soon as the road is got under way to insure quick communication for New York business men who are counted upon to become the residenters.

Tennis Notes.

The Hillside Tennis Club will hold a tournament May 30th Entries should be made at once to Mr. Howard Beeby.

The tennis courts are now in good condition. Two new courts have been added and will be ready about June 1st.

THE NON. EST. EMERSON

DISAPPEARANCE CONNECTED WITH A LAW SUIT.

Friends Insist That he has Done no Wrong and will Return.—Funds are Missing, and They are Believed Lost in Unwise Investments.

THE NEWS of Thursday published the following regarding Mr. Howard Emerson of Central avenue:

Investments made by Howard L. Emerson, of this city, in the West have turned out badly, and it is feared that he may have considerable loss. For some time past he has been in the West endeavoring to straighten out his affairs, and it is probable that he will remain for some time until they are settled.

The New York papers this morning devote much space regarding his disappearance.

The Sun says substantially:

Mr. Emerson left his home in Plainfield a week ago Monday, and has not returned. His friends have said that he had gone West to do what he could to save himself from serious loss.

Emerson and the late Caleb Carman Parse of the First National Bank, were the executors of the estate of the late Mrs. Sarah E. Stillman and the handling of the estate was left entirely in Emerson's hands.

Mrs. Stillman died three years ago. Her estate was valued at about $90,000. Emerson settled the affairs of the estate, executors without bonds. Among the bequests were $4,000 to Mrs. Johnson, Children's Aid Society; $5,000 to Harvard; $5,000 each to two Seventh-Day Baptist colleges, $2,000 to the Alfred University, $3,000 to the Seventh-Day Baptist churches of New York and Plainfield, $3,000 to the Seventh-Day Baptist Missionary Society, $5,000 to Emerson's mother, and $6,000 to young Emerson. The residuary estate was to be divided among five nephews and nieces of Mrs. Stillman.

Two years ago Mr. Emerson filed a bill in the Court of Chancery to have the will construed. He alleged that it was not safe for him to carry over some of the legacies, owing to the indefiniteness of the terms of the will. He attacked particularly the bequests to the two churches and to the missionary society. Lawyer William F. Stillman, represented the churches.

Recently Vice-Chancellor Green notified the lawyer that he had decided in favor of the two churches, but against the missionary society, and so directed the legacies to be paid. He reserved the residuary estate. Lawyer Stillman concluded it would not pay to appeal the case, and so counsel for the churches was notified Mr. Read, Mr. Emerson's lawyer, requesting that the legacies for the church should be paid. A day or so after he got a note from Mr. Read to the effect that there was not enough left of the estate to pay the church bequests, and that he himself had had to go down in his pocket and put up money for the costs. There is a question about the solvency of the estate and some has been made from the sale of the real estate.

Whether the estate has been squandered or merely tied up into unimproved property is not known, but the investigation will be pushed. It is said that by some sort of a legal investigation. So far as is known, no such investigation has been begun. Emerson's friends and club friends say they are sure that when he returns from the West he can make all matters straight, and that any money due will be forthcoming.

Arrivals at the Hotels.

The following are registered at the various hotels in this city;

The Albion—J. R. Cosgrove, New York; George R. Grant, New York; T. H. Cook, Brooklyn; R. Wilkins, Brooklyn; L. Francis and wife, Trenton; C. S. Baldwin, Columbia College, New York; R. Livingston, New York; T. E. Walker, New York; R. D. Woodward, New York.

The Grenada—J. D. Russell, New York; F. C. Moore, Kansas City; A. B. Moore, Kansas City; James Dunham, New York; R. C. Schwerin, Philadelphia; W. H. Gould, N. Y.; James Merritt, city; H. R. Knox, wife, mother and two children, New York; C. P. Lawter, New York; Francis T. Meyer, Montclair, New Jersey; E. A. Buch, Jersey City. J. C. Dorland, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; F. M. Secon, city.

City Hotel—John F. Fiske, Philadelphia; R. Runyon, Elizabeth; C. Fox, New York; W. A. Boice, West New Brighton; M. Shields, Hackettstown, N. J.; Thomas Hale, Jr., city; Perry Weaner, Alliance, Ohio.

Wreck on the Central.

A wreck occurred on the Central Railroad last night between Cranford and Cranford Junction. A coal train, pulled by engine No. 465, broke in two and after running some time, the engineer stopped, supposing brakes had been put on the rear section. The two sections of the train collided throwing several cars loaded with coal off the track, blocking both East bound tracks for four hours.

Travel was resumed this morning at five o'clock.

Christian Endeavor Notes.

The county convention of the Christian Union, will be held in the Second Presbyterian church, at Elizabeth, Friday, May 27th. Miss Alice Spangenberg, daughter of ex-Councilman Spangenberg of this city, has been delegated to lead the consecration meeting.

Mr. Anthony and Miss Benedict of Plainfield have been appointed on the Finance Committee.

Democratic State Convention.

The Democratic State Committee have agreed upon Judge Chauncey F. Beasley as the temporary chairman of the State Convention to be held in Taylor Opera House, on Wednesday next.

Bowling Notes.

The next practice game of the Middlesex Bowling club, will be on Saturday next, at 2 p. m., at Dunellen. Dr. H. G. Wagoner and Hon. C. S. Redman are members of this club.

—The Independent Gun Club held a shooting match at the North Plainfield grounds yesterday afternoon. Owing to the rain their was a small attendance.

RICYCLE COLUMN.

Events to Come—The Decoration Day Programme.

Saturday afternoon, May 28, a ten mile Club Championship Road Race will be run over the course from corner Front and Richmond streets, five miles out on the Springfield road and return. The start will be made at 4 o'clock sharp.

Prizes—Two gold L. A. W. badges. The object of this race is to aid the Plainfield Bicycle Club's team of riders in their selection of six men to constitute the road team to be entered by that club in the ten mile Elizabeth Journal trophy team races.

Monday afternoon, May 30 (Decoration Day,) a hill climbing contest, up the famous Eagle Rock Hill, Orange, will take place about 3 o'clock.

First prize—Silver cup (donated by P. L. C. Martin); second prize, gold L. A. W. badge. An entrance fee of fifty cents will be charged for each of the above events, returnable to starters. Entries close May 26, with Captain Frank L. C. Martin, corner Park avenue and Fourth street.

The following is the route of the Plainfield Bicycle Club run, to be held Decoration Day: Start from Club House at 9 o'clock, a. m., through Springfield to Milburn, to where the 25 mile Irvington Milburn road runs; thence through the Orange Mountains to Glenwild (dinner); thence to Orange to participate in or witness the Hill Climbing contest.

The eight trustees of the Union County Roadsters filed articles of incorporation yesterday with the County Clerk.

THE WORK OF AN INCENDIARY.

An Attempt Made to Fire a Large Tenement House at Elizabeth.

An attempt was made to burn the large frame tenement house, No. 1128 and 1130 Elizabeth avenue, Elizabeth, yesterday.

The fire was kindled in the cellarway which opens into the main hallway, and if the flames had gained much progress both stairs would have been shut off, so that escape by the latter route for the upper apartments could have been possible only by jumping from the windows.

Mrs. J. R. Hargin, who occupies rooms on the first floor, discovered the fire and awoke her husband, who gave the alarm and with assistance got it under control.

The fire is considered of incendiary origin.

Democrat Primaries Tonight.

The Democratic primaries will all be held to-night to elect delegates to the Democratic State Convention, which meets at Trenton, Monday, May 25th, inst.

The places of meeting are as follows:

First Ward—one delegate—Hoagland's office, 29 North avenue.

Second Ward—one delegate—Bryant school building, Sixth street.

Third Ward—one delegate—Stelle's blacksmith shop, Fourth street.

Fourth Ward—two delegates—St. Mary's Hall, Fourth street.

Crescent League Notes.

Keenan has been released.

Sneeden and Hofford will be the battery in to-morrow's game with the Westfields.

Team 1 and 3 will bowl on the Crescent Alleys to-night. The teams are as follows: Team 1—Lyman, Taylor, Reed, Davis, Van Winkler, Teal, sub. Team 3—H. Doane, Hayes, McIntyre, T. Doane, Vail, Baims, sub.

The Shilling Social Continued.

The entertainment given by the the young Ladies' Mission Circle last evening will be repeated this evening in Vincent chapel, owing to the heavy storm last night.

STATE NEWS

The State Teachers' Association will hold its annual meeting on June 30 and July 1.

New Jersey added seventeen new lodges of Knights of Pythias to its roll last year.

An incendiary made an attempt to burn the church of St. Philip Neri, Newark, Monday.

The heavy rains have injured the crops and nearly ruined the roads in South Jersey.

William Sloan of Florence, serving a two years' sentence in State prison, has fallen heir to $6,000.

Hightstown is thinking out the saloons of Egg Harbor City. Five hotels have already closed up and more will follow.

The annual meeting and entertainment of the New Jersey Association of Trenton Horse Breeders will be held at Somerville on August 17th and 18th.

Lambertville has a police force. It consists of Samuel Moore, who is chief, captain, sergeant and patrolman all in one. He is said to be on duty day and night if called upon.

A tramp forced an entrance into the house of Mrs. Ann Hoffman, Tuesday, and attempted to steal a gold watch and chain. The lady let her dog loose and he caught the tramp by the leg, and he made a speedy exit.

The World's Fair Commissioners met at Newark Tuesday and selected a design for the New Jersey building to be erected at Chicago. It is a reproduction of the Washington headquarters at Morristown.

Somerville will propose to the John Hancock monument Pennsylvania Independence Hall, and New York the Bunker Hill monument, that the three cities contribute to a magnificent structure, which will compare favorably with those of other States.

Probably the oldest school teacher in New Jersey is Joseph F. Leighton of the Middle Valley district, Warren county. Mr. Leighton was born at Columbia, Morris county, January 18, 1808. Secretary of State Henry C. Kelly was one of his pupils.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

The Bicycle in Military Affairs.

CLEVELAND, O., May 20.—(Special.)—The bicycle riders carrying the relay messages from Gen. Miles of Chicago to Gen. Howard of New York reached Elyria at 3.33 o'clock this morning. E. A. Crawford and A. Neal of Cleveland went out to Oberlin, met the Norwalk riders and relieved them of the message.

The riders have had bad roads all the way.

Deacon's Trial Began.

RED, France, May 20th. (Special.)—The Deacon trial opened at 9:30 this morning before the Assize Court of the Alpes Maritimes. The court room was crowded. Mr. Deacon's answers to the questions by the Judge were to accord with former statements.

A New State Park.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 20, (Special.)—Gov. Flower in signing the Adirondack Park bill at noon to-day has made the possibility of State Park in the Adirondacks a certainty.

Snow in the West.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 20.—(Special.) Snow began falling here last night, and fell generally throughout this State, Wisconsin and parts of Iowa.

Accident to the Blue Line.

The Royal Blue line on the Central Railroad stopped last night at the Elizabeth Union depot to take a special car from Long Branch with the Mayor of Philadelphia aboard.

The Roselle local, following the Blue line, then stopped several blocks below the station. When the Roselle train started ahead the drawhead was pulled *out of the rear car, leaving it standing* on the track, and the Baseline express engine crashed into it, hurling all its occupants out of their seats and smashing the cowcatcher of the colliding locomotive, No. 163, Engineer Wyskoop. The express was under slow headway and no one was hurt. The car was full of passengers.

New Jersey Historical Society.

At the meeting of the State Historical Society held in Newark yesterday the appointment of three years ago to prepare a medal in commemoration of the centennial of President Washington's inauguration, reported that it was ready to furnish the medals. One medal, cast in gold and valued at $225, will be sent to President Harrison.

The following new members were elected: John R. Hardin, Newark; Wm. R. Wilson, Elizabeth; Rev. H. W. Boyd, Newark; Henry J. Weiser, Newark; Sidney B. Staley, Hunterdon; George R. Howe, Orange; G. E. Ludlow, Cranford; Rev. R. M. Luther, D. D., Newark. Several interesting papers were read.

Drayton, the Swindler, Committed.

James Drayton, the New York green goods swindler arrested at New Brunswick Wednesday, was yesterday committed to jail to await the action of the Grand Jury. Davis and Shorter, the two Tennessee innocents he proposed Secretary, were released, and at once left for their homes.

NEGLECT of the body is neglect of mind—Overtraining of the mind wears out the body—And the remedy?

Have some H-O for breakfast.

Special Notices.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

An important meeting of the Carpenters' Union will be held Tuesday evening, at their rooms.

LEVI KLEIN, Sec'y. 20-2*

REFORM HALL, the

Jubilee Concert in aid of the

Muhlenberg Hospital

which was to have been given last evening, is

POSTPONED to

Monday, May 23d.

Tickets already purchased will be good for Monday's entertainment. 20-2*

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EDITORIAL NOTES

Stead on Gladstone.

W. T. Stead's character sketch for the May number of The Review of Reviews is devoted to Gladstone. When the Nineteenth century shall have taken its place with the past, altogether the most remarkable character in some respects on which its leaf folds down will be William Ewart Gladstone. He will be remarkable because he shows how the most distinguished statesman of his time can preserve to extreme old age all the mental powers and most of the physical power he possessed at fifty.

Stead tells us, so far as anybody can, the secret of it. To begin. Mr. Gladstone has always had excellent health. Next, he has always taken excellent care of himself. When these two things are said all has been said that need be in regard to his extraordinary physical vitality. He goes to bed when he feels ill and stays there till he is well. Remaining in bed is a great remedy with Mr. Gladstone. Then comes vigorous exercise in the open air, with, of course, the Englishman's cold morning bath.

First among the mental qualities of the G. O. M. one might perhaps reckon the power of going to sleep, for this is a mental power as much as that of memory. No matter what cares press upon him, Gladstone can dismiss them all the moment he touches the bed and wink off into slumber. This of itself is proof of greatness. Then comes the order which is a prominent trait of his mind. His own mind is orderly in its workings and he knows how to get the best out of all his subordinates, whether in a Liberal cabinet or in his office as stenographers. This is another proof of greatness—to get the best work out of those over whom you have direction, and there is no surer one than this. Finally comes Gladstone's memory, which Stead tells us is "almost terrible." It makes it very bad sometimes for those who attempt to dispute the G. O. M.'s recollection of a fact. This combination of memory with great reasoning power is very rare indeed. Here you have the analysis of the qualities which make Gladstone great and keep him young. Go and acquire them and you, too, will become great and young.

Science and the Chinch Bug.

As long ago as 1865 it was observed that in certain sections of Kansas that worst enemy of the farmer's growing crops, the chinch bug, suddenly sickened and died by the million, leaving the wheat and corn thereafter to grow in peace. Microscopic examinations of the dead insects proved that they had been killed by vegetable parasites, composed which attacked them both inside and out. Then Professor F. H. Snow, of the Kansas Agricultural society, got into his head the bright idea of inoculating healthy chinch bugs with the fungus from the diseased ones, by mixing up together the dead bugs and the live ones. He experimented in his laboratory with such success as led him to believe that here was a method for the extermination of this scourge.

He announced his conclusion. Some laughed at it, others, and among them some live farmers, believed it might be feasible. In the spring of 1891, last year, in April, just as the chinch beast began its ravages, nearly 2,000 farmers, chiefly in Kansas, distributed in their wheat fields diseased chinch bugs. The report is that 70 per cent. of these cases the result was triumphantly successful. Professor Snow now feels sure that he has found how to destroy the pest of the farmers. He considers that already, by last year's operations, nearly $200,000 has been saved to the farmers who applied the remedy.

Now will somebody apply this method to the mosquito and render some millions of acres of the pleasantest regions of America habitable?

The magnificent Childs-Drexel home for aged and indigent printers, at Colorado Springs, will accommodate several hundred persons. The greatest day in the history of the town was that on which this fine building was dedicated by Mr. G. W. Childs himself, who journeyed westward for that purpose. The occasion was doubly interesting because the dedication day marked Mr. Childs' sixty-third birthday. He and Mr. Drexel, of Philadelphia, gave the first $10,000 toward the home, and the printers of the country did the rest. The building cost as it stands $60,000, and it is fitted out with all the luxury of a handsome hotel—bathrooms, steam heat and electricity. It is intended to enlarge the structure. Each year on Mr. Childs' birthday, May 12, all the printers east of the Mississippi give the price of a thousand ems to this home, and on Mr. Drexel's birthday, Sept. 13, all the printers west of the Mississippi give the price of a thousand ems. If a vote should be taken among the printers of the country as to who was the most popular man in the United States, it would not be hard to guess that the choice would fall on George W. Childs.

The assistant attorney general in the department of the interior has decided that a woman who is the daughter of a white man and an Indian squaw is not an Indian, and therefore not entitled to draw rations among the Cheyennes. Sheep a white woman, he decides. But is the daughter of a negro woman and a white man also a white woman?

PERRY'S LONG SENTENCE

The Train Robber Gets Almost Fifty Years.

HE PLEADS GUILTY AT LYONS, N. Y.

If His Lives to Serve His Term at Hard Labor in Auburn Prison and Secures Commutation for Good Conduct He Will Be Released in 1922.

LYONS, N. Y., May 20.—Forty-nine and a quarter years at hard work in Auburn prison. That was the drastic dose meted out to Oliver Curtis Perry, train robber, at Lyons. Perry took his medicine meekly, and everybody in the court saw that all the bluster and bravado in the desperate man who robbed fast express trains with such audacity had departed from the boyish looking prisoner. Perry surprised everybody by pleading guilty, and Judge Rumsey sentenced him at once.

The sentence was that Oliver Curtis Perry be confined in Auburn prison at hard labor for the crime of burglary, second offense (the first having been committed in Minnesota years ago, for twenty years. For the crime of burglary in the second degree, five years, to be served at the expiration of the preceding sentence. For assault in the first degree, ten years, to be served in the same manner. For the other charge of burglary in the second degree, five years. For discharging firearms at a locomotive, nine and one-fourth years.

All His Bravado Gone.

Of course Perry must have expected a heavy sentence, but as the justice finished speaking the condemned prisoner was staggered, and it was with apparent effort that he resumed a standing position. If Perry behaves well in prison, and he seems the full amount of commutation for good behavior, he will serve just twenty-nine years, four months and twenty-three days. If he is taken to Auburn to-day he will be a free man Oct. 23, 1922. He is twenty-six years old now. He will be up-

OLIVER CURTIS PERRY.

ward of fifty-five years old when he regains his liberty. Perry was then led to jail as he had come. As he passed through the streets there was no show of his already demonstrated bravado and dash. He was handcuffed to two officers—Sheriff Thornton being on one side and Deputy Sheriff Reynolds on the other. He was also watched by the ever present Jerry Collins, his captor, and the American Express company's special guard, while Deputy Trowbridge's eye was also upon him.

It is understood that Perry, despite the advice of counsel, refused absolutely to plead guilty until he had been assured that about $300 in his possession at the time he was arrested and his extensive and carefully selected arsenal should remain his individual property. This request was finally acceded to.

What He Was Pushed For.

The grand jury presented four indictments against Perry. The first indictment was for burglary in the third degree and robbery in the first degree in entering the car of the American express at Utica, Sept. 19, 1891, and relieving Express Messenger Moore of $5,000. The second indictment was for discharging firearms at a locomotive, in firing into the cab of the engine in which Engineer McGilvery and Fireman Bolger were pursuing him on the morning of Feb. 21, 1892.

The third was for burglary in the third degree and assault in the first degree in entering the car occupied by Express Messenger McInerney early Sunday morning, Feb. 21 last, and attempting to rob the messenger. The fourth was for assault in the first degree in attacking the express messenger on Feb. 21 last and coming within very little of killing McInerney.

Just before he was sentenced Perry said that he was born in Fulton county, N. Y.; was twenty-six years of age; was a carpenter by trade and had followed that avocation; could read; had had a higher instruction; was not married; had been convicted before and knew no cause why the court should not pass sentence upon him.

Carried Lincoln from Ford's Theatre.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—John H. McCormick, one of the oldest employees in the history of the government printing office, is dead. He was one of the men who carried President Lincoln from Ford's old theater on the night of the assassination to the house opposite, where the martyr president breathed his last.

Deprived the Girl of Reason.

RAHWAY, N. J., May 20.—Daniel G. Hatfield says he will begin a suit for $10,000 damages against Alfred Wise, of Elizabeth. Hatfield says that Wise visited his daughter Kate and made an improper proposal, which deprived her of reason.

Garza at Key West.

KEY WEST, May 20.—Garza, the Mexican revolutionist, it is positively stated is in concealment here closely watched by local officers who have opened up communication with the Mexican government.

Another Blow at Anarchists.

PARIS, May 20.—A bill has been submitted to the cabinet which greatly extends the power of the government in dealing with newspapers. The aim of the bill is the suppression of anarchist journals. It provides heavy penalties for inciting to crime.

Farmed Proposals to Fight.

MONTREAL, May 20.—The rumor that Mr. Ernest Pacaud was about to sell his paper L'Electeur and leave the country is denied by that gentleman. He says he shall fight his enemies to the bitter end.

President Underhill's Trial.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 20.—The trial of Charles F. Underhill, president of the defunct Flour City Life Insurance company, upon the charge of forgery, is being held here.

SILVER BOSS UP SERENELY.

Representative Bland Makes Another Characteristic Move in the House.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—In the house there was an attempt made by the free silver men to-day to rally to the support of Mr. Bland, of Missouri, who desired to have the silver bullion purchased and that now in the treasury coined into silver dollars, which are to be paid for out of the moneys in the government. The chair ruled Mr. Bland's motion out of order, Mr. Bland taking an appeal, which the house however sustained. Besides, the silver men to-day only secured two votes. Mr. Johnson, of Indiana, again accused the Democratic party for their failures to keep their pledges by passing a silver coinage bill.

An amendment by Mr. Cogswell, of Massachusetts, appropriating $1,016,145 for the eleventh census was rejected.

In the Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The senate got through every item in the eighty-two pages of pages of the river and harbor bill and adopted all the committee amendments as follows:

Boston harbor, increased from $146,000 to $200,000; Point Judith, L. I., reduced from $100,000 to $75,000; Bay Ridge channel, N. Y., appropriation stricken out; Newport, as in the bill; Oswego, N. Y., increased from $30,000 to $40,000; Raritan bay, restored to $40,000; Hudson river, reduced from $200,000 to $150,000; Genesee river, N. Y., reduced from $300,000 to $225,000; Mississippi river, from the mouth of the Ohio river to Minneapolis, reduced from $1,500,000 to $1,125,000; Lower Mississippi, reduced from $2,750,000 to $2,250,000; ship canal between Chicago, Duluth and Buffalo, reduced from $500,000 to $375,000; Missouri river, reduced from $750,000 to $562,500. Other reductions of large amount were also made.

Compulsory Pilotage Abolished.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—A bill abolishing compulsory pilotage was passed by the senate.

FASHIONS

Skirts, Waists and Blouses.

Skirts and blouses are well to the fore. One can always find a pretty and popular styles in the former. One of the figures illustrates also the Swiss skirt which, together with the pointed Swiss girdle, is in favor. In the others may be noted the pocket in the side seam of the skirt with buttoned flap. These skirts are in best French cambric. There are attractive Russian waists of crepon, or this wool

POPULAR SHIRT WAISTS.

bunting, to be worn like shirt waists with different skirts. Dark blue flannel blouses embroidered in red or white will be worn with tennis suits. The washing flannel shirts with feather stitching are very serviceable.

One of the novelties in blouses is a navy blue silk one, trimmed with frillings lined with red, three same frillings being introduced on the shoulder, for breadth and height are desiderata as regards sleeves. Pleated collars are introduced on some of the black silk blouses, and black and white Sarah, tucked, serve admirably for tea jackets.

Some of the newest shirt waists to be worn with serge morning dresses are made of spotted or striped cambric with a double frill for trimming. In the absence of a frill a tie of the same material would be worn. Some very pretty shirts are of washing foulard with flower patterns in white.

The Famous Beers Pension Case.

ALBANY, May 20.—Attorney General Rosendale has issued an opinion that the New York Life Insurance company case in regard to the pension of $67,500 voted ex-President Beers. John A. McCall, president of the company, had ordered Mr. Rosendale to bring action to prevent the payment of the pension. Mr. Rosendale says no action has been brought.

Report that Mr. McCall, who is both a trustee and president of the company, can begin action to prevent the payment.

She Killed a Burglar.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—The mystery attending the death of Robert Kelly, who died from a bullet wound in the back, has been cleared up by the police. Mrs. William Stedman, of Moyamensing avenue, fired at two men Tuesday night as they were trying to break into her house. One of the men gave a groan, but ran away. Kelly, who was an ex-convict, is believed to have been the wounded man.

She Saw the British Blown Up.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—Miss Margaret Smith, the oldest inmate of the Baptist home in Georgetown, died at the advanced age of ninety-two. One of her vivid recollections was the terrific explosion at the navy yard here during the British occupation. Miss Smith was then a young lady residing directly by a piece of burning wad. Of the 500 British in the inclosure 200 were killed.

Two for Cleveland, One for Hill.

RICHMOND, Va., May 20.—The Democratic state convention elected the following delegates at large: Senator John W. Daniel (Hill), S. Stafford Corbin, of Alexandria (Alliance), unpledged; Hon. John Goode, of Norfolk (Cleveland), and Basil S. Gordon, of Rappahannock (Cleveland). This was the compromise reached for the sake of harmony in the convention.

Porter Visits King Humbert.

ROME, May 20.—United States Minister Porter had a long audience with King Humbert. He expressed his pleasure that the friendly relations between Italy and the United States were so harmonious, and the king replied that he hoped and believed that those relations would remain undisturbed.

Divorced One Day, Married the Next.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., May 20.—Mrs. Alice Beverly Crane received her decree of divorce from Judge Andrews and the next day was married here to Henry T. H. Howitt, son a prominent London lawyer of the Liberal Unionist party in England and a probable member of the next parliament.

AGREED TO BACK ALGER

Alleged Action of Anti Harrison Men at Detroit.

BUT BLAINE MUST BE SURELY OUT.

If the Anti Administration Republicans Cannot Prevent Upon the Planned Knight to Run for the Presidency They Will Boom Alger for the Place.

DETROIT, May 20.—The big anti Harrison conclave in progress at General Alger's house is the talk of the town. J. Hood Fassett, of New York; John M. Thurston, of Nebraska, and John M. Longyear, of Michigan, were visitors at Ann Arbor and dropped off here after the banquet. The statement that General James S. Clarkson was simply on his way from the Hot Springs to New York is vigorously denied by a man who claims to know. Mr. Clarkson came here on a special train from Chicago.

The real object of the meeting was as follows: A final effort is to be made to draw Blaine into the presidential race. That was the object of the meeting here. As soon as Clarkson reaches New York he will proceed directly to Washington, where a secret conference will be held with Secretary Blaine. At this conference he will be shown by convincing figures that the Harrison strength has been greatly overestimated and that his renomination would invite Republican defeat.

To Talk Upon Algor.

In case nothing will induce Blaine to reconsider his withdrawal, and to become a presidential candidate, Alger will be pushed for the head of the ticket by the entire anti-Harrison contingent all over the country. He will then have behind him such leaders as Clarkson, Quay, Platt, Thurston, Lawson and Fassett, with all that that implies. The Michigan delegation is also interviewed at the conference, but it was decided that he was not available as a candidate to pit against Harrison. Chauncey I. Filley, of St. Louis, was one of the delegates lying low at General Alger's house. It is said that he was very anxious that his presence should not become known.

Alger Says There's No Conspiracy.

Chairman Clarkson left for New York on the noon train. He would say nothing in regard to the conference.

General Alger was reticent when approached in regard to the conference. What the outcome of the conference was he declined to state, but said that the political situation was considered by those present and its possibilities discussed.

All were in favor of James G. Blaine for president, and every means would be used to get him to accept the nomination. The general declared that the talk about a conspiracy against President Harrison was all rot. He said: "I heard Mr. Blaine say recently, when every man has a right to have and express an opinion, such a meeting as that held was no conspiracy. It was only to discuss what is best for the success of the party.

Three Senators Interrogate Blaine.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The Press says that Senators Cameron and Washburne, and another senator whose name is withheld, agreed to call on Secretary Blaine at different hours and to put to him a hypothetical question concerning the nomination. They also agreed to meet afterward and to compare notes on Secretary Blaine's answer. The question was: "What your friends would like to know is whether, if the convention, without the use of your name in opposition to that of the president, demands that you obey the call of the Republican party and nominates you, you will bring embarrassment and disaster by declining?"

To each of his three separate callers Secretary Blaine made exactly the same reply. He said that he was not a candidate for president. I wish to retire from public life and to enjoy some of the good things of this world, which the service of the people has never given me. I wish to live as long as possible. The office of president is a laborious one for any man, but I think it would bear even

TERROR IN A TEXAS TOWN

The Military Guarding Denison Against the Woman Slayer.

EVERY MAN a WALKING ARSENAL.

Police, State Officials, Soldiers and Citizens Doing All in Their Power to Catch the Fiend Who Shot Down Four Women—A Fifth Woman Wounded.

DENISON, Tex., May 20.—The excitement over the four murders of women here is such that the military force, consisting of the Hunley Rangers and Denison Guards, are patroling the city. The chief of police also has fifty deputies on duty. All persons found on the streets during the late hours have been taken into custody. The Hunley Rangers had an exciting chase after a man, and fired on him three times, but he escaped. Major Waugh, a prominent attorney, discovered a man in his house and discharged five shots at him, but the stranger escaped in the darkness. The whole city is terrorized.

A Fifth Woman Was Shot.

In addition to the four murders it has become known that a fifth person was shot, a woman in the resort of Madam Williams, but the wound was very slight. The funeral of those murdered on Tuesday night was attended by crowds.

Except for the killing of Miss Hawley and the two fallen women, the commonly accepted theory in the case of May Haynes would be that she suspected some one was drag her husband's safe, and was killed in the desperate struggle which followed.

A Reign of Terror.

There are few women in Denison who sleep peacefully. The fact that the murderer selected a woman for his victim each time, and that, except in one instance, there was no reason to suppose that robbery was the motive, naturally created a reign of terror among the women of the community.

Five hundred theories have been advanced in explanation of the four crimes of Tuesday night, but it cannot be said that any of them has thrown any light on the terrible mystery. No evidence has been found that will even enable the officers to form an intelligent idea. It is not known whether one, two or more men did the shooting.

Governor Hogg has offered a reward of $1,000 for the arrest of the man who committed the series of murders in Denison.

The governor urges that all law abiding citizens use every endeavor possible to bring the guilty to justice.

Every man in the city is a walking arsenal and every eye and ear is on the alert.

Vengeance swift and speedy will be visited upon the murderer if caught.

Deadly Connecticut Feud.

DANBURY, Conn., May 20.—A feud has existed between the Woodward and Worden families, of New Fairfield, for several years. Dow Worden and Nelson Woodward met on the highway and Worden shot Woodward in the head and side. Worden worked all day in a field ten rods from where Woodward lay, and when the wounded man was found by Joel Joyce Worden calmly said, "I shot the —— —— and I don't care." Woodward is dying, but no attempt has been made to arrest Worden, who is a desperate man.

Mrs. Harrison Very Ill.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The president's wife is very ill, and for a short time the friends and members of the family were greatly alarmed over her. The news, in a magnified form, spread rapidly throughout the city, causing something of a sensation. At a late hour she was more comfortable than when the first rumored home, but much anxiety is still felt concerning her condition.

Editor De Shrope Beaten.

TRENTON, May 20.—The New Jersey Telegram, a newspaper printed at Phillipsburg but full, contained a scurrilous article about Peter Wilkes, of this city. Shortly there after M. de Shrope, the editor, came here and Wilkes gave him a terrible thrashing. Shrope then sued for $10,000 damages against Wilkes. The trial here ended in a verdict of no cause of action.

Victory for Anti Briggs Men.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 20.—The election of Dr. Young as moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly is a victory for the anti Briggs men. The anti Briggs men apparently have a large majority in the assembly, but it is not believed that they will deal harshly with Dr. Briggs. It is believed that they will contest themselves with condemning his book.

Loan Clerk Ewers Caught.

NEW YORK, May 20.—F. N. Ewers, the loan clerk of the Corbin Banking company, who fled April 25 with $11,300 of the company's money in his possession, was arrested at the College hotel at Old Chatham in Columbia county. Under his pillow were found ten $1,000 bills.

Johnston Training for Dixon.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Fred Johnston, the English featherweight, has begun training for his fight with George Dixon at Sinbert's hotel, Coney Island. The date for the contest, June 18, will probably be put off a few days, as Johnston wants more time to train.

Baron Blanc Sold Out.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Auctioneer George Ouvet sold the stock of the Litofage company, of which Baron Blanc was the largest stockholder, at auction to satisfy the judgment of over $40,000 recently obtained against the baron by his wife. The stock brought only $340. The baron was present.

Ten Thousand Kissed the Relic.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Nearly 10,000 people kissed the relic of St. Anne, the mother of St. John the Baptist in East Seventy-sixth street. The relic will on Saturday be sent to Quebec.

Leander Richardson's Libel Suit.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Leander Richardson has sued Rowell & Co., advertising agents, for alleged libel in the "American Newspaper Directory."

Irish Journals Amalgamated.

DUBLIN, May 20.—The amalgamation of The Freeman's Journal and The National Press has been ratified. Mr. Tim Healy was elected director.

New Bank for Buffalo.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The Columbia National bank, of Buffalo, capital $200,000, has been authorized to begin business.

Attorney Piper Dead.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., May 20.—Charles Harvey Piper, Sr., a well known lawyer of this section of the state, is dead.

Great Expectations.

Jones came into the office of the Austin (Tex.) Water Works company. He was mad. His eyes gleamed with a baleful light.

"What is the matter?" asked the clerk.

"I want to tell you that I've found another fish in the water."

"How large was the fish?" asked the clerk blandly.

"About an inch long. It's a shame and an outrage."

"My dear sir, do you think that we can furnish you with whales ninety-nine feet long every day for ten dollars a year?" was the reply of the bland clerk.—Texas Siftings.

Particulars.

"Mamma sent me to get a hairbrush."

"What sort of a hairbrush do you want?"

"I want one with a soft back."—*Life.*

AT LEAST FIFTY ARE DEAD.

Many Lives Saved by Members of the Sioux City Boat Club.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., May 20.—The city is ringing with praises of the plucky men of the Sioux City Boat club, who brought their boats from Riverside, five miles away, to work in the flooded section. They had forty boats at work and took several hundred people out of the flood. The number drowned cannot be very accurately estimated. It is now placed at about fifty. The list of missing is still large and about a hundred people are not accounted for. Thousands of people are still homeless.

The railroads are unable to move anything yet. The Milwaukee and St. Paul has a line open north, but no other track is open into the city. The Illinois Central and Sioux City and Northern will have to practically rebuild their tracks for from twelve to twenty miles in the valley. The total damage is estimated by conservative people at $1,000,000. The city will lose $300,000 in damage to improvements.

The Entire Country Flooded.

ST. LOUIS, May 20.—The weather reports show that a rise of three feet is coming down the Mississippi and Missouri rivers. This will cause the river here to rise at least one foot within a few days. This means that the entire country from here to New Orleans will be flooded as the levees will not be able to stand so great a body of water. It is said that Kansas City is the only town in the American bottom not completely under water. Another rise will inundate it. Fully 10,000 people are without shelter. In the city over 20,000 people have been thrown out of work by factories being inundated. Over 20,000 head of cattle have been drowned. The loss will aggregate in the millions.

Kansas City's Peril.

KANSAS CITY, May 20.—The Missouri river is on a regular rampage again. The Kaw is also rising rapidly here and above. All bottoms worth everything in the lower part of the city is flooded. From Leavenworth in all directions railroad traffic is almost suspended. In Kansas City the situation is serious in the extreme, and with the rise coming which is predicted by the signal office the whole west bottoms on which the big wholesale houses and manufacturing establishments are situated will doubtless be flooded.

Six Feet Deep at Des Moines.

DES MOINES, May 20.—The Des Moines river levee broke in the south part of the city, and the water is six feet deep, covers twenty acres and is rapidly spreading. No casualties are reported.

Oklahoma Indorses Cleveland.

KINGFISHER, O. T., May 20.—The Democratic state convention elected John T. Levy, of Norman, and Joseph Haskins, of Kingfisher, as delegates to the national convention. They were not instructed. The convention passed resolutions indorsing Grover Cleveland and his administration. The convention declared for tariff reform; for free coinage of silver; for statehood for Oklahoma within a year, and for the election of United States senators by direct vote.

Baron Hirsch Is Handicapped.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 20.—Baron Hirsch's agent and the Russian government have agreed upon methods of conducting emigration to the Hirsch colonies in America. For each destitute emigrant Baron Hirsch must deposit a guarantee fund of 500 rubles in the Imperial bank and advance 500 rubles to the emigrant. Cripples, old persons, criminals and families with more than six children are excluded from the emigration movement.

Captain Lawlor to Try Again.

BOSTON, May 20.—Captain Josiah W. Lawlor, who has crossed the ocean twice in a small boat, is again to make the trip, this time from Boston to Queenstown. He will start on June 8 in a folding canvas boat, thirteen feet over all, with a flat bottom. She is constructed on scientific principles, and will be unsinkable and unsqueezable. The boat will be exhibited at the World's fair if the venture is a success.

Dumas Wants Deacon Convicted.

PARIS, May 20.—Alexander Dumas has written a letter strongly antagonistic to the acquittal of Mr. Deacon. Dumas says the laws of France offered Mr. Deacon redress for any alleged wrongs on the part of his wife and M. Abeille. The divorce law has existed in France for ten years, and he contends that the killing of M. Abeille was without any legal excuse.

M. Louis Numa Baragnon Dead.

PARIS, May 20.—M. Louis Numa Baragnon, the noted French lawyer and senator, is dead. Under M. de Broglie he held the office of secretary of state in the ministry of the interior.

Tammany's Tribute to Grant.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The Tammany leaders ordered an assessment of $700 levied upon each assembly district to raise $5,000 for the Grant monument fund.

Killed by an Earthquake.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 20.—Three villages in the Erivan government have been destroyed by an earthquake. Twenty-seven lives were lost.

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SOME ODD STORIES.

INTERESTING INCIDENTS RELATED BY MAJOR ALFRED R. CALHOUN.

Sam Brooks Was a Blithe Hanoverod Man Until the Indians Murdered His Wife Before His Eyes—These He Became the Scourge of the Apaches.

Sam Brooks was a tall, middle aged, taciturn man, brave as a lion, quiet as a lamb, and with a knowledge of the plains and Rocky mountains that I never saw surpassed. He was so gentle hearted that I have known him to walk all day and carry his saddle rather than ride a horse with a trader lazily.

One night as we sat by the camp fire in San Luis park, and Sam seemed partic larly gloomy, I succeeded in drawing from him the story, which I wrote down at the time, and in his own words.

"It ain't a long story to tell," he began, "but I've thought over it enough to fill all the books I ever saw. Then, I reckon, it's the day."

He substituted the collar of his hunting shirt, as if to make room for the swelling cords of his neck, and then continued:

"Two years ago yesterday I was living over on the Huerfano, east of the mountains. I had a good ranch, and was makin

"OPENING FIRE, I RAN IN."

money raisin fodder and corn for the troops down at Fort Lyon, on the Arkansas. I had a wife, as noble and lovin a gal as any man ever set his heart on, and a boy just a year old. Are any of you married?"

The men about the fire shook their heads.

"Waal, then that's a new love and a strong love that ain't entered yer hearts yit. Let me see, what was I a-sayin? Oh, yes, I was two years ago yesterday I started from home with a load of corn for Fort Lyon. I was off afore daylight, expectin to make the sixty mile thar and back by night, for there was no neighbors high, and Bessie was allus lonely with out me.

"'Bout sun up I met Cabazon, a Mexican that had a ranch at the mouth of the river, and as I knowed him to be a good man, I told him to have a look in the direction of my folks till I got back, and he said he would. Thar was a good deal of talk of a injun war on the plains, and although I didn't think it'd come so far west, I'll confess it skeert me—all on account of Bessie and the baby

"Waal, I got down to Lyon and sold my stuff. That was soon after noon, then after the mules I started back as quick as I could.

"It came up cloudy, and the air got close and hot, so it done to a summer storm on the plains that I whipped up the mules and cut through, for I couldn't but think of Bessie all alone with the storm roarin round the ranch.

"Waal, when I grew cold, for as the day died out the howlin of the prairie wolves sounded like the signal cries of the Pawnee, and I kept my rifle on my knee and stared straight ahead.

"At last the storm broke loose, as if the mountains was a-rollin down on the plains and shakin themselves free to plow wind and rain and fire, with the crashin of thunder, in the stops the long howlin of the wolves. Once, by a lightnin flash, I thought I saw a lot of mounted men off to the left, and I lashed the pantin mules into a gallop, but I declare to God it wasn't of my own safety I was a thinkin."

I got to the top of a hill 'bout 'leven o'clock, nigh as I can judge. From this point in daylight I could see my own house, and Cabazon's was nearer. I didn't expect to see the Mexican's house in the dark, but I did. It was standin out agin the sky, burnin like a torch, and around it a swarm of red devils was dancin and shoutin.

"I thought I'd drop dead at the sight, but it was only for a minute; then the strength of a thousand men came to me. I cut loose the mules, let one go and jumped on the other with my pistol pulled front and my rifle ready.

"I hadn't gone more'n a mile before the injuns rose around me as if they'd been poured down by the storm, and right and left, some arrows and bullets. My mule went down the first fire, and I had just time to get on my feet when an injun struck at me with his hatchet. He slipped and fell, and he never rose again.

"My shot skeert them off, for they ran like deer. Then I dashed away, makin straight for the cabin, whar I'd kissed my Bessie and my baby boy goodby that mornin."

Sam paused and rested his bronzed face on his hands, and tears trickled through his fingers, but other eyes were not dry.

"I knowed," he continued, "it was no use goin down thar. All was over with me and mine. Nothin left—but despair and revenge. I crawled along breathin hard till I got within a hundred yards of the fire, whar I could see my home when I heard Cabazon's wife in a loud wail. We came together, and then he told me all.

"'Bout dusk the injuns had 'tacked my ranch and burned it down, takin Bessie and the baby prisoners. Then they went to Cabazon's, but he made a fight, and only ran when his wife lay dead before him with a dozen arrows in her body.

"'Cabazon,' I asked, 'do you know where my wife and baby be?'

"'We are headed this way,' he said, 'they're down the river with a part of the band.'

"'How many injuns is there?'

"'Bout forty,' he said.

"'Then show me the way and I'll die with them.'

"'Yes, Sam,' he said, a-takin my hand, 'and I'll die with you if need be.'

"We crawled down to the Huerfano and along the rim, sometimes neck deep in water, but always keepin our rifles dry till we came to where we could see the injuns had made a fire in a clump of cotton woods. But I didn't look at the fire, my eyes was fixed on Bessie, tied to a tree with the baby strapped to her breast, while a dozen red devils danced about her.

"We had repeatin rifles, and creepin closer we took most at once, and two of the injuns fell dead. Then we rushed in the band, and the injuns rushed on Bessie, one of them throwin a bowie knife into her foot. Then my comrades left me. Call me Cabazon a coward, I never my blood, and opening fire I ran in, the injuns flying like bounds.

"It wasn't a minute, I think, but before the fifteen shots had rotorn I had Bessie and the boy unbound, and with my heart wild with joy at the thought I hurried into the darkness and over the river. I laid her on the opposite bank, and as I did so she put her blood from her breast covered my hands, but she raised her head and kissed me and whispered, 'Good by, Sam.'

"For the boy was already dead, and she breathed her last thar in the darkness, with me a-holdin her to my heart.

"We waited till daylight; then the storm and the injuns was gone—and so was all that I loved for in life."

The guide suddenly lapsed into silence, and we did not disturb it. We had his secret, and for the first time I understood why my old friend Kit Carson had spoken of Sam Brooks as "the scourge of the Apaches."

An International Episode.

Although it is now twenty years since the Germans established themselves of their ancient territory of Alsace and Lorraine, they have not succeeded in establishing pleasant relations with their neighbors. Over the border, and it is doubtful if they will so long as France has a memory and the story of 1870-1 is a part of his text.

The French people along that borderland actually take delight in making faces and gibing at the German guards on the other side. The latter, however, resent the dislike with interest, and they manage to make themselves entirely disagreeable.

August Lehmann (the name is German, but the young man's sympathies are evidently French,) recently had occasion to enter France near a frontier town. The German guards eyed him so suspiciously as to arouse his anger, so as soon as he felt himself to be on French soil he placed his thumb against his nose, derisively wiggled his fingers at the German soldiers and allmazed his contempt by shouting out:

"Vive la France! you cursed boar swill eaters!"

Now this was very improper on the part of Lehmann, but no harm might have come of it had he remained thereafter on the friendly soil and out of the reach of German rifle balls. Unfortunately for him, soon after this he had occasion to recross into Germany, and it was his ill luck to run against the guard at whom he had made faces.

Lehmann was at once arrested and carried before a German judge then sitting in the criminal court at Colmbar.

The charge against the Frenchman was "sedition," in that he had shouted certain sentiments calculated unpleasantly to the peace and dignity of the German empire. When called on to plead, Lehmann said:

"May it please your honor, I am funo sent."

"But," said the judge, "you confess that you shouted out the seditious cry, 'Vive la France,' and called the troops of the empire 'cursed swine and dogs.'"

"True, your honor," replied Lehmann; "I did shout those words, but I claim that I was free to do so."

"Why were you free?"

"I was on French soil, and I did but exercise the right of every patriotic Frenchman."

"How far were you from the border—from the soldiers of the empire when you shouted?"

"About 200 feet."

"Ha, 200 feet! Well, sir, the human rules, under proper conditions and circumstances for a Frenchman can be heard a very long, long ways. Is it not that true?"

"I suppose so," said Lehmann.

"And you confess that your words, shouted on French soil, were the sons of German soldiers in their own country?"

"Yes."

"Very well, sir," said the judge. "This court considers that you have a perfect right to agitate French air in any way the French government permits; but it also holds that you have no right to be heard and that if you agitate German air with sedi tious lines that you are guilty of an insult to his imperial majesty, my master."

Lehmann protested against this opinion, but it did not avail. He was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, and as he had a season of ample leisure to think over his folly, and to exercise from all sedition like fine subtleties of the German mind.

A Remarkable Dog.

A friend who had lived for many years at Harbor Grace, in Newfoundland, sends me the following story. I give it in his own words:

An acquaintance of mine, an old sealing skipper, now dead, had a few years ago one of those large Irish water spaniel dogs to be found on the island from which that variety takes its name. Nep was a large, beautiful, black creature, with a head as large as a man's, and a degree of intelligence that precluded the possibility of his conduct being attributable to instinct.

The skipper, like all of his class, was addicted to his cups, and delighted to spend the long winter nights carousing with his friends. On such occasions the dog would remain quiet and content till the clock indicated midnight. Then he would become his mistress till she had fill a lantern. With this in his mouth the intelligent creature would go off in search of his master. If he failed to find him at one drinking place he would go to another, and keep up the search till he had succeeded. This done, he would plod his master home, take the lantern to his mistress to be extinguished and then go to his own bed with all the quiet satisfaction of a duty well done.

Nep was subsequently killed by means of a rent club in the hands of a drunken, brutal sailor. The act aroused public indignation among the people that the fellow lost no fly for his life. The dog's funeral was an event in Harbor Grace, the whole population being the chief mourners.

It was said that the death of the dog made the skipper drink harder, but as this seemed impossible, it is not just to attribute his death to grief for Nep. One night he fell over a cliff and was killed. The supposition was that he had left the brave old dog keen on hand with his lamp.

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The Abolition of the Pew System.

Mr. Webster once said that it was an evidence of the divine origin of Christianity that it had so long survived its being preached in a free church. It will be a stronger evidence of it if in America it survives the enormous incongruity of the pew system.—Bishop Potter in Forum.

Soda Cleans Tinware.

Soda is the best thing for cleaning tinware, apply it with a damp cloth and rub well, then wipe dry.—New York Journal.

ARRESTING A CALLER.

The Society Leader Considers After All That It Was Worth While.

Little Miss D'Arnco—Mamma will be down soon, she said until I might come in and tease you if I'd promise not to ask any pertinent questions. What do you wear those glasses for?

Society Leader—I am nearsighted, my dear.

Little Miss D'Arnco—I know, but mamma is nearsighted, too, and she carries a lorgnette. Mamma likes a lorgnette because it shows off her pretty hands. Mamma has awful pretty hands. Have you any pretty hands?

Society Leader—Why, I suppose so, dear.

Society Leader—Our house is an old style, much older. My father built it.

Little Miss D'Arnco—Our second maid's father used to build houses too. He fell off a scaffold and got killed. Wasn't it awful? That happened in Europe. We didn't go to Europe last year. Mamma said it had got so common she'd stay here, 'cause she didn't want to get mixed up with the notorieties. We went to Saratoga and Newport and such places. Did you?

Society Leader—N-o. We went to Europe. That is a lovely picture above your head.

Little Miss D'Arnco—Yes. We haven't many pictures, but every one is pretty. Papa says some folks buy pictures just on spec'lation, and get a lot of money; an then when t lists is all dead, they make money out of the graveyard mold, 'cause the pictures go up. He says some houses look like picture galleries, families sits around hoping the artists will die. How many pictures have you?

Society Leader—A great many.

Little Miss D'Arnco—We haven't but a few, 'cause ours is only to look at. Is that your carriage out there?

Society Leader—Yes, it is waiting.

Little Miss D'Arnco—I didn't know but it was one of ours. We have so many I can't keep track of 'em. Papa is awfully fond of horses. He has different horses for every carriages. He says people who keep only one pair do it out of economy—to save livery bills and street car fare, you know. Have you many horses?

Society Leader—Just now we have but two. That is all we need.

Little Miss D'Arnco—Mamma is taking a good while, but she couldn't help it. She was having a new reception dress fitted, 'cause she tore her last new one the first time she wore it. She tored it to a reception at some one's named Perkins—some butcher's I guess—as she caught her dress in a splinter of an old chair. She said the chair had been mended, and she was awful mad. She said folks what had broken chairs around wasn't respectable, 'cause it showed they spent so much for style in the time they oughter they couldn't afford to buy new ones; and papa said there was a good deal of style in this city that wouldn't count for much if it wasn't for the patching. There used a Perkins. Perkins is our butler. Perkins isn't his real name, but we call all our butlers Perkins. Do you?

Society Leader—No.

Little Miss D'Arnco—Why not?

Society Leader—Because our name is Perkins. Tell your mother I couldn't wait.—New York Weekly.

Harvard Wisdom.

He had been a member of the Harvard Glee club, and after five years in the west had returned to Boston with a western friend. One evening he had been invited to sing, and after several songs the western friend spoke of the lady next to him.

"I didn't know Harvey could do that," he said, almost with a

"Why," she asked in surprise, "didn't he ever sing in the west?"

"He may have before he struck our place, I reckon he did, but he never did there."

"That was strange," she remarked. "I wonder why he didn't?"

"I don't know, and Harvey began another song, "unless it was that we had a very active vigilance committee that knew the business."—Detroit Free Press.

A Row at the Bumbles'.

Mr. Bumble—Ah! How lovely the air is this morning! Mrs. Bumble, the sun is up! How I love merry, merry spring. It is all joy, all sweetness.

Mrs. Bumble—Yes, indeed it is, John. It is so beautiful out that I think I'll do a little shopping this morn—

Mr. Bumble—Oh, there you go! I no sooner begin to be happy than you open the gates of Pandora and let the serpent of shopping enter.

Mrs. Bumble—He crawls over the wall, John. He is the serpent of economy. I can't wear clothes dashing through the warm seasons, and the children are simply in rags.

Mr. Bumble—The same old plea. Those children have three suits where I have one.

Mrs. Bumble—But there are those chil dren, John, so why shouldn't they?

Mr. Bumble—That's a negative to women's arguments, and I suppose you think it is very smart. But I'll tell you, Mrs. Bumble, when I was a boy I had to wear my father's old clothing cut down.

Mrs. Bumble—Very well. If you desire me to, I will cut up your brown suit for—

Mr. Bumble—Why, what do you take me for? My brown suit and the one I have on are the whole extent of my wardrobe. You make it wear!

Mrs. Bumble—I was your suggestion, John. You said your father's clothes were cut down for you, and I simply took the idea.

Mr. Bumble—Oh, yes, that's you all over. Blame it on me. Wouldn't you like to take my fur cap and cut it down to make a pair of sealskin pumps for yourself? Or my overcoat to make a piano-cover? Or my old rubber boots to make a waterproof cloak for the housemaid? You women are always cutting down something to fit something else—except expenses. You'd never cut down expenses to fit an income. I'll warrant.

Mrs. Bumble—Well, I'm very sorry, John, but we all need clothes, and we must have them, now that the spring—

Mr. Bumble—Oh, confound spring! It's a beastly season anyhow. Here's ten dollars.

Mrs. Bumble—I don't want it, John. I've saved enough to supply our wants.

Mr. Bumble—Saved! I'm sacred enough! Well, I declare! Here I've been scraping and scraping all this month to pay you your allowance, and here I find you've saved it, but never mind—never mind. You irritate me beyond endurance, but I'll show you an example of patient suffering. I won't say a word more, however—Mary, you might get me a red silk necktie while you are about it; and—I say—lend me twenty dollars, will you? I haven't a cigar or a bottle of wine left in the house.—Harper's Bazar.

Answered.

At the Girls' High School. Professor—I told you, young ladies, in our last lesson, that a man's brain is larger than a woman's. Can any one advance does that lead you, Franklin Bertha?

Bertha—That is the matter of brain it does not depend on the quantity, but on the quality.—Fliegende Blatter.

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This Date in History—May 20.

1506—Christopher Columbus died; birth date uncertain; after exhaustive controversy it is decided that his home was in Hayti, and was in Hayti.

1520—Dorothy Parsee, famous as Polly Medlicott, born in North Carolina; died 1836; was the widow of John Todd when she married Madison.

1756—David Dudley Field, eminent clergyman and author of the four famous Fields, born in Haddam, Conn.; died 1820.

1836—William George Fiske, author of numerous books, born in Pompey, N. Y.; died 1881.

1838—Lord Henry French and American soldier, died in Paris; born 1787.

1862—Samuel Colt, inventor of the Colt revolving rifle, died in Hartford; born 1814.

1873—Levi Strauss, who introduced and made popular the use of blue denim overalls, died in a regular shoe was then born.

1885—Hon. James D. Bright, expert from the Patent Office at Washington, died in Baltimore, aged 68. Centennial of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, celebrated at Charlotte, N. C., troops from all the other states attending.

A Remarkable Feat.

Telling—Young McWatty is as strong as any of those Herculeans who travel in the shows.

Dimling—Is that so?

Telling—Yes. He can break a railroad sandwich in two as easily as he can twist a pfennee out of shape.—Detroit Free Press.

Unpromising Futures.

First Tramp—There ain't goin to be good livin for our perfession in the future, I'm afeer'.

Second Tramp—How me? 'ow's that?

First Tramp—It's this 'ere civilization. These cookin schools is teachin gals 'ow to use up the cold victles.—Drake's Magazine.

The New Silks.

There appears no reason to doubt that the dress skirts, though fuller than of late, will be plain still, and therefore calculated to display to perfection the new silks which are so beautiful. In Paris, however, dressers are being made to remove the pockets and to introduce in some way or other some slight ornamentation about on below the waist. Satins are much worn for evening, and quite the most attractive are the white ones for bridal wearings, such as pearl and pink, mousse and white, etc. Most of the brocades are thrown on satin grounds, and the patterns are generally large. Some of the new fabrics is the shaded moire, giving an opalescue effect. Young girls will wear narrow stripes on silk and satin, and some of these are combined even with tiny dots on the groundwork.

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MOON'S PHASES.

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The Weather.

Generally clear, with slightly lower, followed by rising temperature.

BREVITIES

—The Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church has pensioned Thomas Q. Clark, as assistant sexton.

—The banquet which was to have been given last night by the Rutgers College Freshmen, will not take place until Monday night.

—There will be short talks by several young men and vocal solos by the Rev. W. C. Emery at the Y. M. C. A. meeting on Sunday at 4:15 p. m.

—Contractor Coogan is pushing the work of the street railway as fast as possible, and promises the road will be in operation within the allotted time.

—Ascension Day exercises will be held under the auspices of Trinity Commandery, K. T., Thursday, May 26th. Music by Prof. Guttman, of this city.

—The old Board of Freeholders held a banquet at the Astor House Thursday evening. Messrs. West, Vanderbeek and others responded to the toasts.

—Company H of Somerville has received an invitation from Winfield Scott Post, No. 91, of this city, to participate in the Decoration Day exercises.

—New rules went into effect on the Central Railroad this week. They effect the running of trains, the crossings, flagmen, whistles, and many other things.

—Passaic fears a smallpox epidemic. The one year old daughter of a Polish immigrant died there yesterday. This is the fourth case during the past two weeks.

—The pulpit of the Methodist church to-morrow morning will be occupied by the Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes. Rev. C. B. Mitchell will preach at the same time in the First Baptist church.

—A pair of pigeons is being trained by A. J. Cadwallader of Yardley. They will soon fly a race from Washington D. C., with the Philadelphia and Reading's Royal Blue Express to New York.

—Van Emburgh & White call special attention to their advertisement to-day to a certain line of goods that they have just clearing out priced and they say it will be to your interest to visit their store the coming week.

—We have seen the "growler" worked up all fashions from a newly painted red pail labelled beer, to the old reliable stone molasses jug, but a prominent citizen was seen on Saturday, with a tin bottle, which entitles him to the premium.—Exchange.

—At the 103th anniversary and commencement exercises of Hebron Theological Seminary of the Dutch Reformed Church at New Brunswick Thursday night, thirteen certificates of graduation and the degree of Reverend, were given.

—Maxim, the inventor of the Maxim gun, one of the greatest of American inventors, explains in the June Cosmopolitan how it is possible to build without further discussion a flying machine which will travel through the air at the rate of 100 miles per hour; this without the aid of any gas.

—The second night of the Shilling Sociable at Vincent chapel, passed off very pleasantly last evening. The programme consisted of banjo selections by Messrs. Bunnell and French, readings by Miss Morrison, bass solo, by Mr. Fred Cutler, Recitation by Master John Voehl, piano solo by Mrs. W. L. Saunders and cornet solo by Master Raymond McGee.

—The new double postal cards will be ready for distribution by July 1st. They will constitute the only postage yet provided for the payment, in the International mail service, of return postage by the sender of the communication. They will probably be issued in the form of a folder, the two sides of which are alike. The sender writes on one side, folds the card, leaving the inside blank for the answer. This will be a great aid to international correspondence, especially in business circles. The cost will be four cents.

PERSONAL.

Miss Carrie Boice of this city has returned from a visit to friends at Succasunna.

Manager Thomas A. Keller, of the Second League, has returned from Washington.

Miss Sadie Grant of Buffalo, daughter of Chief of Police Grant of this city, will make her parents a visit next week.

Mrs. Frank C. Green, formerly of this city, but now of New York, is visiting Mrs. D. W. Rogers, of West Second street.

Mr. Charles J. Fiske and his brother, Mr. Pliny Fiske, are both beautifying the grounds of their spacious residences on West Seventh street.

On Thursday, June 9d, Clark W. Evans, eldest son of the late ex-Mayor Evans of this city, will lead to the alter Miss Hesten Edith Wells, daughter of Charles D. Wells of Wilkes Barre, Pa.

Offices were rented yesterday in the J. T. Vail building, opposite the railroad station, by the New Jersey Law Journal Publishing Company. Hereafter Plainfield will be the centre of the law book collection trade in the State. The President and manager is Mr. Honeyman of North Plainfield, who was for many years the editor of the Somerville District-Gazette.

A New Undertaker.

We are exceeding sorry to learn that one of our most useful townsmen, Henry DeMott, has decided to remove to Plainfield. Mr. DeMott will change his present business for that of undertaking. To our widows of the congregation, I wish health and prosperity, will go with them.—Liberty Corner Correspondent to Somerset Democrat.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

Ward Meetings Last Night—Delegates Chosen.

The Democratic primaries met last night at the various wards in this city to elect delegates to the State Convention, to be held at Trenton, Wednesday, May 25th, inst.

The meetings were as follows:

First Ward—Hoagland's office, 39 North avenue—Louis F. Wadsworth was chosen chairman and Walter L. Hetfield secretary. W. L. Force was elected delegate and W. L. Hetfield alternate.

Second Ward—James Clark, chairman; F. M. Bacon, secretary; James Clark, delegate; no alternate.

Third Ward—Meeting called to order by James E. Martine. W. E. McClure was chosen chairman; Louis M. Stover, secretary; Seymour Marsh, delegate; Edward Conklin, alternate.

Fourth Ward—V. L. Frasee, chairman; Theo. Flynn, Jr., secretary; delegates to State Convention, V. L. Frasee and Daniel McCarthy; alternates, Jacob Krissy and M. B. Flynn.

They also formed a club at this ward with 40 members, at which the ward officers will preside.

NORTH PLAINFIELD.

The Democratic Primary met last night at the school house, North Plainfield.

Delegates chosen to the State Convention are Trenton are as follows: Mayor W. L. Saunders and F. M. Slater.

THE MISSING EMERSON.

Last Seen in Washington by Thos. H. Keller of this City.

Mr. Thomas H. Keller, of this city, who has just returned from a short, course at Washington, D. C., in an interview with a News' reporter this morning said as follows:

"As I was returning from the shooting grounds last Wednesday, in Washington, I was very much surprised to meet Mr. Howard Emerson. I had heard nothing of the rumors regarding his disappearance and consequently said nothing to him on that subject.

"I asked him if he needed money, and he replied 'No.' He said he was merely going to spend a day at the St. James hotel and and hunted me up. He promised to meet me that evening but did not do so. He seemed dazed and troubled."

[Notice of religious services are published under this head free of charge, but it is necessary that they be furnished before noon of Saturday to insure insertion the same day.]

Mr. Loiszeaux will lead the Gospel service at No. 6 East Front street Sunday.

The meeting at the Mt. Pleasant school house will be held as usual to-morrow evening.

The workers' training classes will meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow at 9.15 a. m.

Park Place Chapel. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. Preaching at 7.45 p. m. by the Rev. R. L. Hyde.

Mr. Charles W. McCutchen will speak at the Memorial chapel at Washingtonville on Sunday evening.

The Rev. Robert Holmes of Pittston, Pa., will occupy the pulpit of the Park avenue Baptist church to-morrow.

Monroe Avenue Chapel, Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. Preaching at eight p. m. by the Rev. C. H. Von Glahn of California.

Church of the Holy Innocents (Roberts Hall, Somerville) Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. Church service at 3.30 p. m. Seats free.

Devotional services of the Women's Temperance and Aid Society every Sunday at Reform Hall at 9.15 a. m., and at 4 p. m.

The Scandinavian Bible class will meet as usual to morrow at 3.45 p. m. in the Park avenue church. A full attendance is desired.

Services at the church of the Heavenly Rest, Evans every Sunday at eleven o'clock. Seats free. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Rev. W. C. Emery whose solos have been so much enjoyed in the past will sing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday at 4.15 p. m.

Gospel temperance meetings of the Women's Temperance and Aid Society every Sunday at Reform Hall at nine a. m., and 4.15 p. m. All are invited.

Congregational church, West Seventh street, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday-school at 2.45 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6.30 p. m.

Services in St. Joseph's church to-morrow will be as follows: Mass at 8.30 and high mass at 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school at three p. m., and vespers at eight p. m.

Services in the First Presbyterian church at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Preaching morning and evening by Rev. Duncan Cameron. Sunday-school at 2.30.

To-morrow services will be held in the German church at 10.30 a. m. and eight o'clock p. m. Weekly service Wednesday at 7.45 p. m. Sunday-school at 3.15 a. m.

In the Trinity Reformed church to-morrow the pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Schoonover, will preach at 10.30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. The Sabbath-school will meet at 2.30 p. m.

Crescent avenue church, Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., pastor. Services at 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. All seats free at the evening service.

There will be the usual W. C. T. U. meeting in the Crescent building to-morrow afternoon at three p. m. A praise service will be held this evening at eight o'clock.

First Church of Christ. Preaching at 10.30. Lord's supper at 11.45. Sunday-school at three p. m. Rev. Ed. G. Nicholson will preach at 7.30. Prayer meeting Wednesday at three p. m. All are welcome.

The church of the Holy Cross, the Rev. T. Logan Murphy rector. Celebration of the holy communion at eight a. m. Sunday-school at 9.45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Even-song at five p. m.

All Souls' church, Park avenue. Unitarian services at 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Sunday-school at 11.45. Rev. Robert Clark the pastor will preach. All the seats are free and the public are cordially invited.

Methodist Episcopal church—At 10.30 a. m., the Rev. Dr. Yerkes will preach in exchange with the pastor. Class meeting at 2.30 p. m. Epworth League at seven p. m. The pastor will preach at 7.45 p. m. Subject: "Lost Sheep."

Services at St. Mary's church. First mass at 7.30 a. m. Second mass at 8.30. Third mass at 10.30. High mass at 10.45. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. and evening service at eight o'clock.

Warren Union Mission. Sunday-school at 2.30, service of song at 7.45. Devotional service at eight o'clock. Sunday-school at 10.30 Mr. E. C. Pease. Subject: "The Lord knows his own." Proceeding: Fourth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society at eight o'clock. All are invited.

Church of Our Saviour, Netherwood. Rev. Dr. Hopkins, rector. Services at Hagaman Sunday. Holy communion at 8.30 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11 a. m. Sunday-school at 3.15 p. m. Evening prayer at 4.30 p. m. Two services during Lent. The daily services and appointments at eight p. m. as follows: Monday, the Bible Normal class; Wednesday, the Parish prayer meeting; Friday, prayer meeting of the Young People's League. Strangers and all others cordially welcome.

Grace church, Rev. E. M. Rodman rector. May 22 8th Sunday after Easter. Holy communion at 8 a. m. Sunday-school at 7.30 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school at three p. m. Evening prayer at 7.45 p. m. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday being Rogationdays, service will be at 10 a. m. On Thursday, the Festival Ascension Day, there will be early celebration of the Holy Communion at 7.30 a. m. Morning prayer at 10.30 a. m. Evening service at 7.30 p. m., attended by Knights of Templar.

Base Ball Notes.

All Central New Jersey League games are postponed to-day.

The Crescents and Westfields will play, at this city, next Thursday.

Next Wednesday the Crescents will cross bats with the Brooklyn Acmes, and Saturday will play the Westfields, at that place.

Ballmin No. 7 A, is as follows: The Crescents have contracted with Sneeden and Galligan. The Y. M. C. I. A. have signed Coogan and Tierney. The West Ends have signed Cadmus, and Dunlin and Moran have been released by the Y. M. C. I. A.

In the future it will be positively forbidden for any one, other than the players and their managers, to be allowed on the players bench.

Decoration Day games are as follows:

Morning, Eldgewoods; afternoon, Plushings.

The Friends' School.

"A reunion of the former pupils of the famous Friends' School of Providence, R. I., will be held at the school on June 30th.

The school is more than a century old, and its roll of pupils numbering about 15,000, contains the names of many who have achieved distinction in every walk of life. While a goodly number of those pupils have always come from the New England States, the State of New York has also sent quite a large representation in it, and many of its living graduates are now in this state. It is expected that the reunion will be a notable event in the history of the school." There are many Friends in Plainfield, where they have two meeting houses, the one at the junction of Broadway and North avenue being one hundred and four years old, having been erected in 1788.

A Constable in Trouble.

Bertha Beckling a prisoner in the Union County Jail, makes grave charges against Bernard Gannon, a constable of Summit. She was arrested at Summit for stealing from her employers and yesterday made an affidavit that the constable came into her cell at the Summit lockup and made an improper proposition to her, which she indignantly repelled. He also compelled her to pay the fare from Summit to Elizabeth and forced her to enter a saloon and drink with him. In all she says it cost her $2.80 to come from Summit to Elizabeth as a prisoner of the State.

The Runaway To-day.

Mr. John Taylor Johnston's horse which was standing in front of the Central depot to-day, took freight at a passing train and ran down North avenue crashing into a telephone pole at the corner of Park avenue. No one was in the vehicle at the time. The damage was only slight, no one being injured.

Epworth League Election.

Epworth League officers elected last night at Vincent chapel were as follows: President, James R. Day; First Vice President, George M. Rittenhouse; Second Vice President, Miss Minnie French; Third Vice President, Harry McGee, Secretary, Arthur E. Crom; Treasurer, Clarence M. Smith.

The First Church of Christ.

The First church of Christ of Plainfield has been duly incorporated and the trustees have purchased a lot on Grove street just on the back on which a chapel will soon be built that will accommodate about three hundred persons. The organization is in a prosperous condition.

Heir to Upwards of $200,000.

Mrs. H. H. Hanigan of 19 Craig place, North Plainfield, has lately fallen heir to $50,000 by the death of his brother.

This is fourth time Mr. Hanigan has been left property through the demise of relatives.

THE MISSISSIPPI FLOODS.

Described by a Plainfieldite Who Has Been There.

To the Editor of the News and Times:

HE people of the North and especially of New Jersey, who do not know what it is to have a river in their and overflow its banks, do not especially appreciate what awful scenes of destruction and destitution are going on in the South at the present time.

All the way down the Mississippi river from above Memphis to the gulf there is a continuous lowe on either bank, the raging waters flowing down this narrow channel.

A break in one of these levees means the inundation of thousands of acres of the lands adjoining, but helps the lucky owners who live below the break, as the flow of water relieves the pressure above. This inevitably leads to many desperate actions. Many persons have been killed by dynamite while trying to blow up the levee, but this is a dangerous business, as it always means death on the spot to the one who does it.

The Mississippi river at some points has overflowed at the highest mark it has ever reached.

At New Orleans it is seventeen and two-tenths feet above the high water mark.

Up to this time the highest point reached was seventeen feet, which occurred in 1858. Now it is twenty-two and three-tenths feet above low water mark.

All the water is caused by the snow melting in the extreme North and the heavy rains which have fallen in the South and have swept into the North Central States, all of which flows directly or indirectly into the Mississippi river and consequently must empty into the Gulf at the Jetties.

The work of the U. S. engineers in that section is one of the greatest importance, millions of dollars being invested in the construction of the levees and the Government has all engineering ideas in case of a flood becoming too totally rushed.

Not only do the planters suffer, but also the poor laborer, whose little cabin is carried away by the flood and destroyed. This is often swept out without a moment's notice, and the laborer and his family are homeless.

It is an ordinary sight at this moment to see whole families on rafts, floating down the river at the rate of ten miles an hour and probably with nothing to eat, going they know not where.

I remember one instance, when I was engaged with the United States Engineer Corps, that the river near Natchez, Mississippi, at one point, was forty miles from bank to bank.

Not only does the Mississippi create so much distress, but also the smaller rivers throughout that country.

The Red river, which flows through a particularly fertile and thickly-settled community, is also dangerously high and may cause great destruction at any moment.

Very few of the large cities in the South are ever affected by the floods, as they are usually built on plateaus or high banks.

Vicksburg, Miss., is at its highest point ever 300 feet above the zero of the gauge, the river rising to a point 57 feet above that indicator.

Natchez, another river city, is high and dry on a plateau and is never in danger from high water.

New Orleans is the only Southern city of any importance that is on a low bank. This is a city where cellars cannot be used and raised vaults or mounds are utilized instead of cellars.

Water can be found at a depth of two and a half feet. During high water the city is partially below the level of the river, so is one readily be seen that dangler arises when a levee near the city breaks.

In the North the Missouri, Des Moines and Floyd rivers are at this time dangerous.

Sioux City and neighboring towns have been almost swept away and many farms are now submerged, causing terrible loss of life and property.

C. Sommermeyer, Jr.,
Formerly Civil Engineer with the U. S. Engineer Corps.

Bowling at the Crescent.

Team 1 won the bowling match at the Crescent Assembly hall last night.

The total was as follows:

First game.

TEAM I.		TEAM II.	
Lymans	172	Rogers	116
Theirs	144	McIntyre	103
Reed	121	Barnes	129
Dench	134	Hall	120
Van Winkle	136	Haven	136
	707		604

Second game.

TEAM I.		TEAM II.	
Lymans	147	Hall	150
Theirs	139	McIntyre	147
Reed	154	Barnes	150
Dench	134	Haven	145
Total	127	Dones,	132
	701		724

—Mr. E. E. Wright has purchased from the Rev. Mr. Taylor the brick building occupied by Fred Dunn, the grocer.

BUT what is H-O.

The one perfect oat-food for body, bone and brain. Imitated everywhere. Equalled never.

Arrivals at the Hotels.

The following are registered at the various hotels in this city:

The Albion—Hotel Lenox, Jersey, New York; R. J. Rapp, Brooklyn; Mrs. M. Taylor and Miss Ida Taylor, New York.

The Grenada—Ed. Oppenheimer, New York; Ira Bigh, Newark; D. C. Lewis, New York; W. P. Cockbaugh, Albany; R. Ettenson, Philadelphia; W. Rose, New York; E. M. Fisher, Philadelphia; Mrs. L. E. Moore, Newark; M. J. Coyne, city.

City Hotel—W. J. D. Elliott, N. Y.; S. A. Knight, New York; C. Chapman, A. L. Tunel, Ohio; L. A. Sherman, J. A. O'Brien, Perry Cross, the Sherman Outfitting Co., Newark; J. W. Rogers and wife, Philadelphia.

Cents-a-Word Column.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A N ENGLISH Protestant girl wants situation; good baker; all kinds of dairy. Best city references. Call at 59 West Front street. 20 3

SITUATION wanted by respectable colored woman, by the day, or washing to take home. 20 1

WANTED—A situation as coachman and gardener. Address "M.," care of EVENING NEWS. 17-5

WANTED—Work by experienced gardener, by the day or job. Lawns mowed, gardens laid out. Address J. H., Office Box 378. 20-1

HELP WANTED.

BOY wanted, about 14 years old, from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m. or 6:30 p. m. Sweeping Sundays; to run on errands, etc. Call, the Square Dry Goods House, Addison Stevens, 9 East Second, Plainfield. 19-3

WANTED—Protestant woman to take care of invalid lady. Call mornings at 9 West Second street. 19-3

WANTED—A girl, about 15 years old, to take care of children. Call, morning or evening, 9 Vine street. 17-6

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Parcel containing straw hat and trimmings. Please leave for owner at News office. 20 2

BOARDERS WANTED.

ROOMS with board. No. 31 West Second street. 20 2

WANTED—Two young men to board in private family. Convenient to the factory. Address 102 West Fourth street. 20 2

FOR RENT.

SQUARE piano to let. Terms $6 per month. 65 Grandview avenue. 5 17tf

TO LET—Fully furnished house, 12 rooms, 10 minutes walk from depot. All improvements. Rent, $35 per month. Apply to C. Mollard, broker. 19 tf

FOR SALE.

$190—Fine upright piano for sale. In use but a few months. Cost $300 new. J. H. Buckley, 19 East Front street. (upstairs) 5 21tf

$120 swift safeties, Beckhoyd pneumatic tire. Eyerson's, 32 Somerset street. 18-6*

BABY Carriage for sale cheap, at 316 Arlington avenue. 19 3

$65 INSTALLMENTS will buy a $125 Bay State Bicycle. Nearly new. Perfect running order. Address Geo. W. Morris a. 17 6

DESIRABLE building lots cast to parties desiring to build on Crescent avenue. Address R. P. M. Chase, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to R. C. Mulford, real estate office. Call and see them. 300 feet above the sea level. 2 15tf

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Seven room house. New shop in rear. No. 60 Pearl street. Inquire No. 19 Somerset street. 20-1

FRESH Jersey cow with calf will be sold reasonably for want of use. Apply to Geo. Sperling, Jr., Manning avenue, or care of EVENING NEWS. 19 3

FOR SALE—Good second hand surrey built by Colyer & Co., Newark, also side bath couch or lounge. Can be seen at 7 Fifth avenue, 20 West Second street. 17 6

FOR SALE—For want of use, a Babcock phaeton, nearly new, with rubber spokes, for carrying 4 persons comfortably. Apply to R. Cosgrove, 21 Hillside avenue. 17 6

HORSE—Good for family use. Sound and kind. Apply or will sell cheap. Address "R," care of EVENING NEWS.

THE history of every town where street railways are used proves that property always increases in value with the advent. Plainfield will be no exception. Persons who put on East Second street and have the benefit of the railway. Mollard & Power, 9 West Front street. 9

$110 WILL buy a brand new 1892 Peerless Bicycle, Nickeled, Enameled, Cushion Frame, Ball Bearings, guaranteed and fully equal to any $125 bicycle made this year. Address Geo. W. Morris, 17 6

TAKE NOTICE—I will appoint the property of any person, for sale for $1 per year. Dec. 1, 1891. T. J. Carey. 17 19

WE have lots that we will sell at very low prices and give you two years to pay for them in. Mollard & Power, 9 West Front street. 9

MISCELLANEOUS.

A GENTLEMAN and wife would like to make an arrangement to care for a child. Address "A. B.," Box 1,000, Plainfield, corner or command. Good references given. "Advertiser," care of EVENING NEWS. 20 2

CHRYSANTHEMUMS, 50 cents, cemetery and bedding plants, at Dunton's Hillside avenue greenhouses. 21 7

COLORED woman who advertised for situation, please call at 9 Somerset street, corner, forgot to put in address. Call for answer at this office.

CUTTING and making children's clothing. 144 West Front street. 17 6 and 8

FIRST-CLASS laundry work done at 28 Rose. Prices reasonable. Coal taken in payment. Mrs. A. F. Wilcox, proprietress. 4 21 3

LADIES wishing best clean coupons for trip to Europe, address for particulars "Europe," care of Evening News office.

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good condition wanted. Call 9 Somerset street. 11 Sommer street. 2-20tf

USE Pat's Health Reading butter and margarine. Best in the world. Sold by all grocers. Pat's Health Reading Butter Co., 21 Hudson street, Hoboken, N. J. 4 20 1m eod

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

Bicyclists Nearing New York.

Rochester, May 21st. (Special.)—The relay bicyclists reached Batavia at 1.50 this morning, while their scheduled time there was 11.15. They arrived in Rochester at 4.15 o'clock this morning, one hour and forty-four minutes late.

Syracuse, May 21.—The riders in relay bicycle race left Clyde, N. Y., an hour late on schedule. They are expected to reach Syracuse thirty minutes late.

Oswego Fire Under Control.

Oswego, May 21, (Special.)—At 2.30 p. m. to-day the great fire which started in this city last night was under control.

The loss is here $300,000 and $250,000.

The lumber districts of the city are almost entirely wiped out.

Bicycle Notes.

Captain P. C. Gilbert, of the Elizabeth Wheelmen, has been appointed to ride the first century run of the year from Chicago to New York. He will receive the message at Peekskill and carry it to Tarrytown, this being next to the last relay.

On Decoration Day the tramps five miles race, known as the Tryhorn Millburn race, will be run. Mr. John C. Wetmore of Elizabeth, editor of Town Topics, is the donor of the prize.

The interest taken by local riders in this event is attested by the many entries. The following are from Plainfield: H. L. Kelsonhall and H. T. Bauer, Elizabeth Athletic Cyclers; James Cooper, Jr., Crescent Wheelmen; J. H. Roth, Arthur Kail Association; F. L. Mellick, Plainfield Wheelmen; C. L. Pierson, Plainfield Bicycle Club, and A. H. Barnet and E. G. Bloodgood, of the Westfield Athletic Club.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate in the respective towns or townships named, have been recorded at the County Clerk's office between April 14th, and April 20th:

Benjamin S. Braider to Julia S. Townley, North Plainfield.....	1 00
Julia Townley to Laura A. Braider, North Plainfield.....	1 00
Catherine A. Obitz to Margaret H. Hetfield, Plainfield.....	1 00
Margaret E. McLaughlin to John C. Bovey, North Plainfield.....	500 00
Charles Hutchinson to Helene Jennings, North Plainfield.....	200 00
Charles Hutchinson to George H. Vanderbilt, North Plainfield.....	1 00
Francis Spencer, et al., to Edward B. Martin to Martha D. Simpson, North Plainfield.....1,200 00	

Railroad Accident at Metuchen.

Yesterday a collision occurred on the P. R. R. at Metuchen. No. 817, a coal, and a local car, were demolished, and a man named Ryan was injured internally and had both legs broken.

AUCTION SALE!

of superior furniture, carpets, etc., on Friday evening, May 27th, commencing at the late home of ex-Mayor John H. Evans,

Thursday, May 26th,

at 10 o'clock a. m.

Black walnut bedroom suites, hair mattresses, springs, couches, lounges, writing desks, library work, center and side tables, four poster bedsteads, bureaus, wash stands, black and silk curtains, plain glass mirrors, 4 ft. 9 in. by 10 ft. 6 in.—and 3 ft. 2 6 ft.; large plate glass mirror, 6 ft. by 10 ft.; Brussels carpets, with fewer poles, extension table, (14 feet), kitchen furniture, refrigerator, 2 stoves, 1 ambulator (nurse), 2, 3, carpets, 2, 6 ft. Wicker, rattan chairs and rockers, China, crockery, glassware, engravings, kitchen furniture, wood, coal, and other articles, consisting rubber and cocoa door mats, refrigerators.

The category for having, receiving living memory fly, lost in height; emblem of Rebecca Warner, with sweet and small, Article 5: facts, 4 feet in circumference, eight 4 feet Six notices, 4 lawn mowers, 1 horse mower, 1 lawn roller, sprinkling cart, spread stone, hose and reels.

A. BROWNELL,
T. J. Gillies, auctioneer.
Terms Cash. 21 4*

WHAT

V. & W. are Doing.

There are certain lines of goods that we are going to close out, and to do it we have marked them down to prices that will move them. We have no broad cloth and it must be sold.

First: Spring Coats.

We have about 200 of these Jackets that are going to be closed out at $3.98 while them at less than manufacturers' prices.

Second: Mattings.

The most successful season we have ever had. Now prices have come. We have 200 more rolls to sell, and they go at your own price.

Third: $8.75.

Another crate and 'will be the last of those for 100 piece Tonkin Jerseyette dinner sets. Fancy decorated ware.

Canton Crepe Cloth.

The best summer fabric on sale 36-inch. Styles are very pretty, and the price is a popular one, 75c.

For Twelve Cents

You buy the Jersey Ribbed Vests.

For Ten Cents per Yard

We will sell one case of extra heavy, all linen crash, regular price 15c.

Ladies' Shirt Waists.

Without a doubt we are showing the largest line of these goods ever displayed in this town, and as usual our prices are the lowest.

Gentlemen's Night Shirts.

There is a special lot of Shirts that we will offer at 45c. each regular price 65c.

Porch Screen.

Very useful for the porch, and they cost but little. We have all sizes.

Van Emburgh & White.

AT THE CASINO,

Tuesday, May 24, at 8 o'Clock,

an evening with

Avon C. Burnham,

of Brooklyn, N. Y., assisted by his pupil

Miss Emma Van Rensselaer Wilson,

in dramatic, humorous and costume recitals, with an exposition of the Delsarte system and a lesson in physical culture adapted to ladies.

Mrs. J. C. Richter, pianist.

Master Walter Burnett Burnham, Violin.

Tickets—admitting gentleman and lady—$1.

For sale at Central, Randolph's, Reynolds' and Moy's pharmacies. 19 10*

REFORM HALL,

the

Jubilee Concert

in aid of the

Muhlenberg Hospital

which was to have been last evening, is

POSTPONED

to

Monday, May 23d.

Tickets already purchased will be good for Monday's entertainment. 20 2*

IF YOU WANT

FINE ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER

Cheese, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at

324 NORTH AVENUE,

Also on hand canned goods, pickles, etc.

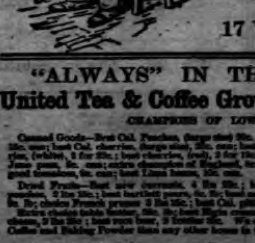
THOS. CARTY. 12 1m*

Special Notices.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

An important meeting of the Carpenters' Union will be held Tuesday evening at their rooms.

Levi Klein, Sec'y. 20-3*



A Point Worthy of Attention.

In what you eat. When you get meat, buy it where it is both

GOOD and CHEAP.

the place for that is at

VOGELER'S,

17 West Front Street

"ALWAYS" IN THE "LEAD!"

United Tea & Coffee Growers' Association,

CHAMPIONS OF LOW PRICES.

Canned Goods—Best Cal. Peaches, large size 9c. can; best Cal. apricots, large size, 10c. can; best Cal. cherries, large size, 10c. can; best hatchet pears, 2 for 25c.; best sliced pineapple, 4 for 25c.; best sweet corn, 4 for 25c.; best peas, 11c. can; extra early sweet corn, 11c. can; extra early June peas, 11c. can; extra fine asparagus tips, 15c. can; extra fine asparagus, 2 for 25c.; extra good tomatoes, 6c. can; best Lima beans, 10c. can.

Dried Fruits—Best new currants, 4 lbs. 25c.; best new dried apples, 5 lbs 25c.; best new dried peaches, 5c. lb.; best hatchet pears, 5c. lb.; best new dried apricots, 5c. lb.; choice French prunes, 2 lbs 15c.; best Cal. pitted cherries, 5c. lb.

Staples—Best table salt, 2c. lb.; best 3-lb. can cornstarch, 10c.; best new cream tartar, 30c. lb.; new carolina rice, 5c. lb.; best Java coffee, 25c. lb.; best Mocha and Java coffee, 30c. lb. Best 3-lb. can baking powder, 25c. Our teas, coffees and baking powder there are other boxes to the store—come compared.

Vegetables at New York Prices.

COLUMBUS DAY, OCT. 12.

A Message to the Public Schools of America.

LOCAL OBSERVANCES SUGGESTED.

The Day Should Be Signalized in Every Town and Village in the Republic by a Local Celebration of Which the Public School Is the Center.

To the scholars of the public schools of the United States the executive committee of the Columbian public school celebration sends the following message:

The 12th of October, 1892, the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America, ought to be observed everywhere in America.

The day will be marked in Chicago by the dedication of the Columbian exposition grounds. The day also may be signalized in every town and village in the republic by a local celebration of which the public school is the center.

The public schools of the republic will form the most fitting centers for all these local celebrations. A national public school observance simultaneous with the Chicago exercises will awaken a popular interest in the coming exposition. Far more important is the fact that the public school has the right to occupy the most prominent place in the celebration. The public school is the one characteristic institution which links all the neighborhoods together and can thus furnish a common bond for a national celebration. The public school is the ripe fruit of the four centuries of American civilization. The public school of today sways the hundred years to come.

It Came at Once.

The first approval of this suggestion came from the public school scholars themselves. When the plan was first proposed by The Youth's Companion, January, 1891, thousands of letters were received, testifying to the enthusiasm with which the scholars responded.

The world's congress auxiliary of the Columbian exposition then took up the proposal, calling upon all the people of the republic to observe the day in their own localities, and suggesting that the public schools be everywhere the centers of the celebration.

The superintendents of education were the next to recognize the fitness of giving to the public schools the first place in this Columbian anniversary. At their national convention in Brooklyn in February, 1892, they took charge of the movement, and appointed the undersigned an executive committee to lead the schools in their commemoration.

Appeal to the Scholars.

This executive committee now appeals to the scholars themselves to be the first to move. It is for you, scholars of the American public schools, to arouse a sentiment in your schools and in your neighborhoods for this grand way of celebrating the finding of America. Educators and teachers will meet you from their side. But it is for you to begin.

There are 18,000,000 now in the public schools. You have the chance to conduct a patriotic movement which will have a place in history, and will strengthen the republic through the coming century.

What to Do.

The first thing to do is to determine, when you read this message, that you will do all you can to induce your school to enter the celebration. Then show this message to your teachers; every patriotic teacher will be glad to help you if you show yourselves in earnest. Take the message to the school committee and the superintendent—their consent and aid are indispensable.

After you secure the support of all these, then let the school vote that it will enter the celebration.

The next thing after this public vote will be the appointment of a strong committee made up jointly from citizens, scholars and teachers to take charge. The committee should in all cases consist of those most in earnest, so that the work may not be checked by any possible change of teachers during the summer.

The Programme.

A programme of exercises will be furnished by the executive committee. It will be simple and adapted to any school, yet so arranged that more elaborate exercises may be added wherever desired. The aim of this official programme will be that certain leading exercises may be the same in every school in the republic, and that at least in one feature the Chicago programme and the school programme may be identical.

In due time this executive committee will make further suggestions.

The Local Committee.

The duty of your committee will first be to interest the citizens and to prepare the school. Precessions may be arranged. The veterans, both north and south, will gladly be escorts for the schools. The other military, civic and religious organizations of each town will lend their aid if they see that the schools are determined that the celebration shall be worthy of the day. The local press will be the most valuable of all supports.

On Oct. 12 the stars and stripes should be floating from every school house in the republic.

It is the hope of the friends of common school education that not one public school in the United States will allow itself to be left out in this most memorable celebration.

Executive Committee.

Francis Bellamy, chairman, representing Youth's Companion, Boston.

John W. Dickinson, secretary of Massachusetts board of education.

Thomas B. Stockwell, commissioner of public schools of Rhode Island.

W. R. Garrett, superintendent of public instruction of Tennessee.

W. C. Hewitt, superintendent of Michigan educational exhibit at World's fair.

SCORED BY SECRETARY BLAINE.

Librarian Frederic A. Bancroft Writes Up the Former Minister.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Secretary Blaine in a letter has requested the president to withdraw the nomination of Frederic A. Bancroft, of New York, as consul at Bremen, Germany. The secretary says that in compliance with "an amiable tradition" in the department of state—that no one is removed from office without being first interrogated to another if nothing morally or personally offensive is attributed to him—he procured the nomination to the consulship because Mr. Bancroft was intensely unfit for his post of librarian of the department and because of repeated quarrels with those associated with him.

Mr. Bancroft did not like the proposed change and, the secretary says, "appealed to the newspapers with no little acrimony of statement and with considerable measure of discourtesy to myself." In conclusion the secretary says:

"He is a man with no desk, no skill for directing his inferiors in office or for eliciting their sympathy or availing himself of their abilities, and is altogether a foreign and irritating element in the department. He cuts these facts I have not the slightest ill will toward Mr. Bancroft, and was willing as indicated to serve him; but as he has made it incumbent upon me to state the reasons for his removal from the office of librarian, I have frankly done so."

World's Fair Matters.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Mr. Dockery, of Missouri, from the committee on appropriations, submitted to the house the report of the subcommittee appointed to conduct the inquiry ordered by the house into the World's fair expenditures. The committee praise the site of the fair, and state that the grounds, which are of remarkable beauty, embrace an area of 633 acres, more than double the extent of the Centennial grounds. The committee estimates that the fair's income will be $20,370,351.50 and its expenditure $19,319,088.03. The committee say that the item of $60,674 for the expense of preliminary organization should be stricken from the budget, because it does not seem any warrant of law. No reduction of the $300,000 for the art institute is recommended, though the committee states that the amount seems somewhat excessive. Proper decreases in the operating expenses, coupled with a reduction of certain salaries, would reduce the local corporation's expenses to $18,000,000.

The committee favors the abolition of the department of foreign affairs, and suggests that officers of the local board who are also salaried officers of the United States, together with the chiefs of the fifteen great departments, should not receive annual salaries of more than $5,000.

It is also recommended that the salary of the director general be reduced from $15,000 to $8,000 per annum, and that the commissioner of the secretary of the commission be fixed at $3,000. The committee are of the opinion that only one meeting of the board of reference and control of the national commission and the executive committee of the board of lady managers is necessary in the fiscal year of 1893. Charges of favoritism in letting of contracts were made but not established. The committee say, in concluding the report, that they express without reserve their confidence in the assured success of the exposition.

River and Harbor Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—After two hours of further discussion, in which Mr. Hale, of Maine, gave a strong political twist, the senate passed the amended river and harbor bill without a roll call and without an audible voice being against it. Mr. McPherson, of New Jersey, when too late, announced that he had intended to demand the yeas and nays on its passage. The bill now goes into conference with the house, but no action will be taken upon it in conference for at least three weeks, as Mr. Frye, chairman of the committee on commerce, who heads the senate conferees, has gone on a fishing trip for that period.

In the form in which it passed the senate, the bill carries about $40,000 less than the house bill.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The house made considerable progress with the sundry civil bill. The sticker came in for considerable emolution on the items for military posts, cemeteries and arsenals. Mr. Dickerson, of Kentucky, made several unsuccessful attempts to cut down the appropriations for the Chickamauga battlefield. Over two hours were spent in discussing a point of order raised by Mr. Kilgore, of Texas, against the proposed selection of a site for a statue of General Sherman in Washington. This gave rise to patriotic speeches, several members indulging in word painting that elicited applause from their colleagues and the galleries. The chair decided the point of order well taken, and this paragraph was ruled out.

Spain Takes American Pork Now.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The state department has been informed that Spain has removed the restrictions upon the importation of American pork into that country. With the exception of Italy, the American hog is now a welcome visitor to all the countries of Europe, and it is thought in official circles that Italy, too, will soon remove the embargo. Secretary Rusk says: "Within a reasonable period the American hog will have the freedom of every land beneath the sun in which any self respecting pig would care to be found dead."

The Reading Deal Inquiry.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The speaker laid before the house a communication from the attorney general in response to the resolution asking for information as to whether the Reading railroad company had violated the antitrust law. The attorney general says that his only information was derived from the public prints and public rumor.

Reciprocity with Guatemala.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—President Harrison has signed a proclamation announcing reciprocal trade arrangements between the United States and Guatemala.

Newark Fears a Strike.

NEWARK, N. J., May 21.—There is much apprehension that the strike of the New York parers will extend to this city, where a large number of articles are being pared for Stones shipped to New York have been brought here, and this action will probably cause trouble.

Nineteen Killed with Dynamite.

BILBAO, May 21.—An explosion took place in a dynamite factory at Goldcano, causing the death of fifteen men and three women. Two workmen who were dismissed from the factory have been arrested on suspicion.

Two Little Heroines Rolled.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 21.—Willie Appelgate, ten years old, of Morgan, was killed by a train while walking on the railroad tracks. Two little girls made an heroic but futile attempt to rescue him.

DEACON GOES TO PRISON

Convicted of the Premeditated Wounding of Abelle.

HIS SENTENCE ONE YEAR IN JAIL

In Her Deposition Mrs. Deacon Pleads for Her Husband's Life, but Declares That He Is Insane and a Drunkard. Deacon May Only Serve a Few Months.

NICE, May 21.—The trial of Edward Parker Deacon for the murder of M. Abelle, who he found in a room with his wife at a hotel in Cannes, resulted in a verdict against Deacon. The jury found him guilty of the premeditated killing of Abelle, and the judge sentenced Deacon to one year's imprisonment. Deacon shook hands with his counsel and left the court room with two gendarmes. Outside the people who had been waiting for hours the announcement of the sentence, cheered Deacon loudly and many women waved their handkerchiefs to him. The opinion of many is that the sentence was excessive. M. Pilotte says that the jury was moved entirely by the chaos of the French newspapers and by public sympathy with the Abelle family.

Mr. Deacon will be a cell prisoner in the Nice prison. According to the new law he will in consideration of good behavior be released at the end of four months and fifteen days, as the time for which he will be sentenced is the equivalent of a month.

The Trial.

The proceedings opened with Judge Aubertin, president of the court, on the bench. The Count du Moiron, procureur of the republic, represented the prosecution. Mrs. Deacon was represented by Maitre De mange, a celebrated advocate of the Paris bar; M. Golrand, an equally well known lawyer of Paris; Frank Pilotte, of the Nice bar, and Solicitor Brett, of Cannes. The

MR. AND MRS. DEACON.

Abelle family, though not taking any part in the proceedings, were represented by Maitre Lavalley of Cannes. Deacon was brought into the courtroom by two gendarmes. A pallor, caused either by anxiety or ill health, marked his features.

Mrs. Deacon, who had been formally cited to appear, was not present. The jury was purely a Nice jury, composed of tradesmen in the city and a few petty land owners.

Mr. Deacon recounted his relations with his wife from their marriage until 1890. Their life, he said, was happy until they made the acquaintance of Abelle, in 1887. Abelle's visits to the Deacon home were at first rare, but they subsequently became so frequent as to be daily. After this the relations were aroused violent scenes between himself and his wife became frequent. His mother-in-law and brother-in-law were informed as to the status of affairs. They said that jealousy was at the bottom of the trouble and counseled moderation. Acting on their advice, he removed his domestic relations with Mrs. Deacon, but he resolved to watch her closely.

Deacon's Story of the Shooting.

He recounted how he went to the city with out effect. She said she was not responsible for Abelle's presence at her side. Finally she said that she could not stand such insults and threats, and declared her belief that all relations between them should cease. Thenceforth, she said, they would only communicate with each other through her lawyer. He hired detectives to watch his wife but they failed to obtain positive evidence of her infidelity although they saw her meet Abelle again and again. Mr. Deacon then related the incidents of Feb. 17, the date of the shooting. He stated that toward midnight, upon retiring to his room at the Hotel Splendide, he was seized with suspicions of his wife, who occupied a room on the floor below. He went to the door of her room and believed he recognized the rough voice of Abelle. He returned to his room and procured a revolver.

Forcing his way into the salon he saw just about back of a sofa a head. In passing he fired three times at the man. Then he pushed the sofa aside and recognized Abelle.

Continuing, Mr. Deacon said: "I had no intention, no desire to kill him. When I saw this little man wounded I felt poignant remorse, for a man is not a murderer. I must always regret killing another man."

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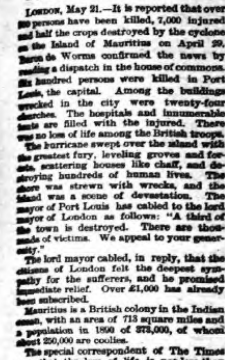

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Leave Plainfield at 7 15, 9 40 a. m., 2 30, 5 20 p. m. Sundays 5 20 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.
LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
8 15 a. m. for Flemington, Bound Brook, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
1 30 a. m. for stations to High Bridge connecting for stations on the Belvidere Branch.
9 11 a. m. for Flemington, 17 L & W R R, Easton, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk.
5 00 p. m. for Flemington, South Branch Branch, 17 L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
7 30 p. m. for Flemington, High Bridge branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport and Elmira.
8 00 p. m. way for Junction connecting for D L & W R R.
8 40 p. m. for Flemington, High Bridge branch, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Scranton and Tamaqua, (parlor car to Mauch Chunk.
9 25 p. m. for Flemington.
10 30 p. m. for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg.
6 20 p. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
7 45 a. m. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 a. m. Sunday for Allentown, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc. 10 30 a. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg.
8 00 p. m. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

LONG BRANCH OCEAN GROVE, ETC.
Leave Plainfield at 2 37, 8 05, 11 09 a. m., 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. Sunday 12 03 noon, Ocean Grove 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. Asbury Park 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. Ocean 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. Arrive at Elberon 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. Arrive at Atlantic 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. Arrive at Long Branch 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Matawan 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Keyport 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Red Bank 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Freehold 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Lakewood 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Toms River 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Barnegat 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Tuckerton 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Beach Haven 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Atlantic City 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Cape May 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Sea Isle City 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Ocean City 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Somers Point 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Wildwood 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Cape May Point 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Anglesea 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Holly Beach 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Avalon 1 03, 4 04, 6 16 p. m. For Stone Harbor

THE CURIOSITY SHOP

MAY MAXIMS.

Proverbs and Traditional Weather Lore of This Charming Month.

The quaint embodiments of superstition and credulity to be found in the mass of traditional weather lore ascribe a considerable portion of influence to the month of May. If the ancient prognosticators whose dicta are accounted as oracles of officials preserved to extinguish, were right in the judgments, the month is treacherous as fatal when it is brightest and most beautiful, and is only acceptable and full of good fruits when it appears cold and inhospitable. The old English proverb, "Never cast a clout till May be out," is a doctrine expressed in many varied forms by the wise people of each passing generation. For once the proverb makes for moderation. In this side, "Ne'er cast a clout" and does lighter raiment in honor of the return of the sun, will have occasion to shiver in the coldness of a late autumn. Yet never will calm persuasion have its due effect while the sun shines so brightly on a May morning. The result is bluntly and grimly expressed in the proverb, "A hot May makes a fat churchyard." Let us be warned and be wise in time. Charm the May sun never so wisely, blow the zephyrs never so softly, cast out the fan till the month be out, and its treacherous smiles give place to the more genuine joys of June.

To be sensible to the agriculturist—if weather lore embody his opinions—May should be cold and cheerless. "A cold May and windy makes a full barn and finely," says the old proverb; and so "finely" means plump, fat and well flavored, the desirability of a cold May from the standpoint of future profit is indisputable. The Italian hands for bats, birds and insects, but its stately columns indicate its early grandeur. Many doubt that such a character as Bine Beard ever lived, but in this question of the world the story is believed and told by the natives, until one readily fancies he sees Fatima's sister at the lower window. Assuredly awaiting some sign of her protector.

Fatal Hours in Illness.

A writer in The Quarterly Review several years ago undertook to investigate the popular notion that there are certain hours during the twenty-four more fatal to life than others. He ascertained the hour of death in 2,680 instances of all ages from a mixed population, and from deaths occurring during a period of several years. The least mortality is during midday hours—namely, from 10 till 3 o'clock; the greatest during early morning hours, from 3 till 6 o'clock. Fishermen say that the times of the ebb and flow of the tides are always critical hours with invalids.

Phenology.

Flowers come into bloom at different periods of the year, forming the opportunity of making what are known as "Floral Calendars." This particular branch has recently received the name of phenology. It would be hard to do much with this study in our climate, for we find some flowers that are ahead of their neighbors in blooming one hour, are later instead of earlier the next. After all, says Meehan, even that variation may be considered as an important branch of phenology.

THE FUR SEAL.

Facts in the Life History of This Interesting Animal.

The negotiations that have taken place between the American and British governments in regard to the capture of the fur seal in Behring sea have given to this animal always a prominent place in newspaper columns. There are two kinds of seals known to the naturalist. One of these, the common European seal, is destitute of the

MALE FUR SEAL.

beautiful under fur which constitutes the sealskin of the furrier. The other is called the "eared" seal, because it has small external ears not found in the European species. This fur seal of commerce is captured in thousands in the Behring sea and is known as the sea bear or fur seal of the north Pacific, the Otaria ursina.

Tegetmeier, the excellent English authority, gives the following facts in the life history of this seal:

The males, as in all the eared seals, are very much larger than the females. They are polygamous, and spend the greater part of their lives in the waters of the Pacific, but at the breeding time stranded upon the lone place. They seek some island where the coast is sheltering and they can readily get out of the water, and there they establish what are called "rookeries." The old males arrived at their full size and development, and furnished with powerful canine teeth are the first to land. Each of them takes up a small tract of ground, which he regards as his own and defends against all aforecomers, who have to pass

FEMALE FUR SEAL.

through the line of the first occupants and take up place in the rear. The young males that are not full grown do not attempt to contest with the older ones, but collect in separate bands. These bachelor seals, as they are called, take up their residence on the island at some distance from the old males. When fully matured, fierce and furious combats for their possession take place between the old ones, and at last they settle down in what we may call families, each consisting of a male and ten or twelve females. The females come up from the water and remain until they are fit to take to the water, each mate not considering about 100 square feet as necessary for his home. The strongest and most successful retain the best places near the water, very few males finding room on the land, where their chances of getting a sufficient number of females are not particularly great. As soon as the young are born the fierce and fatal disputes the females come up from the sea. It said by Nordenskjold that the males never leave their family during the whole time they are on shore, even for the necessary feeding. By the middle of September the young have learned to swim, and all the family return to the sea.

In consequence of the young males, or, as they are called, bachelor seals, taking up their quarters some distance from the breeding place, they are killed, their skins stripped on the head, skinned and the skins salted.

An Improved Horseshoe.

The London General Omnibus company is about to introduce a new description of improved horseshoe, which is said to have been subjected to severe tests on the European continent with very satisfactory results. The invention, which is the invention of a Frenchman named Figot, is a very simple one. It is described by The Horseshoe World as consisting merely in affixing to the under part of the shoe two strips of cork, one on each side. The cork strips are held in position by two very thin steel bars, which are riveted together by a rivet. The outer edges of these plates are slipped between the shoe and the hoof. The inner edges are turned upward. Some of the holes through which the nails pass at edge of the shoe the cork blocks are tightly fixed. Between these flanges is fitted a screwed bolt with nuts at either end, so that when the nuts are tightly screwed against the flanges the whole is perfectly immovable. In order to hold the cork still firmer in position the corners of the flanges are turned down over it, thus forming a couple of sockets, into which the cork, which at first slightly projects over the surface of the shoe, is jammed and compressed more firmly every day by the weight of the horse. These shoes are said to enable the horse to obtain such a grip upon a slippery surface that slipping is almost impossible and straining is greatly diminished.

Nonmagnetizable Watches.

The only absolutely safe way to prevent a watch from becoming magnetized is to have the hairspring and escapement made of nonmagnetic metal. Such watches are found in the market. Another method commonly used is to inclose the watch in an iron case, or to line the pocket with sheet iron. This, however, only diminishes the magnetism without protecting the watch altogether from its effect, says The Electrical World.

The Life of a Belt.

The life of a belt is greatly increased by running it as slack as possible, yet have it do the work, as it is easier on the belt, the bearings of the machine and the temper of the operator.—Stationary Engineer.

THE HOUSEHOLD SHOP

A SUMMER FOE.

The Upholsterer's Plea for Circumventing the Gentlemen but Ruinous Moth.

The great mistake folks make is to await the host of the summer before watching for moths. Before packing away furs, woolens and packed them away in their chests full of turboline or carbotine or camphorine, and actually believe that they would be safe until fall. They have wrapped up hundreds of moth eggs which eventually hatch the grubs, which others will never kill a moth or destroy its life germs. A moth will not voluntarily seek a nesting place where the fur exists, but if lured up with an odor that has in it the germs of life, and the female then searches for suitable places for the deposition of her eggs, working her way into dark corners, crevices of the walls, crevices in the floor or in the folds of garments, apparently choosing by instinct the least conspicuous places. The moth lays from 12 to 140 eggs at a time. From these eggs heigh, in a period from three to seven days, the white, soft body larve or worms, all of which begin to make a case like themselves from the fragments of the cloth upon which they feed. The case is in the shape of a hollow roll. We have all noticed these "rolls" on fabrics and frequently we have crushed them, supposing that we have thus prevented all damage, when the very existence of the cylinder shows that the grub has already fed. It is the thirty-second day from the time that the eggs are laid to the time that the worm or grub reaches full size, that the damage is done.

The remedy spray is sure death, but there are many objections to its use and danger from its inflammable character; still if the ordinary clothes spray is filled with naphtha and the vapor thrown into crevices against moth or eggs it will destroy them, but no light should be brought into a room thus treated until after it has been thoroughly aired and the odor dissipated. The benzine spray may be used very safely upon carpeting, but the utmost care should be exercised in using it on delicate fabrics.

After a thorough airing of a woolen fabric, for the purpose of driving out any concealed moth (for a moth abhors light) and after the has been given to the development of any concealed egg, you may be reasonably sure that there is nothing harmful on the fabric; then it is as safe done up in a paper parcel as it would be if saturated and buried beneath all the antimoth remedies in existence. Camphor, tobacco, naphthaline and other strong odorants are only partially repellant to the flying moth and have no effect at all upon the eggs or the worm, which is the destroying element.

A Pretty Potato Pudding.

Boil one-half pound of potatoes till quite soft, skin them and mash with the back of a spoon. Rub them through a fine sieve then add one-half pound fresh butter melted, the same quantity of powdered sugar and four well beaten eggs. Mix all well together with a glass of red wine. Pass the mixture in a well buttered mold, the a wet cloth over it and boil for thirty minutes; then turn out carefully and cover with a rich custard. Garnish the dish with a few spoonfuls of red currant jelly, one or wine, and the eyes of hot butter thoroughly heated in a small enamel saucepan. Morsels of red currant jam should be arranged around the dish.

French Decoration.

The accompanying sketch introduces us into a Louis XV bedroom, designed and carried out with the utmost skill and good taste by one of the decorator's art. It is an excellent illustration of the elegance and costliness of decoration in the French style, for which a crass now prevails. The bed is one of silver grass bleached coverlet, completed with rose color and deep fluence of lace. This bed is called a "Twin bed," and as the mattresses are separate the foot or end of the bed is omitted. This adds to the appearance of making the beds. The canopy is draped in rose color silk and Brussels lace, and is upheld by carved cupids, whose frigid looks are steadily fixed on and fauns in mid air among the draperies.

A LOUIS XV BEDROOM.

The ceiling has an oval center painted with cupids, and from this medallion pale tones of the decorator's art. It is an excellent illustration of the elegance and costliness of decoration in the French style, for which a crass now prevails. The bed is one of silver grass bleached coverlet, completed with rose color and deep fluence of lace. This bed is called a "Twin bed," and as the mattresses are separate the foot or end of the bed is omitted. This adds to the appearance of making the beds. The canopy is draped in rose color silk and Brussels lace, and is upheld by carved cupids, whose frigid looks are steadily fixed on and fauns in mid air among the draperies.

What to Feed Our Friend, the Dog.

"In the matter of food many dog owners make grievous errors, and are themselves responsible in their daily toward our friend, the dog," writes Dr. Gordon Stables. "I think the rule of a light breakfast about 8 a. m. and a good substantial dinner at 5 p. m. for a good one, but we should never neglect to give some mashed greens twice or thrice a week, nor forget that change does good. An occasional dinner of well boiled tripe is a great treat to almost any dog, so is a bit of liver lightly boiled. As to bones, young dogs may have safe ones, but old dogs are better without; a handful of bonemeal must do duty instead."

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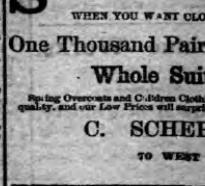

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1680—Indian Rising, Simmons speaks to the Indians, died in Roxbury, Mass., born 1604 [illegible] Plymouth Colony.

1681—Cornelius Van Nimmen, Dutch naval hero, died at Amsterdam, born 1607. He defeated the famous English Admiral Blake and the two attained high rank both in Holland and England, born 1653.

1784—Robert Harley, earl of Oxford, prime minister to Queen Anne, died.

1723—John Law, the famous speculator and promoter of "west money," died in Venice, aged 57.

1775—Seventy Johnson, statesman and soldier, born in Annapolis, Md.; died there, 1828.

1845—Maria Edgeworth, "moral novelist," died.

1846—Battle at Phillips Creek, Miss.

1861—Battles at Middleton, Tenn., and Fort Hudson Pleine, La.

Making Progress.

Drawing Teacher (despondently)—That thing you've drawn looks more like a cow than it does like a house.

Fair Pupil (brightly)—Why, of course, professor. It is a cow.—Good News.

One Memory What Restrains.

Oh, often, very often, as about the world I go,
I get a fond re hankerin to take a run down home.

There ain't no scratch nor time or year but what I'm like to be
A-thinking or the folks I knew an that I'd like to see.

I striken 'em 'long 'bout Christmas it strikes me the most,
An also in the summer, wen grass is gittin tall.

For each New England season an each New England day
Has some most pickler charm for me wen I am far away.

But mostly springtime ketches me—it's awful pretty there
With little ole Bittle valleys so fresh an green an fair.

When everything's a-wakin up and all the people smile—
I tell ye it's a pleter ter make ye think awhile—

But that I won't start out fer yet I'm willin to state,
For ye see it's rather early, an they're pickin stone jist now.

—Detroit Tribune.

1892			MAY.			1892
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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter	3	5:52 m	Last Quarter	19	5:52 m
Full Moon	11	5:52 m	New Moon	26	5:52 m

Legal Advertisements.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to Regulate the Sale of Milk," passed May 5, 1890.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the ordinance referred to in the title to this ordinance be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "not in charge of his keeper" where they occur in the fifth line of section 2.

Adopted by the Common Council May 2, 1892.
Approved by the Mayor May 3, 1892.
A. M. HILBERT, Mayor.
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ESTABLISHED 1884. PLAINFIELD, N. J., "THE COLORADO OF THE EAST," MONDAY, MAY 23, 1892. PRICE TWO CENTS

BREVITIES

—The sewerage question is being satisfied at Roselle.

—The Colored Jubilee concert will take place at Reform Hall to-night.

—A new matron has been secured for the Day Nursery, and the rooms are still open.

—Westfield will have ten arc lights. They have been ordered by the Town Committee.

—A fight occurred at the Central Depot last night between two women. Black eyes were the result. No arrests.

—Wednesday, May 25th, is children's day in Brooklyn. A large number from this city will go over and attend the exercises.

—The fifteenth anniversary of the Children's Home Association will take place Thursday June 2d. Particulars later in THE NEWS.

—Workmen are laying the pipes near the Central depot for the compressed air to operate the Semaphone Block Signals on the Central Railroad.

—The 11.16 train to New York Sunday morning was the first to carry the new Central Railroad cars. They are dark green and make a fine appearance.

—The "I" will hold its last meeting for this year in their new rooms to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock. The subject will be "Love and Unity in this Work."

—The subject this evening at the Bible Normal class in the First Baptist church will be "The Book of Deuteronomy." An invitation is extended to all.

—Anthony Schroeder, D.D., 5th Masonic District of New Jersey, will officially visit Anchor Lodge to-morrow (Tuesday) evening. A full attendance is desired.

—The case of H. Giles & Co., vs. S. B. Merrell came up for trial on Saturday, before Justice Stevens of New Market, and on motion of Jackson & Codington was dismissed.

—A member of the Salvation Army went along Front street this morning with a new broom over his shoulder. It looked as if the army was about to make a clean sweep.

—An excursion will go over the Central Railroad Decoration Day, for Manch Chunk, Glen Onoko and the Switchback. Trains will leave Central depot this city, 8.57 a. m. Fair round trip $1.75.

—The young ladies of the Memorial Day chorus will meet for practice to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock at Reform Hall. Full chorus will rehearse next Saturday morning at ten o'clock at Music Hall.

—Take notice of the pawnbroker's auction sale to-night and every night until goods are sold at Samuel Dreier's, corner Front street and Madison avenue. The list of goods were advertised in THE NEWS last week.

—Miss Buckley requests THE NEWS to say, that the article which appeared in one of the city papers in reference to granting the High School pupils a half holiday on Friday next, is erroneous. There will not be any half holiday on that day.

—An unknown man was struck by the fast line train of the Pennsylvania Railroad Saturday afternoon, between Menlo Park and Metuchen. Coroner Doner reports that he had nothing on his person to identify him.

—The April number of the Royal Cratftsman, the Masonic Monthly, though tardy in its arrival, coming along near the end of May, is a number which one would think would be of much interest to the fraternity generally and of New Jersey particularly. It is most ably edited.

—The following officers of the Union Water Co. were elected last evening at the office of the company in Mr. Bigelow's office: President, Alden B. Bigelow; treasurer, William D. Bigelow; secretary, Harry Wilbur. The company has ordered to be put in fifty fire hydrants.

—A new road, between Rahway and Plainfield, starting from Prospect avenue at Short Hills and connecting with the county road at North Rahway, is being advocated. The Board of Freeholders, at their next meeting, will be asked to open such a road as the proposed road.

—Pedestrians are casually wondering whether Mr. P. M. French is cultivating a root garden, or utilizing the space on his lot as a grain field. Along the road there is a miniature green patch which excites surprise. It is caused by the seeds which have fallen from the elevator opening. The first hot day bleats it.

—Mrs. Mary Clement Leavitt the "round the world W. C. T. U. Missionary" accompanied Mrs. T. E. Tomlinson last Saturday of her safe arrival in New York from South America and will be the guest from Tuesday until Wednesday, when she and Mrs. Tomlinson will commence a weeks work in Union county called by the Ministerial Union.

—Captain F. L. C. Martin, of the Bicycle Club, is enlarging his "Wheelmen's Headquarters" and has taken the adjoining store on Park avenue, owning to increasing business. He has established an enameling department, whereby work of the description can be executed here, the same as in the factories. All the repairing departments are conveniently arranged on the first floor entirely.

—A professor of chemistry has found out that not only do Scotch people sometimes have water in their whiskey, but they wash their natural lake water in Loch Katrine. By some strictly scientific method nature, with the aid of certain vegetable acid substances, gives with a considerable quantity of spirit which mingles with the water. In the Scotch Highlands this happens a Scotch mist shabbier is non est.

—There is one thing the suspender wearing girl has evidently forgotten—she has never yet been seen to give that little bitch, first with one shoulder and then with the other, that men say settles a refractory pair of "galloweses" into the most comfortable positions. It is not very pretty, or graceful either, it is men. But, nevertheless some girl or other will start a lot of her own chic and unspoken fads one day, and then everybody will be doing it.

BANQUET TO-NIGHT.

Rutgers College Freshmen will Dine in this City.

The Freshmen of Rutgers College have made great preparations for their first annual banquet to be held to-night at the Albion.

As it is their initial attempt at anything in this line, they are not going to be done out of it, as former classes have been, by the wily Sophomores, so have arranged to have it take place in this city.

It will be the scene of much feasting and eloquence, and the "freshies" expect to have a glorious time. They will come from New Brunswick in stages and will sit down to the banquet about nine o'clock. President Charles W. Gulick will be the toast-master and Pat Parsons, chorugus. A printed menu and a list of toasts has already been prepared. The toasts will be as follows:

Herman Weber—The class of '95.
George Deshler—Our base ball team.
G. Sullivan Ladlow—Our future.
Stanly Van Slyck—Old Rutgers.
Harry Hampton—The Chappies.
W. McAllister Berry—The Faculty.
Jack Lord—The Football team.
Pat Parsons—The class of '94.
Ulysses Grant—The Ladies.

The Committee in charge is composed of J. C. Van Slyck, Chas. W. Gulick, Chas. Negus, F. K. Grant, Clarkson Runyon.

EMERSON TO RETURN.

The Missing Lawyer, it is said, will Arrive here To-night.

In an interview with a News reporter yesterday, Mr. John Emerson, brother to Mr. Howard Emerson, the missing lawyer, said: "We received a telegram from Howard last night, dated Covington, Virginia, in which he says that he is well and will arrive in Plainfield Monday night. He has evidently been ill and harassed with business matters and will probably straighten everything up on his return."

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Peter Hodge of this city has been visiting friends in Somerville.

Mr. G. Jackson, of Bradford, England, is in the city, and is registered at the Albion.

Dr. George Craig, formerly of this city, but now of Texas, is in Plainfield for a short visit.

Mrs. Marsh and daughter of Jersey City, have been visiting Mrs. John Kline of West Second street.

Miss Susie Van Winkle of this city and Miss Minnie Force of Bound Brook, will leave this week on a visit to friends in Philadelphia.

The home of Mr. Charles D. Wheeler, on Somerset street, North Plainfield, was made happy by the arrival of fine baby boy last week.

Mr. Peter Wooden of North Plainfield will celebrate his ninety-second birthday on Tuesday next. He was born in an old house about a half mile from his present abode, and attributes his longevity to an active out-of-door life and abstinence from liquor and tobacco.

The wedding of Miss Celestine Noel of New York, and Mr. Frederick Johnson, son of John Taylor Johnson of Plainfield and New York, will take place to-day at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 109 Waverly place, New York City. The ceremony will be performed by Archbishop Corrigan.

Greek Tableaux Next Friday Evening.

The entertainment to be given next Friday evening at the Casino, by Miss Maude Bowers, assisted by Miss Marchand, is to have a particularly novel and beautiful feature about it, known as Greek tableaux, in which are a series of groupings as follows: I—"Dance of the Muses." II.—Frieze: "Chain Dance." III.—Frieze: "Train of Noble Maidens." IV.—Frieze: "Scene from the Battle of the Amazons." V.—"The Hours;" "Gladiator Young Agrippa;" "Greek Draped Figure;" "Cymbal Player;" "Women Fastening Jewels;" "Springing Amazon." VI.—"Kronos and Rhea." VII.—"Toilet of the Bride." VIII.—"The Fates;" "Three Graces;" "Orpheus, Eurydice, Hermes." IX.—"Tribute to the Musician." X.—"Night and the Fates." XI.—"Bacchus and Bacchantes." XII.—"Niobe Group." XIII.—"Sacrifice of Iphigenia." XIV.—"Home Scene of the Greeks." XV.—"Death of Virginia."

Tennis Tournament.

On Monday next, Decoration Day, the lovers of tennis will have the opportunity of witnessing some good playing, as on that day the first annual championship tournament of the Hillside Tennis Club will be held, May 31st.

The contestants will be restricted to Club members and a costly trophy of silver is offered, to be held by the winner until beaten; any member winning it three times, however, to permanently own it. A number of expert players have joined the Hillside Tennis Club this Spring and much interest will be shown in next Monday's tournament as the championship of the club is at stake. The following gentlemen compose the committee in charge: Mr. Howard W. Cook, chairman, Mr. R. L. Walz, Jr., and Mr. James P. Murray.

Struck by an Express.

Jacob Barnard and Roman Katz, both of Elizabeth were struck by a Pennsylvania express train at Linden yesterday and hurled fifty feet along the platform. Barnard was killed, but Katz escaped with a broken arm and bruised head.

—The United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association announce a big reduction in flower, butter, etc. Read their new advertisement to-day.

ACCIDENT ON THE CENTRAL.

Fog Causes the Wreck of a Coal Train at Elizabeth.

At midnight Saturday a collision occurred on the Central Railroad at Chilton street, Elizabeth, by which a locomotive, several coal cars, and caboose were wrecked, and travel was blocked for some hours.

A long coal train was standing on the track to let a train pass the Union Station on the Pennsylvania, when a freight train, also east bound, plunged into the rear end of the coal train, demolishing the caboose and making kindling wood of it and three cars, while two others were badly shattered. The front part of the locomotive was smashed, its headlight was knocked off, the front pedestal was torn away, and the engine was derailed. She was No. 107, attached to the Philadelphia freight. The engineer and firemen saved themselves from injury by jumping.

The rear brakesman on the coal train also leaped for his life from the caboose when he saw the collision inevitable, and escaped unhurt. Wrecking crews worked until this morning to get the tracks clear.

The disaster, it is said, was occasioned by a dense fog, which prevailed at the time and prevented the engineer of the freight train seeing the light burning on the end of the coal train.

Special Sessions.

In the case of Frederick M. Loewe, the insurance agent charged with fraud, Mr. Louis A. Graff, the counsel, made a motion for a bill of particulars.

Prosecutor Marsh said the State had no objections to furnish counsel with the names of the persons from whom Loewe is said to have collected money, and to have retained the amounts.

The statement was satisfactory to Mr. Graff and his motion for a special order of the court was not pressed.

William Hughes pleaded non volt to a charge of assault on a Mr. Bennett by Railway. Prosecutor Marsh said the affair happened at a fire. Bennett was acting as a marshal and Hughes a fireman. They had some squabble and a blow was struck. The prisoner's reputation was good.

Under the circumstances Judge McCarmick said the court had decided to be very lenient, and imposed a fine of $10.

Prosecutor Marsh called the attention of Judge McCormick to the various charges against Constable Bernard Gannon made by Bertha Beckley, the French governess who was arrested for robbing a family at Summit.

Prosecutor Marsh will immediately prepare the papers and Gannon will be placed under arrest.

Arrivals at the Hotels.

The following are registered at the various hotels in this city:

The Albion—Miss S. Conkling, Chas. T. Baldwin, N. Y., John F. Stevens, Geo. G. Gilmore, A. D. Slye, D. D. Webber, Newark; T. A. Barnabee, New York; G. Jackson, Bradford, Eng.

The Grenadier—W. O. Newman, Phila.; Henry M. Norris, Newark; Craig A. Marsh, City; Carl Darley, City; Maunie Pitman, Scranton; John W. Horton, Gasmain; Eric Erickson, New York; W. R. Safford, City; Geo. F. Dawson, New York; F. J. Pfister, New York; R. R. Veasey; "Harlem Wheelmen," New York; L. T. Pocock, D.V.S. City; Frank Lawter, Phila.; Philip Mowe, New York; H. S. Thomas, City.

City Hotel—Chas. H. Ingman, City; J. W. Kruspfer, New York; D. E. Hoffman, Annanskic, M. F. Webb and wife, City; B. H. Billman, Philadelphia; Dr. H. L. Clark, Dr. J. J. Daly, Rahway; M. J. Darley, High Bridge.

A Reported Blackmailing Scheme.

Constable Gannon, of Summit, who is accused by Bertha Beckling, as published in Saturday's News, with making improper proposals to her and demanding money of her while en route to the county jail, in Elizabeth, says the story is false in every detail. He has been a constable for the last fifteen years. A few minutes before the arrival of the train he entered the lockup; the prisoner immediately put on her things and accompanied him.

When they reached Newark, he says, Miss Beckling asked for something to drink. They entered Doyle's place on Broad street and he gave her a glass of beer. They then proceeded on their journey.

Street Railway Progress.

The contractors for the street railway have completed laying the rails on Monroe avenue from Seventh street to Fourth, to Grant avenue, to Front street.

The poles have been erected along the same course to Front street and Washington avenue.

The rails have been laid to city grade, which is the level of the railway, on Fourth street and Grant avenue and filling on Fourth street.

The curves have not been put in yet.

A New Lodge for Somerville.

A delegation of about twenty members of the Sons of Temperance of this city, went to Somerville Friday evening, to assist in instituting a new division of the Sons of Temperance, at that place.

The new lodge started with twenty-two charter members. It will be called Somerville Division No. 216.

Prof. Burnham's Entertainment.

Prof. Avon C. Burnham, the popular instructor in the gymnasium of the Bicycle Club is to give an entertainment at the Casino to-morrow night. Particulars are given in his advertisement.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

The New Jersey Pharmaceutical Association To-night.

To THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS—Mention has already been made in your columns of the approaching meeting of this association, now, for the first time, to be held in Plainfield. But it is thought that your readers may be glad to know more than has yet appeared about the event, when reminded that New Jersey was the first State to enact a pharmacy law and that said law emanated from this association. Will you, then, kindly announce that the twenty-second annual meeting of the New Jersey Pharmaceutical Association will be held in Hotel Netherwood (not Hotel Albion as formerly published) on Wednesday and Thursday, 25th and 26th of May. The first session, ten a. m., Wednesday, will be occupied with official address and reports; the second session, two p. m., with professional and scientific papers and discussions; the third session, nine a. m., Thursday, with election of officers and appointment of committees; Wednesday evening will be devoted to reception by members and their guests will meet socially in the parlors and will pass thence to supper in the main dining hall at nine o'clock; after which we shall be favored with an address of welcome to the city by her honor, Mayor Gilbert, with response by the president, Mr. F. B. Davis, of Morristown, to be followed by vocal and instrumental music, recitations, and by a general good time.

The official badge of 1892 is an orange ribbon, stamped in silver N. J. P. A. It is hoped the citizens of Plainfield—especially the local physicians and those pharmacists who are not yet members of the association (but who will be welcomed hereby)—will extend cordial hospitality to the visiting pharmacists from all parts of the State (many of them accompanied by ladies), and to their distinguished guests. All sessions will be open to the public; newspaper men will find the writers kindly favored, is desired. A limited number of tickets to the Wednesday evening supper and musicale may be purchased from the subscribers.

Carriages will pass from station to station throughout Wednesday.

R. L. SHAW,
H. F. KETCHUM. } Of local committee.

Children's Home Association Election.

At the annual meeting of the Children's Home Association, held on Thursday, May 5th the following officers were unanimously chosen:

President—Mrs. Horace Kimball.
Vice President—Mrs. Isaac W. Bonhamore.
Vice President—Mrs. Louise Worthington.
Vice President—Mrs. Geo. T. Dupee.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Ruth C. Leonard.
Corresponding Secretary—Miss Lucy H. Everett.
Treasurer—Miss Ella Serrell.
Standing committees for the year will be chosen at next meeting.

An Echo of the Bicycle Race.

During the big 100-mile race, which lately passed through this city, two wheelmen who did not get to Bound Dound until after dark, found out that they could gain time by taking the Central Railroad track instead of the county road, which was very heavy at that time.

They accordingly started down towards Dunellen and were getting along finely when they were met by the Royal Blue line express on the Central.

The engineer, seeing the lights and supposing they were danger signals, stopped his engine, but the lights disappeared, as the bicyclists, realizing what they had done, fled, fearing they would get into trouble.

Bicycle Notes.

The clubs of Essex Co., have all been invited to take part in the ten mile road race for a handsome silver cup, offered by a Newark jeweler, on June 4th. The course will be over the Irvington-Millburn course, starting at five p. m., with teams of four men each. The cup was originally offered late last season for a match race between teams of the Atlantic Wheelmen and the W. O. L. C. The race will undoubtedly create considerable rivalry. Captain F. L. C. Martin of the Plainfield Bicycle Club, has been chosen referee and will accept.

The Justice Court.

The cases of Commissioner vs. Coddington, for wages, and Pulsifer vs. Dodge, for coal, will be tried before Justice Hunt, Wednesday, May 25th.

The case of the Williams' Manufacturing Company vs. McIntyre, for windmill, came up Friday. Mr. Nelson Runyon, for plaintiff, and Mr. Edward H. R. McClure for defendant. Judgment was rendered for the defendant. The amount involved was $40. An offset of $20 was demanded, but was thrown out by the court.

Sociable To-Morrow Night.

The regular monthly sociable of the Young People's League of the First Baptist church will be held in the lecture room of the church to-morrow evening, May 24th, at 8 p. m. Mr. Matthew Walker, President of the Christian Endeavor, (local union of Philadelphia) will make an address, about the attainments of Christian Endeavor work. A very interesting programme has been arranged by Walker's address. All are cordially invited to be present.

FOR the growing child H.-O. means growth. For the full grown—new life.

(Have some H.-O. for breakfast).

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

O'BRIEN CAPTURED.

The Banco Prince Arrested at Havre To-Day.

LONDON, May 23d. (Special.)—Thomas O'Brien, the banco sleuver, was arrested at Havre, while debarking from the steamship Marseille, which arrived from New Orleans this morning.

Collision at Sea.

LONDON, May 23. (Special.)—The British ship Arzie, Capt. Shearer, from Calcutta Jan. 27, arrived at Dundee to-day.

She reports that when off Yarmouth she was in collision with an unknown steamer and lost her jibboom.

The schooner was so badly damaged that she sank almost immediately, taking down with her, it is believed, every soul aboard of her.

Patents to Jerseymen.

Patents granted to Jerseymen for the week ending May 17, 1892, are as follows:

Dumps, J. Hoffman, Jersey City.
Design, J. Tenselmer, Jersey City.
Trade Mark, Improved Natural Stone Filter Co., Newark.
Wrench, A. B. Cavil, Jersey City.
Composition for use as ornamental moldings, etc., Jersey City Novelty Co.
Pen-nibble of engraved steel plate, W. Wallace, Newark.
Mosquito fly net, V. D. Collins, Princeton.
Brooms (two patents), A. E. Herrick, Bayonne.
Button, C. Radcliff, Newark.
Pen holder, G. C. Gaskill, Newark.
Block take up for car bakes (two patents), H. Hockley, Trenton.
Adjustable rest for supporting ink stands, G. F. Bell, Newark.
Tooth brush, G. Wilson, Hoboken.
Lawn tennis court marker, Schotwelt, Spring Lake.
Ornamental bandage, A. Chapman, Jersey City.
Watch case, W. H. Fitzgerald, Newark.
Skate, C. Hinchman, Newark.

Third District Delegates to Trenton Wednesday.

The candidates from the Third District before the Democratic State convention at Trenton next Wednesday to elect delegates to the Democratic National Convention at Chicago will be: Miller F. Rose, of Jersey City; Attorney Clark, of Somerville; J. F. Bergen, of Somerville and Hon. Jacob Stockton, of Hudson. Of these four Mr. Rose of Jersey City will have 20 votes in the Chicago convention. Five from each of the Congressional District and four from the State at large.

Little Jersey's Railroads.

That New Jersey is a great railroad State is emphasized by the report of the State Board of Assessors, which has been recently published.

Board reports that during the year railroad property to the amount of, including the Central Railroad of New Jersey's leased lines, $268,575,000, has been assessed and taxed, and that the assessment declined $1,250,000 from 1891. This represented a gain of over 2,314 of railroad track, and 113 miles of canals.

Was it Suicide?

The body of a man, supposed to be J. H. Doyle, of Bayonne, who disappeared Feb. 26th, was found floating in Newark Bay, near Bloomfield yesterday.

Mr. Doyle was a well known citizen and prominent in city affairs. His wife has been a widow for some time. He was about fifty-four years of age. At the time of his disappearance he was a member of the Hudson County Petit Jury.

Bowling Saturday Night.

The tournament was continued at the C. Y. M. I. Saturday night with the following results:

Gunther 181, vs. Mattox 168.
Wine 174, vs. Gunther 174.
Wine 117, vs. Gunther 114.
Gunther 118, vs. Curren 114.
Owens 168, vs. Wine 120.

At the Crescent alleys Saturday night Hallock made score of 228.

Before Judge Coddington.

Patrick Bergen plead guilty to the charge of drunk and disorderly conduct, and was fined three dollars. Fine was paid.

Wm. McIlroy plead guilty to the charge of drunk and disorderly conduct and resisting officer Cahill. Fined $10 or twenty days. He took the former.

Half Rates to Minneapolis via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the benefit of delegates and visitors to the Christian Endeavor Convention at Minneapolis, on June 7, 1892, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Minneapolis from all principal stations on its lines, at a single fare for the round trip, via the direct route from New York to Buffalo, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Washington, and all points in connection therewith. The tickets will be sold from June 1st to 5th, inclusive, and the return coupons will be good to leave Minneapolis on or before June 15th. Final from June 10th to 20th inclusive, 1892. A choice of routes west of Chicago may be made.

PURE GOODS ONLY, SOLD!

LOOK AT THESE PRICES! Where else can you buy

Pillsbury's Best Flour xxxx, 12c. bag.
Pearl Flour, 10c. bag.
Gold Dust Flour, 12c. bag.
XXX O. O Flour, 12c. bag.
Marseille Flour, 10c. bag.
Lily Flour, 10c. bag.
White Velvet Flour, 40c. bag.
Golden Age Flour, 30c. bag.
Golden Rod Flour, 30c. bag.
Wedding Cream Flour, 30c. bag.
Wedding Cream Cracker, 6c. lb.
Cracked Wheat, 5c. lb.
Rolled Oats, 5c. lb.
Best Cream Tartar, 25c. lb.
Best Pure Ginger, 15c. lb.

Fine table Butter, 22c. lb.
Best creamery cheese, 12c. lb.
If the grocer sell sugar, 22c.
Cream of Black wells pans 20c. pot.
3 lbs Rx. best hominy, 10c.
3 lbs Rx. best oatmeal, 10c.
Best sweet chocolate, 5c. cake.
Best Cocoa, 5c. cake.
Cocoa a specialty.
5 gallons best kerosene oil, 150 test, 35c.
Chickens a specialty.

We offer greater inducements with Tea, Coffee and Baking Powder than any other house in the State—none excepted. Vegetables at New York Prices.

United Tea & Coffee Growers' Association,
19 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.
The Champions of Low Prices!

Cent-a-Word Column.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A N English Protestant cook wishes situation. Good baker. All kinds of dessert. Call at 30 West Sixth street.

WHEN out of employment this is the column to put your notice in. The people you want to reach read it.

HELP WANTED.

IF there is anyone in need of a situation they should look for your advertisement.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call at 30 Washington avenue. 23 2

FOR RENT.

SQUARE piano to let. Terms $2 per month. 65 Grandview avenue. 5 17tf

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—At North avenue depot Sunday night, a bundle of clothes. $5 reward for return of same to Fred. C Longbury, 19 Plainfield avenue.

FOUND—Money. Apply to Rev. F. Koechli at 26 Sidney street, North Plainfield.

FOR SALE.

$190 Five-eighth piano for sale. In use three months. Good as new. J. H. Buckley, 15 East Front street. (upp'r) 5 21tf

$120 will ride this Bostonyrel pneumatic tire. Eleven's, 20 dozen; as stated. 18-6*

$65 INSTALLMENTS will buy a $125 high grade bicycle, guaranteed in perfect running order. Address Geo. W. Morrison. 17 6

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased on Grant avenue, Grandview and Orchard. Address R. F. W. Cook, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to E. G. Mulford, real estate broker. Call and see them. 500 feet from the new depot. 2 19tf

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Seven room house. New bath in same. No. 30 Pearl street. Inquire No. 15 Pearl street. 20-3

FOR SALE—For want of use, a Babcock phaeton, nearly new. Also a set of ride curtains and roll comfortable. Address Box 1, or E. Cogrove, 31 Hillside avenue. 17 6

$110 WILL buy a good new 1892 Rapid Pneumatic bicycle; diamond frame; cushion tires; ball bearings throughout and guaranteed from all breakages for one year. Address Geo. W. Morrison. 17 6

THE way to let the people know you have property for sale is to put that fact right under their noses.

TAKE NOTICE—I will oppose the property of one Richardson for sale for storage, on June 3, 1892. T. J. Carey. 19 19

MISCELLANEOUS.

A GENTLEMAN and wife would like to make an arrangement to care for a home this Summer, during the absence of the owners. Good references given. Address "Advertiser," care of Evening News. 21 2

CHRYSANTHEMUMS, 50 sorts, pompons and large blooms, at Dreier's Hillside greenhouses. 21 7

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order, bought and sold. Call Furniture store, 11 Somerset street. 2 20tf

SECURE your tickets for the Columbian Fair. For particulars apply at Murray's. 5 7tf

READINGS BY
MISS MAUDE AGNES BOWERS,
and
MISS GERTRUDE MARCHAND,
Assisted by Mrs. C. B. Brooks, Miss A. Cortes, Mrs. H. G. Thomson, Miss Grace Cowperthwait, Mr. Thomson, Miss Annie Murphy, Miss Caroline Bells.

A Series of
Greek Tableaux,
and a Quartette from the Elizabeth Glee Club,
At the Casino, May 27.
Tickets 75, on sale at Reynolds' pharmacy, 5 and 10.

Decoration Day to the Mountains.

EXCURSION
to
Manck Chunk,
Glen Onoko,
and the finest switchbacks, via Central Railroad of New Jersey, the Fast Rocking R. R. Co.
Monday, May 30th.
Train will leave Plainfield for Manch Chunk, Glen Onoko and switchbacks at 8.57 a. m. Fare for round trip $1.75. Switchback, 25 cents extra. 21 2 and

Pawnbroker's
Auction Sale!
TO-NIGHT!
and every night until goods are sold, at corner Front street and Madison avenue.

Bargains for All!

AT THE CASINO,
Tuesday, May 24, at 8 o'Clock,
on evening with
Avon C. Burnham,
of Brooklyn, N. Y., assisted by his pupil
Miss Emma Van Rensselaer Wilson,
in dramatic, humorous and concrete recitals, with an exposition of the Delsarte system and a lesson in physical culture adapted to ladies.

Mrs. J. C. Richter, pianist.
Master Walter Barnett Burnham, Violin.

Tickets—admitting gentleman and lady—$1.

For sale at Central, Randolph's, Reynolds' and Hoy's pharmacies. 19 19tf

REFORM HALL,
the
Jubilee Concert
in aid of the
Muhlenberg Hospital
which was to have been given last evening, is
POSTPONED
to
TO-NIGHT
Tickets already purchased will be good for Monday's set trial concert. 20 2tf

AUCTION SALE!
Of superior furniture, carpets, etc., at Plainfield avenue, near Somerset street, on the late house of ex-Mayor John H. Evans, on
Thursday, May 26th,
at 10 o'clock a. m.
Black walnut 5 piece suit, hair mattresses, good feather beds, bolsters and pillows, springs, counterpanes, writing desk and bookcase combined, oak sideboard, oak extension table, chairs and rockers, parlor suit, brussels carpets, 4-4 oil cloth, 9x12 ft. brussels carpet, 9x12 ft. ingrain carpet, 9x12 ft. W. Wilton carpet, 9x12 ft. tapestry carpet, 4-4 oil cloth, 9x12 ft. oil cloth, 9x12 ft. linoleum, 9x12 ft. matting, 9x12 ft. rug, 9x12 ft. rug, 9x12 ft. rug

EDITORIAL NOTES

"Anything but horse cars" is the popular cry on the question of transit in cities.

Victoria, British Columbia, is getting rich off the Chinese that land there, pay the poll tax of fifty dollars a head to the city government and then off to the wilderness to be smuggled across the border into the United States. For the month of April the revenue accruing to Victoria from this Chinese poll tax amounted to $16,000. We get the Chinese and British Columbia gets their money.

A French chemist informs California orange growers that they do not yet know how to utilize their product. From the flowers of the bitter or wild orange is extracted in France neroli, and neroli is the basis of cologne and some other perfumes. There is also extracted from the leaves a substance which is used to adulterate the neroli. Perhaps the reason that French and German cologne is superior to that made in America is that here chemists do not use the neroli as the foreign cologne makers do.

At this, the time of year for constructing roads and paths in grounds about dwelling houses, and also public highways, it is of use to remember that an excellent way to make such road or path is to dig down slightly, so as to give a foundation of one foot in depth. Fill this foot of space with broken stone and cover the stone thickly with gravel or cement. The road should have a moderate crown in the middle, so that water may drain off to the sides. Then alongside the road or path set carefully a thick grass sod. Water and pack it till it takes firm root. Then see that there every day or so and see how handsome your road is.

An Idea from the King of Siam.

A hot weather invention that emanated from the brain of his black majesty Somdetch Phra Paramindr Maha Khonlalonkorn I, king of Siam, is worth repeating in the hot weather days that are approaching in America. King Khonlalonkorn has had constructed for himself a water tight glass house. It reveals through its sides when it is submerged all the fishes and queer creatures of the sea, and the sea serpent disports around it in his innocent gambols in the green waters. Ventilating pipes lead from the glass house upward to a sufficient distance.

When Khonlalonkorn's wives get quarreling so that life ceases to be worth living, and the cares of state press upon his noble brow unduly, and his treasurer cannot meet the debts that have been incurred to supply the king's little luxuries, then Khonlalonkorn gets into his glass house, puts in there eating, drinking, smoking materials and French novels, closes the water tight door and bids his menials let go the house and drop it into the inward parts of the great waters. There, all nice and cool Khonlalonkorn reposes in underwater refuge and waits till the clouds roll by.

It is to be hoped his majesty will bring his underwater glass house to America with him when he comes to the World's fair, so that Mr. Jay Gould and the new president of the United States, also the one armed man, who married eight wives, may take pattern from it.

The Model Apartment House.

The real model living for the working people of cities will come when rapid transit has made sufficient progress to let each man live in a cottage in the country, and have a little yard and garden of his own. But it will be years before that stage of civilization is reached, and meantime the working people of cities and large towns are being more and more exceedingly crowded.

Among the various ways that have been devised for their relief, none will effect it like the co-operative kitchen which should furnish cooked food to the residents of a modern apartment house at rates as cheap as they could buy the raw material and cook it for themselves. The trouble with all the experiments of this kind hitherto made is that the food is too expensive for persons of even moderate means to buy it and thus do away with the flat kitchen. Yet every flat house might do exactly this. The house that accommodated ten families might have a great kitchen at the top or in the basement—an airy, exquisitely clean place under the charge of an accomplished cook. The food could be delivered to each flat at the proper hours by the dumb waiter, which now is bedraggled by the hundreds of little parcels hurled upon it by that unmitigated nuisance of flat housekeeping, the grocer boy.

By buying supplies in quantity, by cooking in the best manner, so that nothing would be wasted, and by looking after small leakages, certainly food could be supplied in the way mentioned to the satisfaction and profit of all concerned. Then if to the rest were added a general laundry, to be used in turn by the various families, the satisfaction would be increased. The inconvenient little flat kitchen with its odors and smell of fried onions and its unpleasant laundry mats would all be dispensed with. The best part of the house would be left and the worst part would be done away

DEEMING IS DEAD

Rainhill's Inhuman Monster Pays the Death Penalty.

HE TOTTERS TO HIS DOOM.

Like a Craven the Fiend Faces the Scaffold.

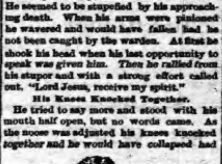
He Slays at Least Four Children and Two Women with Cold Blooded Coolness, but When He Feels the Icy Breath of Death Upon His Face He Is Overcome with Fear and Is Almost Carried to the Place of Execution—To the Very End He Persists That He Is Insane and Call Himself "Poor Mad Fred"—Remarkable Criminal Career of the Man Whom Many Believe Was None Other Than "Jack the Ripper."

MELBOURNE, May 23.—Frederick Bayley Deeming was hanged at 10:01 a. m. Monday. Seventy reporters and physicians witnessed the execution, and outside the prison wall thousands waited for hours to watch the black flag, the signal that all was over.

When Deeming was led into the yard and up to the gallows everybody was surprised to see that he was not chained, as had been expected. He walked unsteadily between the guards and several times tottered as if about to fall. His face was ashen and he shook like a man with the palsy. Several times when the chaplain spoke to him encouragingly in an undertone Deeming parted his lips to reply, but he uttered no sound. He seemed to be stupefied by his approaching death. When his arms were pinioned he wavered and would have fallen had he not been caught by the warden. At first he shook his head when his last opportunity to speak was given him, but he rallied from his stupor and with a strong effort called out. "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit."

His Knees Knocked Together.

He tried to say more and stood with his mouth half open, but no words came. As the noose was adjusted his knees knocked together and he would have collapsed had



FRED B. DEEMING.

he not been supported until he was swung into midair. He died without a struggle and almost instantly. The body, after being cut down, was taken in charge by the prison physician who will superintend the post-mortem examination into the structure of the skull and brain. Deeming's conduct at the last was a surprise to all who have been near him since he was sentenced. Sunday evening he seemed to realize for the first time that all hope was gone. Before then, despite occasional fits of despondency, he had told the prison officials that he was not born, to be hanged, and that he would get out yet and "make it hot for his persecutors." Shortly after supper Sunday evening he called to the keeper and asked anxiously, "Do you think it all up with me?" "This is your last night, Deeming," was the reply, "and you had better talk to your God instead of me."

Deeming was silent for several minutes and then inquired, hesitantly for the chaplain, "I have been a wild fellow," he said, "and have sinned enough to be pardoned, God knows, but I am not bad as they have made me out. Only to think that poor, crazy Fred should die on the gallows."

When the chaplain came Deeming was crying. He said he wished to review the sins of his past life and to have the chaplain pray with him for forgiveness. He said he had been a good-for-nothing fellow and had injured most of the persons he had met in life. "But the only murder I ever committed," he protested, "was when I killed Emily Mather, if I did kill her. I was crazy when I did it, and the man who swore away my life at the trial have more to answer for than I."

Sorry for Miss Rounceovell.

The chaplain read prayers with Deeming and Deeming took down his Bible and read a chapter. Afterward he grew more calmer and was talking about his affection for Miss Rounceovell when the chaplain left. He spoke a letter to Miss Rounceovell and another to Mr. Lyle, his lawyer. He told the keeper that the heaviest burden on his conscience was that he had ruined the young woman's life by his notoriety he had brought upon her. Deeming went to bed at 10 o'clock and went to sleep almost immediately. He did not awake until 5 o'clock. He took out his Bible and read in supplications, then ate heartily and drank six or seven cups of coffee. At 7 o'clock he began to be nervous and called the keeper, saying he wished to free his mind. It was then thought that the long expected confession was coming. Instead, however, Deeming began reiterating his story of his irresponsibility at the time of the murder of Miss Mather. "The people of Melbourne are laughing me," he said. "The judge and the jury and even those perjured doctors are not the guilty ones. The people wished to lynch me and they raised such a clamor that nobody could tell the truth. I have not been a good man, but I never committed a crime in a sane moment."

Deeming then wandered off incoherently into contradictory statements in regard his relations to Miss Mather, at one time saying she was still living in Australia and at another time that he might have killed her in a fit of forgetfulness.

He Cried Like a Child.

While preparations were making to take him out to the scaffold he became a pitiable figure. He cringed and cowered in a corner of his cell, first taking down his Bible, then throwing it from him, muttering to himself, and then speaking hastily and incoherently to the chaplain. As the door opened to let him out he burst into tears and begged for a few moments' respite. When this was refused his head apparently sank into a stupor. He made one or two attempts to speak and then relaxed from all effort, allowing himself to be led out, half carried from the building. The chaplain said subsequently that in all his experiences he had not seen a more broken creature.

Mr. Lyle, Deeming's lawyer, says he has not decided what to do with Deeming's autobiography. He has not yet had time to read much of the manuscript and what he has read has led him to think that it has been done to bolster a true narrative. The spelling and writing are bad, he says, and there is evidently so much incoherent plot, nothing in the work that he fears nobody will be willing to undertake the financial risk of publishing it. The result of the post mortem examination of Deeming's brain will not be known probably for several days.

Frederick Bayley Deeming was one of the most versatile and bloodthirsty wretches in the history of the world's crime. That part of his career which led immediately to his arrest, trial and death began in the year 1891, in Rainhill, a suburb of Liverpool, on July 21, 1891. He then took lodgings under the name of Williams at the Commercial hotel in that village and shortly began paying court to Miss Emily Mather, whom he subsequently married. He rented Dobson villa, on the outskirts of the village during his courtship, and there received a woman and four young children, who disappeared shortly before his marriage to Miss Mather.

After the wedding Deeming and his wife took a short wedding journey and Oct. 17 they sailed for Australia. They went to live in a house in Windsor, a suburb of Melbourne. There on Dec. 24, nine days after their arrival, he killed his young wife and buried her under the floor. He then disappeared. About ten weeks later, when new tenants moved into the house, there was a peculiar odor was noticed, the floor was taken up and the body of Mrs. Deeming was found. Marks on her head and neck showed that she had been killed by blows.

When this news reached Rainhill the police tore up the floor of Dobson villa to satisfy their suspicions that the woman and four children who had been seen there with Deeming might have suffered the same fate as did Emily Mather. They found under the floor, which had been relaid and cemented, the bodies of the woman and children. The woman was his wife, one Maria James, whom he married at Rangiora in 1891, and the children were his own. Deeming was caught near Perth in Australia late in March after he had advertised through a matrimonial agency, and had made arrangements to marry Miss Roncevell in Perth.

After his arrest and incarceration in Melbourne a number more or less evidence was found tending to connect Deeming with dozens of heinous crimes, including those of "Jack the Ripper," and a man who knew him well in Melbourne came forward with proof that Deeming while there had written to the Eddowes woman, one of the Whitechapel victims. The exact truth of the charges was not and never will be ascertained, as Deeming was tried, convicted, sentenced and hanged for the killing of Emily Mather only. An idea of the number of crimes attributed to him as well as his whole remarkable career since 1891 may be gathered from the condensed statement:

As Frederick Bayley Deeming.

1891—Feb.—Married Miss Marie James at St. Paul's church, Rigsby Tranmere. Went soon to Australia.

1892—Joined by his wife. Sent to jail for six weeks for theft.

1894—Summoned in bank robberies took place in Sydney, the perpetrators not being detected.

1895—More robberies, burglaries, mysterious disappearance and tragedies.

1896—Sets up shop in Melbourne as auctioneer, a fraudulent bankruptcy and absconds from Sydney.

1897—Flies from Adelaide to Belle Town after robbing two brothers of £20.

1891—Nothing known of him. During the year and a half the Whitechapel murders were perpetrated.

1892—Poses in Durban as a mining engineer and obtains £250 by fraud.

June—Has £1,500 advanced to him in Durban on bogus diamonds, stolen £200 worth of jewelry and decamps. About the same time two murders were committed in the Transvaal, the murderer escaping.

July 11—The eighth Whitechapel murder.

Aug. 31—Is in Cape Town and is robbed.

September—Turned up unexpectedly in Stirling, England, where his wife was living.

October—Is traced by a private detective to Perth, wants him for the Transvaal robberies.

November—Sails for Australia. Leaving the vessel at Port Said, he doubles on his pursuers and returns to Birkenhead.

As Harry Lawson.

1890, Feb. 18.—Marries Miss Emily Mather at Rainhill.

March 15—Regains jewelry by false pretenses at Hull.

March 16—Sails from Southampton for South America.

April 7—Arrested at Montevideo.

Oct. 16—Tried at Hull assizes and sentenced to nine months' imprisonment.

1891, July 16—Liberated from Hull jail.

July 19—Lands in Liverpool at Prescton, near Hull, the murderer escaping.

July 21—Makes his first appearance in Rainhill.

July 22—Has tea at the Commercial hotel with a dark lady, who turns out to be his wife, Mrs. Deeming, of Barkhead.

July 23—Lunches at the hotel with his wife. Is introduced and accompanied to Seaton by Miss Mather, a fortnight afterward.

July 26—Marries Miss Emily Mather at Rainhill.

Oct. 17—Sails with his wife from London to Australia.

Nov. 27—Miss Mather's last letter posted on the way out at Colombo.

Dec. 24—Miss Mather murdered.

At Swanston.

1892—Jan.—Applied for another wife in a Melbourne matrimonial agency. Goes to Perth and is accepted by Miss Rounceovell at Perth, Western Australia.

Feb.—Wrote to Miss Mathews at Beverley, requesting a previously made request that she meet him in London.

March 8—Arrested on the eve of his marriage to Miss Rounceovell.

Deeming's defense at his trial was insanity, but in their verdict the jury found expressly that he was sane. Subsequently Deeming confessed to the prison chaplain that he killed Mrs. Mather-Deeming, but he did not remember any of the circumstances. Deeming was about forty-five years old and of a respectable English family. The diary of his life, written by him in prison, he left with his other effects to his lawyer, Mr. Lyle, with instructions that one-tenth of the proceeds of the publication of the autobiography be given to Miss Rounceovell.

Restoring Columbus' House.

Rome, May 23.—The Columbus house on the Via Gurlitta, Pontinelli, is being restored. Professor Tarsorio has provided this inscription in latin: "No house is more worthy of note than this, within whose walls Columbus passed his youth."

Lovers Fight a Duel.

Newberne, S. C., May 23.—Grover Mason and William Farrow were rivals in love. They met and then and there began a cross fire with pistols. When Farrow fell mortally wounded, Aaron Jones, a spectator, fell dead from heart disease.

THE BIG BLAINE BOOM.

Politicians May Force the Nomination Upon Him.

HE HAS MADE HIS LAST DENIAL.

Report from an Apparently Authoritative Source That the Secretary of State Will Run for the Presidency if the Leadership Comes to Him at Minneapolis.

New York, May 23.—The World says: "By far the most important piece of news in the political world is the semi-official announcement that Mr. Blaine is to be nominated at Minneapolis next month whether he consents to it or not. The plan of the anti-Harrison leaders is to go ahead and nominate Mr. Blaine, and then let him take the responsibility of declining and of asking his party in a strait if he chooses to do so. They do not believe that he will do this; hence their determination to force the nomination on him.

The decision to nominate Mr. Blaine, in spite of anything he may say to the contrary, was definitely made after the conference between General Clarkson and Mr. Platt in this city Friday. The proposition was first seriously discussed over two weeks ago at the conference between Quay, Camden, Platt and other anti-Harrison men in Washington.

Agreed Upon at Detroit.

Since then these gentlemen have been in communication with prominent Republican leaders throughout the country. The idea, it is said, met with very general approval. The conference at General Alger's house in Detroit last Wednesday night was for the purpose of bringing about this same matter.

As Mr. Platt is believed to be the one who suggested it originally, he naturally stood ready to ratify the agreement when Mr. Clarkson communicated the result of the Detroit conference to him.

"All that can prevent Blaine's nomination now," said one of the leaders, "is his death or total disability. Nothing that he can say in advance of or during the convention will stop it. The convention will nominate him, and if he persists in declining the actual tender of the nomination if he does not wish to run. No man has ever declined a formal nomination for president, and if he does Mr. Blaine will establish a precedent in that line. If he does, he will be open to the charge of cowardice, and he must also bear the blame for the defeat of his party if they lose the campaign with any other man."

Blaine's Last Denial.

Cincinnati, May 23.—The Enquirer prints the following dispatch from its Washington correspondent which, in view of the warm social relations between Mr. Blaine and Mr. John R. McLean, may be considered significant:

"The convention to be held in Minneapolis on the 7th day of next June will nominate James G. Blaine for the office of president of the United States. Ever since the name of Blaine has been connected with the nomination, its mention required only his consent. Up to within forty-eight hours ago this was withheld. It is no longer withheld.

"Mr. Blaine has spoken to this extent: 'I will do nothing to prevent my nomination. I have made my last denial.' And I can say likewise, that if nominated, Mr. Blaine will make the race. He will consider it his duty. The nomination nor run away from it. If called upon to lead he throws the magic of his name and fame to the foremost front."

Opposed to the Presidency.

New York, May 23.—The Press says: General J. S. Clarkson unconditionally favors the nomination of James G. Blaine for president, at the next national convention this formidable army of Republican leaders will be found opposing the renomination of the president: Ex-Senator C. Platt and ex-Senator Warner Miller, Senators Quay, Cameron, Gallinger, Jones, Washburne, Stockbridge, Pettigrew, Wolcott and Dixon, ex-Speaker Reed, Judge J. M. Thurston, General R. A. Alger, ex-Governor J. B. Foraker, General Mahone, Congressmen Boutelle and Milliken, Henry Cabot Lodge and many others who believe that Mr. Blaine should be nominated if he does not expressly forbid it, and that if he does a new man should be chosen.

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Bold Attempt at Train Wrecking.

Des Moines, Ia., May 23.—An attempt was made to hold up and rob the vestibuled train over the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific. They were fired on as the train left the main line engaged in a track laying job. The train was stopped by a track walker before it struck the obstruction. The track walker had been fired upon by the would be robbers.

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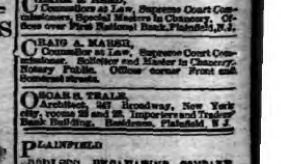

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NEW YORK, May 23.—The great relay bicycle race from Chicago to New York ended at 1:05 a. m. Monday. The last relay wheelmen were, therefore, nearly fourteen hours late, as the time scheduled for their arrival was 11:35 a. m. The trip took 4 days, 12 hours, 4 minutes and 48 seconds.

J. Lansing Quick, the substitute of W. S. Campbell, bore the package, which was immediately delivered to Lieutenant Treat, of General Howard's staff, who bore the message to Governor's island.

Quick reported that Campbell's machine broke down just after leaving Yonkers. The riders were covered with mud. When Campbell broke down Quick took the message and hurried along through the mud and darkness alone, the escort, A. B. Rich, having also come to grief. Word was received that Quick was alone, and J. Clements, who was out to meet the messengers, accompanied Quick to this city.

Welcomed by a Crowd.

Notwithstanding the lateness of the hour, a large crowd was waiting at 21 Park row, where the race was finished. Shouts announced that the riders were coming down Broadway, and, as they turned the postoffice, willing hands seized the mud bespattered and wearied messengers and carried them inside. From Albany down the relays who carried the message or accompanied as substitutes were: Albany to Kinderhook, 20½ miles, Frank G. Silvers and James Bradford; to Hudson, 13¼ miles, George Angus and James C. Kenholt; to Hine Stores, 11½ miles, John C. Miller and C. P. Heminc; to Redhood, 10 miles, C. P. Benson and William Petry; to Stantsburg, 10 miles, John Van Deusbaten and A. H. Bell; to Poughkeepsie, W. H. Iris and Theodore W. Roberts; to Wappinger's Falls, divided by Poughkeepsie Bicycle club with the following riders: Elias Von Rhuschotten, Robert G. Gunn, A. H. Bullard, Arthur Smith, Thomas Nugent; to Cold Spring, Edward Morloe; to Garrison, Edward Crosbie; to Peekskill, Irving Hallowell; to Tarrytown, 15 miles, Tarrytown to New York city, 25 miles, W. A. Campbell and J. Lansing Quick.

Though the message has arrived so much behind the scheduled time, the race has not proved a failure by any means. It has demonstrated that with fine weather and good roads the bicycle can be made to play an important part in the service of the army. It is said another race with time will be started from Chicago soon, with hope of better weather. The dispatch which the riders conveyed is of itself of no importance.

Through the Driving Rain.

All day yesterday relays of swift and hardy wheelmen sped through driving sheets of rain, over roads that were made all but impassable by the storms of the last few days, bearing a dispatch from General Nelson A. Miles at Chicago to General O. O. Howard in this city.

It was the last day of the great relay bicycle race, the first important experiment of the kind in this country, which was intended to demonstrate the superiority of the bicycle over the horse in carrying military dispatches. The long race started at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from Chicago and it was hoped to complete the distance of 1,000 miles to this city in 100 hours.

Since Wednesday it has rained incessantly along the route and consequently the roads have been so heavy as to seriously impede the progress of the wheelmen, and this fact and a number of minor accidents have contributed to make the time a trifle slower than was expected.

All along the route great public interest has been manifested in the experiment, and in all the towns and cities through which they passed the cyclists have been greeted by enthusiastic crowds, who, in many cases, waited for hours in the rain to cheer the racers.

The ride down from Albany was made under the most discouraging circumstances through torrents of rain, and the roads were for the most part little better than marshes, but the picked cyclists of the Hudson Valley clubs fought their way manfully on, and as each relay finished its task the riders were rewarded with cheers.

The Great Washington Meet.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The local division of the League of American Wheelmen has completed arrangements for entertaining their guests during the annual meet here in July. The hotel committee has provided accommodation for 5,000 persons. The programme includes a reception Saturday, July 16, convention Monday; serenade Monday evening to officers of the league and members of the Congressional Brigade club, Representative Jerry Simpson, president; grand parade Tuesday morning, reviewed by President Harrison; races Tuesday afternoon on Marshall island; excursion to Marshall Hall on Tuesday evening; close of races Wednesday afternoon; grand "smoker," speeches and fireworks Wednesday night.

"Hub" Collins Is Dead.

BROOKLYN, May 23.—Hubert Collins, the well known baseball player and member of the Brooklyn league team, died at 580 State street of typhoid fever. He leaves a widow and one child.

One Hundred and Twenty-five Wounds.

St. Marys, O., May 23.—Young Fibin, who was shot while attempting to rob the residence of John Ryan, is dying. He has 125 shot holes in him.

John Doyle's Body Found.

BAYONNE, N. J., May 23.—The body of John Doyle, who disappeared from Bayonne Feb. 25, was found in Newark bay, near Elizabeth bay.

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HER PRESENCE.

I long in vain by day, but when the night
With all its fervent stars the world can spy,
And vagrant fireflies like a meteor flit by,
Then seek me in the tender waning light,
And stir beside me there; a Presence will be near
Her eyes open for me, her deep lips sigh,
But if to clasp her cold soft hands I try
The shadows deepen and she fades from sight.

O lost and dear!—by what strange, devious way
Does she escape? for fain I her would flee
From all the hollow pageantry of life,
And with her through immortal meadows stray.
The free winds mock my quest, stars laugh to see,
And I wait helpless till Death end the strife.
—Louise Chandler Moulton in Atlantic.

WOMEN'S CLUBS IN THE WEST.

Possible Results of an Extremely Curious Social Development.

In Indianapolis there are forty women's clubs. Every woman met on the street has a book under her arm and is on her way to the club. Incidentally she may step in and do some shopping, as one of the necessities of domestic life. But her real occupation is the improvement of her mind. The Propylaeum, a new variety of Greek temple, was built by the women of Indianapolis and dedicated by them to art and literature.

What the women of Indianapolis have done women are doing in every town and hamlet throughout the south and west. There have been periods before of feminine unrest, but never one so widespread, so powerful, so cheerfully optimistic. The women in smaller towns, who used to drag the monotony through their work and wearily feel the tugging of children at their apron strings, now get up and make the domestic machinery hum, pack the children off to school and kindergarten, so that they can sit down in quiet and get up their papers on the Homeric epoch, Literature in the reign of Louis XIV., or on the comparative influences of environment and heredity.

As it happens this sudden thirst for knowledge and culture does not come from the east and New England. The most potent influence has been the cabalistic alphabetical W. C. T. U. Mental culture alone is not sufficient to offer women from the toils of household routine. Only the emotions as they are involved in questions of morality and religion can do this. It was this service that the W. C. T. U. did through the churches in every part of the country, but with a thoroughness in the west and south of which the east has no knowledge.

The W. C. T. U. taught women the value of organization and how to organize. Once in active participation in public matters, women felt their deficiencies and set about repairing them.

The ferment spread; other women outside of the temperance organizations caught the spirit. However crude, however superficial may have been their papers and discussions on literature and art, no one can ever know, except through like experience, what refreshment and up lifting they have brought to women on whom the merely personal, selfish life had hitherto crowded and pressed.

In one place the organization is a travel club, which by the use of stereopticon or a speck on the prairie, with the aid of photographs and books it voyages up the Nile, wanders through old London streets, or journeys through the Italy of the Caesars or of the Renaissance. In another town it studies different literary periods or different phases of art. Human relations, natural history, psychology, political economy, botany have their votaries in villages of a thousand souls.

This is regarded as a frenzy for knowledge by many unsympathetic men. But it's a frenzy not to be treated lightly. It is a question on which she is well up.

This enthusiasm for knowledge has not proved a mere passing fancy. It has not waned. On the contrary, it has spread and deepened. In almost every state there has resulted a central organization in which the clubs of the state are represented. There is also a national federation of clubs. There is a social side to the club. In bringing women together on congenial grounds it has broken down the barriers of caste and class. New friendships and alliances have been contested on the ground of kindred tastes and sympathies.

Clubs visit one another in neighboring towns, and mental kinships are enlarged. These results are of incalculable benefit to women remote from large centers of population, and without opportunities of travel.

In the meantime, while acquiring knowledge they are acquiring powers of thought and expression. Club exercises teach them to think on their feet.

The western newspapers are beginning to discuss seriously the influence of the women's clubs as a factor in the developments of the men of the future. That it is now impossible for the men of the present to catch up is granted, but the hope is expressed that these women will bring up their sons to lay more stress on the advantages of knowledge and wider culture than do their fathers. The women themselves do not seem to be concerned for future generations. On the other hand, they seem to feel that hereafter they are going to take a more active part in public affairs, and they are getting a good ready.—New York Evening Sun.

Power of a Love Letter.

Mrs. Seymour Howells tells this story: "In Washington territory we needed just one more vote in the legislature to give us the right of suffrage. The only man we had any hope of was one whose wife had almost persuaded him. When the roll call came, and just about the time this man's name was to be called, a man who was fighting the bill took a stand by his side. His wife was one of those very few hopes of getting him to change his vote, and said: 'No; I have said everything I could say to him.' 'Write to him,' suggested some one. 'Write a love letter.' And this is what she said to him:

"'My darling, if you love me vote for woman suffrage.'

"That love letter carried the day. He was just about to cast his vote when the note reached him. He opened it, read it, and then in a voice that rang through the chambers, said:

"'Mr. Speaker, I vote aye!'

"Girls, try love letters. They have a great power over men."—Kansas City Times.

Mothers at a Doll's Tea Party.

Let the mother, when she is invited to a doll's tea party, lay aside her book or work and go in earnest, as if it were a real party. She will enjoy it, and that is the most welcome guest—that even the doll does not receive half so much attention. Let her put herself aside and enter into the life of the child, and she will find a doll's party a delightful occasion, the flavor of the "crystal tea" much superior to the finest Flowery Pekoe. It takes so little to make a child happy. A smile, a caress, a two minute story, a song that can be crooned while the mother goes on with her sewing or ironing or what not. Try it.—New York Advertiser.

We Have a Height Lamp.

In these days when lamps are used so much the care of them is quite an important matter. If the lamps be good and have proper attention they will give a very much satisfactory light; but if badly cared for they will be a source of much discomfort. The great secret of having lamps in good working order is to keep them clean and to use good oil. Have a regular place and time for trimming the lamps. Put a folded newspaper on the table, so that any little oil that may be spilled will not injure it. Wash and wipe the chimneys and shades. Now take off all loose parts of the burner, washing them in hot soapy suds and wiping with a clean, soft cloth.

Trim the wicks and turn them quite low. With a soft, wet cloth, well soaped, wipe the burner thoroughly, working the cloth as much as possible inside the burner to get off every particle of the charred wick. Now fill the lamps within about one inch from the top, and wipe with a damp towel and then a dry one. Adjust all the parts and then return them to their proper places. Whenever a new wick is required in a lamp, wash and scald the burner before putting in the wick. With a standard lamp, the responsible for waste oil, which is found on the bottom of the burner, should be taken off at least once a week and washed.

A Suggestion.—A wick will get very dark and dirty before it is half consumed. It is not economy to try to burn it; replace it with a fresh one. The trouble and expense are slight and the increase in cleanliness and brilliancy will repay the extra care. When a lamp is lighted it should not at once be turned up to the full height; wait until the chimney is heated. Beautiful shades are often cracked or broken by having the hot chimneys rest against them. Now, when lighting a lamp be careful that the chimney is set perfectly straight and does not touch the shade at any point. The shade should be placed on the lamp as soon as it is lighted, that it may heat gradually.—Maria Parloa in Ladies' Home Journal.

A Word to Mothers.

Dr. Neary, a well known Methodist preacher in the southern Alleghany mountains, used to tell many pathetic anecdotes of the eagerness with which the adult negro grasped into the schools established for the children of the freedmen after the civil war.

On one occasion, going into the cabin where the school was held, he found the foremost bench occupied by a row of white haired old people, each mumbling over an alphabet card. The teacher, a young girl, looked on in dismay. He touched an old man on the shoulder.

"You are at a good work, Uncle Ben. But at your age—is it worth while?"

Uncle Ben cast a contemptuous glance at the benches full of children.

"Ef yoh was a gyardener like me, doctah, you'd know dat de ole peach trees was de best foh bearin, an yoh wouldn't waste all yoh manure on de young shoots!"

The old negro's boast had in it sound reason.

In one of our large seaboard cities, the plan of university extension lectures and classes, so long in use in England, was tried.

Experts in different branches of knowledge delivered courses of short lectures on the subjects in the schoolgirls' ordinary literary subjects. Their most eager hearers were educated women past middle age, who lives had long been devoted to their children.

One of the women said: "At sixty the world opens before me fuller and more beautiful every day! There is so much for me to do for myself! and for my friends!"

In all my churches which have come under my supervision, says Edward Atkinson, the blackboard was a little refined browned off as a defogger. On inquiry I also discovered that skilful managers of laundries put a little refined oil into their water for washing. Kerosene oil is one of the purest of carbonaceous substances, so nature tells us, and is a powerful antiseptic; unpleasant only from its bad odor.

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Cleopatra.

Of Cleopatra we have no adequate material portrait, nothing but representations on coins and gems, which are neither satisfactory nor conclusive. But this matters not. Plutarch tells us that her beauty, without being indescribable, was most attractive, her face charming, her whole person full of grace. Dion Cassius adds that her voice was melodious and of intricate evolutions, and that stronger attraction is there in woman than the charm of voice, that sense of gifts, which holds the hearer spellbound and enchained? Plutarch tells us that she was a master of kings, empress of genius, most erudite lady initiated into the mysteries of old Egypt, builder of temples and palaces. Rival of Isis, queen.

History represents her as the superb heroine of the most dramatic love romance of antiquity. Just as the names of empires have taken their place among those names, magnificent and voluptuous, the harmonic grouping of whose syllables suggested the sound of waves, of lutes, of arms, visions, and evokes the souvenir of deBelous phantoms, glorified in turn by legend, art and history. Cleopatra the name of one of the most strange and strongly accented by the sense of sensuality, of the woman born to charm men—Eve, Lilith, Delilah, Salome, Helen, Aspasia, Theodora.

Of the blood, nerves, soul of atoms that formed these creatures there resulted something ideal, which remains in the memories of poets and haunts the memory of mankind. Cleopatra, the name which concentrate all our vague conceptions of beauty, grace, seductive charm; to our imagination Cleopatra's head bearers appear most triumphant ladies. Perhaps, as Shakespeare says, Cleopatra was a most disloyal lady; but what matters her disloyalty? Age cannot wither her, nor custom stale her infinite variety. The poets cannot forget her glory.—Theodore Child in Harper's Bazar.

Competent Wives Supplied.

Some incomious individual, or rather company of clever individuals, has started a bureau for the supplying of wives who shall be perfectly competent in every branch of domestic art and guaranteed by diploma to accomplish the various duties of housemaiding in a perfect and artistic manner. This happy inspiration, which will fill a long felt need, has its birthplace in Edinburgh, and emanates from a school of cookery there established. Washing, cooking, cleaning, dressmaking, darning, patching, millinery, the keeping of accounts and nursing comprise the curriculum, and the pupil is guaranteed to turn out the finished wife in twenty weeks.

It is unfortunate that as yet no way has been decided on to test the wife's class by practical experience how to make and adjust ice poultices, the ethics of the husband's disposition and how to manage it, the science, philosophical and logical method of arguing on with the relatives at the husband and master. Doubtless astute women will be made for a chair in this special department.—New York Sun.

TO LIGHTEN KITCHEN DRUDGERY.

Housework Should Be Used to Harmonize Nerves Prone to Pets and Fleas.

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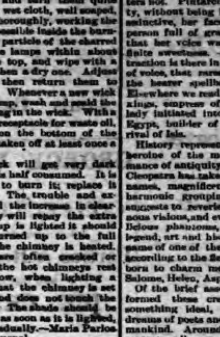
A Design in Embroidery.



A HANDSOME CURTAIN.

The Royal School of Art Needlework is just now holding, at South Kensington, their annual exhibition of the year's work. We give here, reproduced from Harper's Bazar, a design for a curtain shown there. The ground is a delicate green-gray silk. The bold floriated design is solidly worked in graduated shades of silk, in subdued blues and olive, with a little Japanese gold introduced in the stems and tendrils. The whole effect is rich indeed.

THAT TROUBLESOME RUG.

How It Can Be Cured of Constantly Tripping Everybody.

There are some rugs that will not stay in place, but insist on turning up, tripping the unwary foot and committing all kinds of mischief—making work for the deposed floor-covering may be guilty of. Rugs which are made up from carpeting are often very troublesome and refuse to lie in place until they are thrunk to the floor. In order to shrink such a rug, it must be free from all dust. The floor must then be cleaned as clean as possible and the rug stretched and nailed firmly to the floor; when it is securely down it must be dampened thoroughly and allowed to dry on the floor. The New York Tribune is assured by those who have tried this experiment that it is thoroughly successful and is the only way to make a rug made of carpeting a practical success, when not fastened permanently to the floor.

Two Methods of Making Coffee.

Coffee had been in use in England for about 150 years when Count Rumford published his famous pamphlet in which he lent is frank and crisp reading to-day. He used the porcelain or earthen coffee pot and particularly urged strict care on the top of the pot. Hot water was poured on and allowed to filter through.

An improvement has been made on Count Rumford in submitting a cotton, flannel or linen flannel bag for the perforated diaphragm of earthenware, which abbreviates the time needed to filter. The best pot for making coffee is one in which the pot is round, with a flat bottom, suspended at the top. The best results are produced by having the coffee ground extra fine while it is hot and put into an air-tight receptacle. When a meal of this ground coffee is opened the odor pervades the whole apartment, as the volatile oil has not had a chance to escape.

A Valuable Tonic.

The use of the cold sponge bath is so valuable a tonic that it is now made a part of physical training of women as well as men in our best gymnasiums. After the gymnastic exercises are over and the body is still heated from exercise the young women are sponged off with cold water and afterward rubbed rapidly with friction towels till the body is in a glow, when they lie down to rest for a short period. According to the old received notions which so generally prevail, such a rigorous system as this would be dangerous, yet it is recommended by the very best authorities, and delicate children subjected to such a training demonstrate its advantages by the physical strength and iron vigor they attain.

Strawberry Syrup.

Press the strawberries through a cotton cloth. To a pint of juice put one pound of white sugar, and let them rapidly cook to a boil over a quick fire; skim off any scum that rises, and put up hot in bottles for use. Corks should be thoroughly sealed. Strawberry syrup thus prepared keeps well, and flavors ice cream delightfully, no more sugar being needed when the cream is mixed with the syrup.

Orange Peel.

Orange peel is delicious, and is made thus: To three well-beaten eggs, the whites beaten separately, add the juice of three oranges, a little cinnamon or nutmeg and about a quarter of a cup of sugar. Put all in a double boiler, with the inner one of porcelain, and stir occasionally until it is smooth and as thick as cream. Pour in a glass dish and serve when cold.

How to Keep Cheese.

A piece of cheese cloth squared out in vinegar and wrapped around Swiss cheese will preserve them; and all cheese, whether cream or skim, can be kept from spoiling by putting them in a thick layer of powdered charcoal and covering with charcoal the top also. Cheese should be kept under glass or in tin or earthenware, not in wood.

The charm of all social life is true hospitality, which is independent of wealth, and may shine as much at the humble table of the lowly as at the sumptuous board of the wealthy.

Lard is good for cleaning rusty stoves; kerosene is better.

This Date in History—May 23.

1498—Girolamo Savonarola, reformer, was burned at Florence, but it is claimed that the right hand of the martyr was saved.

1701—Captain Kidd, pirate, was hanged in England after a trial at Admiralty court.

1785—Thomas Lawrence, famous poet and general writer, born in London; died there May 7, 1830; some of his finest productions were written in a debtor's prison, to which misfortune had brought him by breaking confidence in a fellow man.

1820—Sarah Margaret Fuller, author and ethnologist of Cambridge, Mass., born there; married to Marquis Ossoli, drowned, with her husband and son, 1850.

1844—Samuel Finley Breese Morse, inventor of the electric telegraph, sent the first telegraphic message from the Supreme Court room in the capitol at Washington to Baltimore, Md., the words being: "What hath God wrought!"

1873—Charles Sumner, statesman, died in Washington, D. C.; born in Boston, Mass., January 6, 1811.

1878—Rutherford Birchard Hayes, nineteenth president of the United States, died at Fremont, O.; born in Delaware, O., October 4, 1822.

1884—The Army of the Potomac crossed the North Anna, and the first battle on the right and left of that stream occurred.

1891—The United States supreme court decided that execution by electricity is not "cruel" and is therefore constitutional.

"What Dreams May Come."

It was Monday evening that a man went into a Lewiston clubroom and sat down on top of a radiator. It was cold, there being no steam in it. In two minutes he was asleep, leaning back against the wall, his feet dangling over the side of the steam heater. Some of the members saw him and turned on the steam. "It's getting warm here, Mary," he muttered in his sleep, and later, "What's it to the pigs. More of them hard shells?" In another moment he woke up and jumped off the steam heater and went out into the air like a flash. Those who looked from the windows say that he sat down in the snowbank by the sidewalk.—Bangor Commercial.

A Festive Injury.

Old Tramp (affectionately)—How much did yer git, Willie?

Young Tramp—Only a red.

Old Tramp—Nothin? What did you strike 'im for?

New Tramp—Half a dollar.

Old Tramp (admiringly)—Say, Sam, you come in ruinin the business.—Detroit Free Press.

Economical.

Briggs—What has become of your new silk hat, old man?

Griggs—I gave it to the porter of a Pullman car.

Briggs—What did you do that for?

Griggs—It was cheaper to give it to him than to have him brush it.—Clothier and Furnisher.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter	3	3:12 p.m.	Third Quarter	19	2:42 p.m.
Full	11	5:09 p.m.	New	26	5:59 p.m.

UNION COUNTY ORPHANS' COURT.

In the Matter of the Sale of the Lands of Jeremiah Townley, Deceased.

By virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Jeremiah Townley, late of the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union and state of New Jersey, deceased, by the Orphans' Court of the county of Union, on the 4th day of April, A. D., 1892, and by virtue of the power and authority given to me by the last will and testament of the said deceased, I will expose for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the late dwelling house of the said deceased, situate in the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union and state of New Jersey, on Saturday, the 28th day of May, A. D., 1892, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, all the right, title and interest which the said deceased had at the time of his decease, and all that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise acquired other than or in addition to the right, title and interest which the said deceased had at the time of his decease in and to all those certain lots or parcels of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union and state of New Jersey, and bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point in the southeasterly side of Central avenue, distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southeasterly side of Grant street, said point being also the corner of William Townley's land; thence along the southeasterly side of Central avenue south forty-seven degrees and thirty minutes west one hundred feet to a stone in the line of William W. Peck's land; thence along the line of said Peck's land south forty-two degrees, east one hundred and fifty feet to a stone in the line of Grant street; thence along the line of Grant street north forty-seven degrees and thirty minutes east one hundred feet to a stone in the line of William Townley's land; thence along the line of said Townley's land north forty-two degrees and thirty minutes west one hundred and fifty feet to the place of beginning. Containing by estimation twelve thousand, two hundred and seventy-two square feet of land more or less.

WILLIS S. POUND,
Administrator, etc., of Jeremiah Townley, deceased.
Dated April 14, 1892. 4 times'd

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THIRD: **$9.75.**

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The best Summer fabric on sale to-day. Styles are very pretty, and the price is a popular one, 12c.

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We will sell one crate of extra heavy, all linen crash, regular price 15c.

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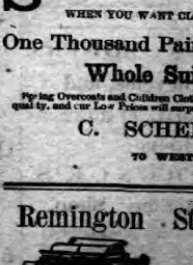

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The Weather.

Warmer and fair, followed by cloudiness and possibly by rain.

BREVITIES

—Special sale for ladies at Samuel Dreier's, West Front street, Wednesday afternoon. For particulars, see advertisement.

—The site for the new Pennsylvania depot at Elizabeth has not been decided on yet. The old depot will stand until the new one is completed.

—A novel entertainment will be given by Prof. Avon C. Burnham, the Bicycle Clubs physical instructor, at the Casino, this evening. For particulars, see advertisement.

—A meeting of the High School alumni will be held in Assembly Hall to-night at eight o'clock, to receive the report of the committee appointed two weeks ago. A large attendance is desired.

—Loyal Temperance Legion will meet to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock in their room, corner Broadway and Front Fourth street. A reception will be given to the members.

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—A coal train running east was "stalled" in Vanderveer's Cut between Raritan and White House this morning. All east bound passenger trains at this place were nearly an hour late.

—The prize cup and badges to be given to the winners of the Bicycle Club races Memorial Day are on exhibition at Captain F. L. C. Martin's "Wheelmen's Headquarters" on Park avenue and Fourth street.

PERSONAL

Mr. M. C. Bird of Park avenue, has returned from a short trip to Freehold, N. J.

Mr. J. M. Taylor, formerly of this city, died on Fort Gates, Florida, on Sunday last.

Mr. Job Male of Canada, nephew of the late ex-Mayor Job Male, is in this city and is registered at the City Hotel.

Mr. Albert Runyon of this city, broke ground yesterday on Mountain avenue preparatory to erecting a handsome dwelling.

Edward Butler, 103 years old, said to be the oldest man in Union county, died Sunday night at the home of his son, James Butler, No. 126 Wall street, Elizabethport. He has been thirty-five years in the United States, and retained all his mental faculties up to a few weeks ago. He was never sick a day in his life. Death was due to old age, so the physician says.

Arrivals at the Hotels.

The following are registered at the various hotels in this city:

Hotel Albion—W. B. Post, G. B. Randolph, R. Valentine, Frank Morris, N. Y.; E. Shirley, Philadelphia; W. G. Ballage, W. G. Perry, W. V. B. Van Dyck, Clarkson Runyon, Jr.; T. W. Johanswett, Warren G. Van Glyke, D. Sagean, C. F. Randolph, Robert Hall, G. B. Emelen, Robert S. Parsons, Irving S. Salmon, New Brunswick; Herman Weber, Brooklyn; F. H. Pearson, jr., A. Gray, Elizabeth; H. S. Hampton, Millville; H. M. Hart, Neshanic; T. H. Randolph, Paterson; G. T. Negus, Jersey City; C. M. Dennis, New Brunswick; R. Van Arsdale, Paterson; D. G. LeFerts, Flatbush; H. S. Wilson, Dunellen; J. C. Loud, Brooklyn; F. H. Grant, Schobarie; A. S. Clark, New Brunswick; F. B. Bailey, New Brunswick; G. Ludlow, New Brunswick; John Willis, Stanhope, N. J.

Hotel Grenada—Philip Moore, N. Y.; H. S. Thomas, city; H. Leggett, city; H. Mentine, New York; John A. Long, Brooklyn; D. H. Graham, Lynn, Mass.; William Reid, Pluckamin; Maurice Newhall, Philadelphia.

City Hotel—N. R. Westbrook, Phila.; R. J. Coyne, city; Mrs. C. H. Perry, Brooklyn; Miss Perry, Mrs. Mary Perry, Washington; Louis Sherman, J. Rueb, Newark; W. F. Pitkin, Brooklyn; Perry Gross, Newark; W. A. Bolce, West New Brighton; Job Male, Canada.

A Hackman and Passenger.

Dennis Kilbride, a licensed hackman at the depot, says that last Saturday he carried a passenger just beyond Hillside avenue. The "Book of Rates" set by the city says "the charge this side of Hillside avenue shall be 25 cents, but beyond Hillside avenue 50 cents."

The passenger offered Hackman Kilbride twenty-five cents. This was refused, and the amount set by law, 50 cents, demanded. The passenger refused to pay, saying, "You can take the quarter or nothing, it won't give more."

The hackman says the passenger agreed to give him 50 cents if he brought a note from the chief of police.

The hackman was greatly excited today, considering that he had been wronged. He saw the Mayor and Corporation Counsel and said they both told him he was right.

The Century Run Committee.

At a meeting of Century Run Committee held last evening at "Wheelman's Headquarters," corner of Park avenue and Front street, the following were present: Captain J. D. Racey, of Orange Wheelmen; Captain T. C. Hoffman, B. M. C. L. of Newark; Captain W. E. Fuller, Brooklyn Bi Club; Captain Frank L. C. Martin, city.

Final details of the great run from Newark to Philadelphia, to be held on June 11th were settled. Captain Martin was set as pacemaker from Scotch Plains to Trenton.

Last year there were 400 starters, and it is thought that in this run there will be 800.

NIGHT MARAUDERS.

A PACK OF DOGS WHICH NEED SHOOTING.

They Have Injured Valuable Cattle and Run Nightly as if Wild.—They Cover Miles of Territory in a Night, and Disappear in the Day.

Valuable cows in Mr. Hyde's pasture in North Plainfield have been bitten about the face and their ears torn by a pack of large dogs which at intervals run wildly over the fields, always at night. It was while trying to drive off the pack from his cows one night that old Mr. Samuel Hodson contracted the illness which proved fatal to him.

The dogs are led by a large white-faced mastiff. There are two such dogs known in the borough, but it is better of them: five or six of the dogs have been shot to death, but still the pack seems large.

The very gentlemanly person in charge of Mr. Hyde's proposed as a protection to the cows a general slaughter of the dogs should they again be found on the premises.

Mr. Hyde directed that the owners be, where possible to find them, told of the injury done, so that they first may take steps to prevent their dogs repeating it, as, of course, they would understand that it is not pleasant for the owners of cows to have them mutilated and harassed as those referred to have been.

If after such notice the owners neglect to prevent the trouble then it is probable that steps will be taken to destroy the pack.

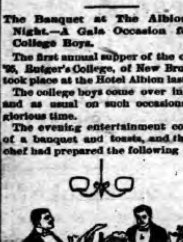
A Mr. Phillips, who has had sheep injured by the dogs, is said to be watching night after night with a loaded shot gun to kill as many as he can, should they visit his premises again as hitherto.

FRESHMEN MAKE MERRY.

The Banquet at The Albion Last Night.—A Gala Occasion for the College Boys.

The first annual supper of the class of '95, Rutger's College, of New Brunswick took place at the Hotel Albion last night. The college boys come over in force at such an event on such occasions had a glorious time.

The evening entertainment consisted of a banquet and toasts, and the hotel chef had prepared the following



MENU.

Little Neck Clams.
Green Turtle Soup.
Pickles. Olives. Radishes.
Boiled Chicken, Halibut.
Sauce Hollandaise. Potatoes Parisienne.
Filet of Beef, larded with Mushrooms.
Delicious Potatoes.
Long Island Asparagus Clips.
Sauce Bearnaise.
Roman Punch.
Broiled Upland Plover, with Cresses.
Saratoga Chips. Wax Celery.
Hot House Tomatoes, stuffed a la Italienne.
Broiled Lobster, Maitre d'Hotel.
Assorted Cakes, Nuts and Raisins.
Bananas, California Grapes.
French Coffee.

TOASTS.

Toast Master.....Chas. W. Gulick
"Chargers".....Pat Farguson
"Class of '95".....Thomas Weber
"Our Base Ball Team".....Geo. Doshier
"Our Future".....G. Sullivan Ludlow
"Old Rutgers".....Dudley Van Hise
"The Chippers".....Harry Hampton
"Our Athletic Association".....Jack Lodi
"The Foot Ball Team".....Jack Lodi
"Our Co-Eds".....Miss Nellie Barnes
"Class of '96".....Pat Ferguson
"Our Ladies".....Uptown Belles

The committee in charge of the evening's entertainment were: U. C. Van Sicyk, Chairman; C. W. Gulick, Clarkson Runyon, Jr., Chas. Negus, F. K. Grant.

Decoration Day.

At a meeting of the memorial detail, of Winfield Scott Post, No. 76, held in the post rooms last night, it was unanimously resolved to invite all ex-soldiers and ex-sailors of the late war and all civic societies who may feel disposed to unite with them on that day's celebration.

Every courtesy in line will be accorded those who send their acceptance to the committee in regular order.

Lesli's Cadets, Capt. Edwards Commandery will act as escorts to the post on this occasion.

The orchestra of Music Hall will be reserved for the post, societies and their escorts. The boxes will be held for visiting guests and city officers.

The oration will be delivered by Past Chaplin W. H. Bronson of Forth Amboy.

The Memorial service will be preached by the Rev. Dean Rodman at Grace church, next Sunday.

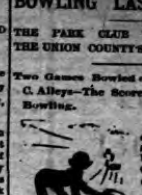
—The Washington Valley people report a heavy frost in that vicinity last night.

—There will be a meeting of the alumni at the High school this evening at eight o'clock. A large attendance is desired, as this will probably be the last general meeting before the reception tendered to Miss Bulkley.

BOWLING LAST NIGHT.

THE PARK CLUB TEAM DEFEAT THE UNION COUNTY'S ONCE MORE.

Two Games Bowled on the U. C. C. Alleys—The Scores at Individual Bowling.



The following scores are of the games bowled on Union County Club alleys last evening.

The Union County Country Club team were as a member of the visiting team expressed it, "done up."

FIRST GAME.

PARK CLUB.		UNION COUNTY.	
Hegeman	121	Wharton	99
McCutchen	160	Evans	126
Murphy	155	Herring	146
Bonnell	119	Kaufman	140
Theirs	124	Barnett	128
Total	679	Total	634

The Park Club won by 33 pins.

SECOND GAME.

Matthews	161	Fleming	144
McCutchen	159	Denew	127
Bonnell	119	Wharton	106
Brown	125	Lewis	89
Reed	105	Jackson	129
Total	661	Total	594

The Park Club won by 73 pins.

The "pin boys" said a prominent bowler, in the Park Club team, "have an abiding terror of 'Charlie' Reed's bowling." He rolls a ball with force enough to drive spikes, and knocks the pins over into the next alley sometimes.

Councilman Hegeman has a preference for a small ball and when he runs for a start, stops and sends the ball on its mission, something always drops.

Mr. Kaufman is considered one of the best bowlers on the Union County Country Club team. His score last night was, therefore, a surprise.

Mr. "Sam" McCutchen of the Park Club, is the only bowler on the team who bowls without a run. He picks his ball, usually a small one, stands on the line —then the "boys" pick up the pins at the other end.

At the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum last night, the tournament was continued as follows:

White, 141, vs. Gunther, 121.
Sanford, 142, vs. Lanahan, 123.
Curren, 176, vs. Trainor, 127.
Butcher, 133, vs. Lannigan, 127.
Lannigan, 162, vs. White, 142.
Trainor, 127, vs. Lannigan, 123.

BURGLAR WINGER'S RECORD.

Capt. Grant Says he can Get no Trace of it.—Winger Won't Reveal Himself.

Since Burglar Winger was lodged in the county jail awaiting sentence, efforts have been made to trace his antecedents. A set of gold spectacles were found in his possession, on the case of which the name of the maker and address, 68 Fulton street, New York, were given. Capt. Grant visited there yesterday, but the optician said he could not remember to whom he had sold them. Capt. Grant says that Prosecutor Marsh has told the prisoner that he would endeavor to get two and a half years off of his sentence if he would tell him where he had come from. The burglar is said to have declared that he would not do so, even if ten years were taken off. In any event it is considered unlikely he will survive the sentence he will get. Capt. Grant is to ask that the sentence be deferred another week that he may see if he can find any trace of Winger's antecedents in Philadelphia, where Tax Rues believed he came from. Inspector Byrnes and a number of New York detectives have Winger's photograph, and do not recognize it. It has been found in the Rogues' Gallery.

The Johnston-Noel Nuptials.

The wedding of Mr. Herbert Johnston son of Capt. Taylor Johnston, of this city, to Miss Celestine Noel, daughter of Mr. Auguste Noel of New York, took place at the home of the bride's parents, 109 Waverley place yesterday at 3.30 p. m.

Archbishop Corrigan, assisted by Bishop McDonnell of Brooklyn, officiated. The responses were in unison by the Rev. Fathers McMahon and Daly of the cathedral and Wucher of St. Vincent de Paul's church. The bride wore a gown of white satin, draped with point lace and embroidered tulle, and point lace veil, fastened with sprays of orange blossoms. She wore no jewels. Her sisters, Miss Louise Noel and Miss Josephine Noel, in embroidered pink silk muslin, trimmed with Valenciennes lace and pink ribbons, were the bridesmaids.

Dr. Christopher J. Colles attended his cousin as best man. The ushers were Messrs John A. Weekes, Jr., Auguste Noel, Jr., brother of the bride; Samuel Bates, and William T. Blodgett. Mrs. Noel, the bride's mother, wore a dress of violet and black satin. The ceremony was witnessed only by the relatives of the couple, and the reception was attended by their intimate friends.

Major Anderson Post's Celebration.

Major Anderson Post No. 168, will not parade Memorial Day.

In the evening a Memorial service will be held at Salvation Hall, and several well known orators will address the meeting. An interesting programme has been arranged. Particulars later.

The Saturday proceeding Decoration Day, the Post will attend the Crescent avenue Presbyterian church in a body and the Rev. Dr. Richards will preach a Memorial sermon.

WM. S. DARLING DEAD.

THE EX-PLAINFIELDER DIED AT THE WINDSOR HOTEL, MONTREAL.

The Story of the Man Who Wrecked John F. Plummer & Co.—His Life in Montreal, Canada.

William S. Darling, formerly of this city, died at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, Canada, yesterday morning.

THE JOHN F. PLUMMER & CO. FAILURE.

The firm of John F. Plummer & Co., N. Y., one of the largest in the dry goods trade, failed on March 15, 1892. The news created a great sensation in business circles, as there was no apparent reason why it should go under, and two of the partners claimed to believe up to the moment of the announcement that the firm was prosperous and clearing $150,000 a year. It came out on April 6 that W. S. Darling, one of the partners, had been missing since March 27, and been the chief cause of the failure. He "stood" checks and used the money and credit of the firm to private purposes.

Assignee Murphy made up his schedule on April 19 and reported the liabilities as $1,920,000 and the actual assets at $750,000. It was believed, got away with $400,000.

John F. Plummer and his brother, Albert T. Darling, gave up their real estate and settled with their creditors at 90 cents on the dollar in August, 1891. The creditors all retained their claims against Darling.

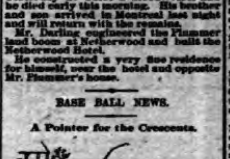
After the firm failed Mr. Darling went to Montreal and took up his residence at the Windsor Hotel under the name of Charles D. Hilton. His wife and child remained in New York, but came for frequent visits to Montreal. Darling led a very retired life, and after a short stay at the Windsor took up private quarters. A few months ago his health began to fail, and a physician whom he consulted warned him that he was suffering from enlargement of the heart, which might soon prove fatal. Darling, who at one time had been a Mason, confided his troubles to several members of the craft in Montreal, who were very kind to him and gave him all the assistance in their power. His health steadily declined. Yesterday he burst a blood vessel and he died early this morning. His brother and son arrived in Montreal last night and will return with the remains.

Mr. Darling engineered the Plummer land boom at Netherwood and built the Netherwood Hotel.

The residence is a very fine residence for himself, near the hotel and opposite Mr. Plummer's house.

BASE BALL NEWS.

A Pointer for the Crescents.



Visitor to B. B. grounds in the morning—What is the world is that man doing?

Manager—That's Rafferty, the champion base stealer. He's supposed to be up and is getting himself in trim for sliding to home.—Life.

The game to-morrow, between the Crescents and the Brooklyn Azures will probably prove interesting, as the latter club are reported much stronger than formerly.

Thursday, the first League game of the season, which was to have been played Saturday last, will take place. Secretary Day will probably be on hand to-day for the home team and O'Neil and Warner for the W. A. C.

At Elizabeth the same day the West Ends and the Y. M. C. I. A. will cross bats. The batteries will be; Y. M. C. I. A., Fitzpatrick and Kennedy; West Ends, Barrins, or Reiss, and Kennedy. Reiss has been signed by the West Ends and is a pitcher from the Lehigh University nine and was their best twirler.

The Concert Last Night.

Reform Hall was very nearly filled, last evening, at the Jubilee Concert, given in aid of the Muhlenberg Hospital. More than one half the audience were white people and the entertainment was seemingly enjoyed by all present.

"YES Mr. Headshaker of course you don't believe H-O superior to these common oatmeals"—Here is our remedy for prejudice—

Have some H-O ever for breakfast.

READING RAILROAD SYSTEM.

Central Railroad of New Jersey, the Port Reading Railroad Co., lessee.

GRAND OPPORTUNITY TO VISIT

Lake Hopatcong,

ON

DECORATION DAY,

Monday, May 30th.

Special excursion tickets will be sold from Plainfield good to go on all trains after 7.30 a. m. and good to return from Stanhope after 6 p. m. Same day.

Trains leave Plainfield at 7.10, 8.07 a. m.; 1.52, 5.50 p. m.; Sundays 8.25 a. m. Fare for the round trip, adults $1.50; children Over 5 and under 12 years of age, 75 cents.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

An Earthquake in Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 24, (Special.)—Indianapolis felt a distinct shock of earthquake at 2.26 last evening. The disturbance lasted about five seconds. No damage was done.

Brazilian Cruiser Reported Lost.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, May 24th. (Special.)—A rumor is current here that the Brazilian cruiser Bahia has foundered at sea, but there is no official confirmation of the report.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

THE MAGNITUDE OF MISSISSIPPI FLOODS.

The Causes of and What is Being Done to Remedy the Evil.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—The people of the North probably wonder why so little is done to prevent the annual misery in the South, steps are not taken to prevent the rivers from overflowing their banks.

The United States engineers are, and have been for some time, at work on practical plans to control the excess of water from the North, which is the cause of most of the importance to a large section of the country, and will constitute one of the most gigantic feats of engineering of the age. It will take some time to perfect plans.

One of the proposed ways of getting rid of the water is to let it have outlet to the Gulf of Mexico, using the various rivers, which flow in a Southerly direction, and the canals that would have to be constructed.

A person would naturally imagine that the largest canal in which the Mississippi river flows (during high water, 1-2 a mile an hour, or nearly twice as fast as a man can run) that the bed of the river would wear, causing a still deeper channel to form, but such is not the case, owing to the sediment settling of the sand which forms a new bed for the river.

The levees, or "Levees and Sloughs," as the Mississippi river is dubbed, is perhaps the most winding river in the world. Often, in a straight line, it is 50 or 60 miles around a bend and probably only a quarter of a mile across the neck. The Short Line Levees are about 1200 miles of levees. These have cost over forty millions of dollars. The repairs to these levees yearly average about two millions.

The new levees which have been constructed since the flood of ten or fifteen years, are 20 feet high and 140 feet at the base, giving a cross section of over 1600 square feet.

Continuously during the year, the engineers are improving on the strength, raising the levees and filling up cuts or breaks which have been caused by the previous year's flood.

Crevasses are caused in many ways, and one of the most simple is the making of a hole in the river bank, which will borrow into the bank, below the surface of the water, thus eluding the vigilance of the watchers. This hole is followed along the levees at intervals of from one half to one mile.

The first cause into the levee by means of this crawfish hole, and weakens the bank, and as the river rises, and the pressure becomes greater, the levee finally gives away at this point.

When a levee breaks, it is sometimes impossible to stop the flowing water, as the force of the current is so great, and the sand is so easily washed away that embankments, that an almost inexhaustible quantity of water can flow around.

Sometimes it is a question of life or death, destroying crops and homes and doing much other damage.

When the river gets dangerously high, the plantation owners mass their laboring forces and with cotton sacks filled with sand, build temporary levees, keeping up the height of the levees.

During the day and night watch the regularly paid river guards, and night watchers and guards are stationed along the levees, and if a break occurs they at once summon the planters, who immediately go about remedying the defect as soon as possible.

The fortunate ones, whose homes are on the hills and who are out of danger from floods, find valuable assistance to those whose lives and property are in danger, by turning out and helping fight the angry waters.

The sugar growing section of Louisiana, and consequently the southern States of the State, is probably also a total loss, as by a flood this product is ruined for the year.

The only benefit derived from an overflow is that it enriches the soil and makes fertile certain lands all the more so, with succeeding crops.

CHARLES H. SCHENCKENBURGER, JR.,
Formerly Civil Engineer with the United States Engineering Corps.

Homing Pigeon Fanciers.

The preliminary race of the New Jersey Central Section of the Homing Pigeon Fanciers, which includes Plainfield, Perth Amboy, Eightstown, Newark, Elizabeth, Bergen and Dunellen was flown from White Haven, Pa., to this city and Newark, a distance of eighty-five miles, Saturday last.

The Plainfield birds owned by J. Hosier, Jr., Second and Cleveland and James Monteton made the best of returning average.

The first race under the Federation rule for a record, will take place Saturday, May 28th, from Williamsport, Pa., to this city and Newark, a distance of 200 miles.

The second race will be from Ridgeway, Pa., on June 4, distance 260 miles, and the third race from Youngstown, Ohio, on June 11, a distance of 445 miles.

Old Landmarks Gone.

Three old wagons, which have been for sixteen years standing on Mr. John Moore's premises, on East Second street, and which were formerly used by his father, Henry Moore, were sold Friday.

A tree, twenty feet in height, had grown through the center of one of the coal contained and had to be cut down before the cars could be removed.

The wagons proved to be perfect wheels, according to pieces as soon as they were moved.

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Refrigerators, - - Hammocks,

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LOOK AT THIS!

At No. 37 Somerset street, second-hand furniture is Bought and Sold. Become a bargain.

At the carpenter shop, No. 69 East Front street, or at the Somerset street store, cellmatics are cheerfully furnished. Window and door screens a specialty.

G. R. MUSGRAVE, Proprietor.

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to Mr. L. A. Hummer, all persons owing the

Plainfield Produce Co.

are requested to make prompt settlement.

The office is, as heretofore, at No. 29 North avenue.

We still continue the lee ice business and have constantly on hand first-rate ice, family or business house, at reasonable prices.

A. D. THOMPSON, Proprietor.
H. H. RIDER, Manager.

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SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION wanted by a young man, 19 years old, German. Is willing to do any kind of work. Address "H. H." care EVENING NEWS.

WANTED—Work by experienced gardener either by day or job. Having moved, garden laid out etc. Address Post Office Box 275. 24 2

WHEN out of employment this is the column to look for situations. The people you want to reach read it.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call at 91 Washington avenue. 20 2

FOR RENT.

SQUARE piano to let. Terms $2 per month. 65 Grandview avenue. 5 17tf

LOST AND FOUND.

FOR SALE.

$190—Fine upright piano for sale. In perfect order. Cost $400. Good as new. H. Buckley, 15 East Front street. 24 2tdp

A GOOD horse, carriage and harness for sale cheap at 180 West Front street. Inquire on premises. 24 3

$120 sewing machine. Boothroyd pneumatic drop. Eyesore's, 32 Somerset street. 15 6p

A FRANKLIN Regent treble racket for sale for $6. Cost $7. Address "Racket," care of Evening News. 24 4

$65 INSTALLMENTS will buy a $125 ball bearing bicycle, guaranteed in perfect running order. Address Geo. W. Morrison. 17 6

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased at Somerset Park, Somerset street. Address R. B. Campbell, 2 Park place, N. Y., or apply to E. C. Mulford, real estate agent, Park and one block. 300 feet above the sea level. 2 12tf

1892 RALEIGH pneumatic safety bicycle; all ball bearing; weight 20 lbs.; cost $125. Will sell for $65. Cost $125. Geo. W. Morrison. 24 6

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Seven room house. New shop in rear. No. 83 Pearl street. Inquire of Mrs. Hannah Ayres, 21 Somerset street. 19 12tdp

$110 WILL buy a brand new 1892 Victor Safety Bicycle; diamond frame; enabled tires; ball bearing all round and guaranteed for one year. Will be kept for one year. Address Geo. W. Morrison. 17 6

THE way to let the people know you have something for sale is to put that fact right under their head.

TAKE NOTICE—I will expose the property of one Richardson for sale for storage, on June 1st, at 10 o'clock. 19 13

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHEETAH TYPEWRITERS, $5 cards, cabinet and working plans, at Hudson's Hobby Store, 107 Park place, N. Y. 21 7

FIRST-CLASS laundry work done at home. Prices reasonable. Can take work elsewhere. Mrs. A. F. Wilson, collector, 32 Somerset street. 4 4dtf 6

LAUNDERING wants to do washing by the dozen or bale. Work to be done at home on Grove street. 24 3

OLD-FASHIONED dancing academy is now open for pupils and adults. Call Pope's Opera House, 11 Somerset street. 5 20tf

SECURE your tickets for the Columbian Fair. For particulars apply at Hubbell's. 5 12tf

Special Notices.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Pearl Machine Tool Company for the election of seven directors to serve for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held at the office of the company in the city of Plainfield, N. J., on Tuesday, June 7th, 1892, at 10 o'clock a. m. Dated, May 24th, 1892. Samuel E. Harrison, Sec.

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Tickets—admitting gentleman and lady—$1.

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AUCTION SALE!

of superior furniture, carpets, etc., on Park avenue, near Second avenue, at the late home of ex-Mayor John H. Evans,

Thursday, May 26th,

at 10 o'clock a. m.

Black walnut bedroom suites, hair mattresses, green feather beds, bolsters and pillows, wash stands, bureaus, writing desks, library, work, center and side tables, four poster bedsteads, curtains and lambrequins, black and gold corniced poles, glass curtains, —4 ft. 6 in. x 2 ft. 6 in.—one 4 ft. x 6 ft.; large parlor mirror, 4 ft. by 6 ft.; marble top bureau, 4 ft. by 6 ft.; marble top washstands, marble curtain with brass poles, extension table, (11 feet), dining room chairs, (in leather), buffet, Axminster carpets, 9 by 12, (nearly new), 3 ingrain carpets, 9 by 12, (nearly new), W. W. rattan chairs and rockers, China, crockery, glassware, engravings, kitchen furniture, stoves and ranges, hose, extended rubber and canvas door mats refrigerators.

Fine mahogany for inlaid, carving living room, 175 feet in lots to suit purchasers, 1 handsome bedroom suite, 1 horse, 1 horse mower, 1 lawn roller, sprinkling cart, grind stone, hose and reel.

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and every night until goods are sold, at corner Front street and Madison avenue.

Special bidder sale Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, of silk and satin dresses, gold rings and dry goods.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

The Road to Mount Roraima.

One of the few spots that had not yet *yielded up their mysteries to white explorers* was until very lately the region about Mount Roraima. This mountain lies on the border between Venezuela and British Guiana. Fabulous tales have been from time to time told about it, the more wonderful because the mountain has been considered inaccessible. *Now comes*, however, the news that two orchid hunters named Cromer *and Sayler have actually scaled it.* They found it to be a bald, tremendous cone of shining red sandstone, reaching thousands of feet in the air. Down its sides poured torrents and rivulets.

There was nothing particularly interesting about the mountain, except the supposed impossibility of climbing it. But the road to it is the difficult part. The explorer follows the Essequibo river to its tributary, the Mazarnni, then takes to the Mazarnni. But the Essequibo is almost impassable by reason of rapids and waterfalls. After leaving the Mazarnni the route is through a wild jungle filled with wonderful birds and animals, not to speak of hostile savages who take exceedingly accurate aim with poisoned arrows. But not even this constitutes the real difficulties. The explorer who thinks of ascending Mount Roraima is commended to the following extract from the New York Sun for a description of these:

In the rivers are electric eels that are capable of giving a serious shock to a human being whose hands or feet are wet. Huge alligators and great skatelike things called sting rays, with knife pointed tails by which they make most serious and painful wounds upon whoever steps upon or near them, as they lie partially concealed in the shoal water at the edges of the rivers. Snakes of many deadly kinds, including the rattlesnake and the boa constrictor, abound in the forest, where there are also monkeys, deer and wild hogs, and the ravenous tigers. Ant eaters of the largest size are among the wild beasts, but do not bother those who let them alone. But of all the annoyances to explorers, the insect world furnishes the most and the ones that are hardest to avoid. Jiggers which get under the toe nails to lay eggs and breed microscopic devils are very common. Vampires which feaston on the toes of sleeping men and suck copious drafts of blood are everywhere in the interior, and there are three whose bite turns into a fever, vampire whose sting superinduces fever, and some terrible flies by the side of which mosquitoes are unworthy of attention.

Educational Changes.

Fifty years ago there was only one course in the college—the classic one. Every student was obliged to take Latin and Greek; every student was obliged to swallow mathematics. Along with somebody's logic and some other person's *Evidences of Christianity.* The result was a man of severe, narrow mind; thorough as far as Greek roots and trigonometry went, but of no more practical use than a fly in wrestling with the vast material problems that confront us here in America. About the miracles and magic of the book of nature, about ventilation, sanitary engineering, the right kind of food to put into his own stomach, he knew not *half so much* as the bee or the beaver.

Well, let us be thankful we are evolving—slowly, it is true, but yet evolving—out of this musty, old bookish age. The colleges are one after another adding largely to their elective courses, and letting the student choose the studies that belong to his brain by nature. The changes are in the direction of additions to the courses in practical science and mechanics, and of dropping out the useless Greek and Latin that blinded the boys and made them stoop shouldered dyspeptics. Columbia college, in New York city, has lately made sweeping and radical changes in this direction, and is to be congratulated. Even colleges are beginning to find out that the least of education is book stuffing.

It will be glory enough for one reign of Pope Leo XIII shall succeed in forcing the French Catholic clergy to recognize and support the French republic. They have been hitherto, during the whole twenty-one years of its existence, its worst enemy. The pope issued a circular to them in February, commanding the republic to them as the upholders of law and order. Many paid no attention to the circular. Now, however, in his new brief, his holiness directs the recalcitrants in the most unmistakable terms to uphold the republic of France. He says that "public tranquility and the common welfare" are the supreme criterion of a stable government, and that wherever a government stands the test of this criterion it must receive the support of all good Catholics.

The proposition to change the constitution so that United States senators may be elected by popular vote of the people, as the representatives now are, seems to be gaining friends. If this were done the popular vote could at once make a clean sweep of a political party that had lost the people's confidence.

Rudyard Kipling calls New York city a "long, narrow pig trough," on account of its dirty streets, and the New York papers are not yet done calling Rudyard names because of his frankness. But the judgment of the rest of the world will be on the side of Kipling.

The following, from The Ram's Horn, is commended to certain rivalists: "It never helps the Lord any for a man to go dragging about what a big sinner he used to be."

THE BLAINE CONUNDRUM

Will the Plumed Knight Run for the Presidency?

MANY CONTRADICTORY REPORTS.

The Secretary Talks for Forty Hours at New York and They Conclude That He Is to the Race, but Presidents Harrison Believes He Is Not.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Secretary James G. Blaine arrived here from Washington last night. He was accompanied by Mrs. Blaine and was driven directly to the Fifth Avenue hotel. Although the corridors were filled with persons waiting to catch a glimpse of the distinguished statesman, on whom the eyes and the thoughts of the nation are concentered, very few were aware of the exact time of his arrival. Among those who loitered about the hotel, uncertain as to what reception would be accorded them, were over forty newspaper men, but in twenty minutes after Secretary Blaine's arrival he was the center of the entire group of reporters, whom he greeted pleasantly. As he stood there, straight as an arrow, with a clear eye and vigorous expression, seemingly conscious that his every move must be being critically noted, there was nothing to indicate that he was not a man in complete health. His voice was strong and clear, and as he moved about, shaking hands with those closest to him, he stepped briskly, as if to show that he was physically equipped for any emergency.

No Politics in His Visit.

When asked the object of his visit he said: "I will be perfectly frank with you, boys. I intend to treat you fairly, as I have found the newspaper men always treated me fairly. My visit has no other or political significance whatever. I am here for several reasons, all of which are of a private nature, and have no relations to politics or public business."

"Is it true that your visit here is for the purpose of having an operation performed on your eyes?" was asked.

"Yes, that is one of the reasons. Not," he added quickly, "that it is an absolute necessity, but I concluded it would be a good thing to do. Another reason which was glad to say induced me to visit New York was my desire to see my little grand daughter."

When asked in reference to his health, Mr. Blaine replied with a smile, "I am just as well as I look, and I don't believe that I look like a confirmed invalid, do I?" and he laughed good naturedly.

The apparent readiness of his invitation to the newspaper fraternity was taken as an evidence of his willingness and anxiety to show the public that he was again a well man and able to bear the burdens of presidential honors. It became generally known that he had granted an audience to the press every one accepted it as an intimation of acceptance on his part. Consequently much jubilation prevailed among the Republican politicians of small and high degree who were about the hotel. Ex-Senator Platt, of New York state, received the news with apparent satisfaction, but in his *asteristic way: "I guess the best thing that* can be done is to put Mr. Blaine in nomination. I don't think he would disappoint the expectations of those who would like to have him accept."

Blaine Not in the Race.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—In speaking of his eye trouble before he left, Secretary Blaine said: "I never knew until I was sixty years old that I had astigmatism in the eye. Judging from any unusual feeling there. But of late my eyes have been troubling me and I have consented to take advice as to their treatment."

With reference to the movement looking to the defeat of President Harrison for renomination at the Minneapolis convention, by the use of the name of Secretary Blaine while no direct, authoritative statement has been made by the secretary himself, it may be said that the authority of a close friend of Mr. Blaine's, that he stands by the statement contained in his letter to Chairman Clarkson, of last February. He does not desire to have his name presented to the convention for the nomination, and within a day or two past has emphatically stated that he would not be nominated.

A close friend and admirer of President Harrison speaking of the efforts being made by the antagonists of the president to defeat his nomination by the use of the name of Secretary Blaine, said: "The movement has nothing honest nor sincere in it. None of the gentlemen whose names are prominently connected with the movement were recognized as particular friends of the secretary when he was a candidate for the presidency eight years ago. On the other hand, men who are known to be his warm admirers and staunch supporters, such as Whitelaw Reid, of the New York Tribune, Charles Emory Smith, of the Philadelphia Press; S. F. Jones, of Pittsburg, chairman of the national committee in 1884; Joseph Manley, of Augusta, Me., are all satisfied to take Mr. Blaine at his word, and decline to engage their belief that he is not a candidate and will not be under any circumstances."

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WILLIAM H. VANDERBILT DEAD.

Typhoid Fever Claims Cornelius Vanderbilt's Eldest Son.

NEW YORK, May 24.—William H. Vanderbilt, eldest son of Cornelius Vanderbilt, who has been suffering for some days past of typhoid fever, died last night at 10:45 o'clock. He was surrounded by his father, mother, brother and sister when he passed quietly away. Young Vanderbilt had been very weak all of the earlier part of the day, and was gradually recovering from the effects of the hemorrhages of Sunday, until at 6:25 he had another hemorrhage of the stomach. Dr. Mabbett was with him at the time. He apparently rallied from the attack and then went to sleep. His sleep was to perpetual one, for he never awoke. For that reason the exact time of his death is in doubt, but it occurred some time between 10:15 and 10:25 o'clock.

He was taken ill on May 4 at New Haven, at that time very seriously. As there was no typhoid fever in New Haven at the time it is supposed he contracted the disease while on a trip through the western states during the Easter holidays.

The dead man inherited by the will of his grandfather, William H. Vanderbilt, $1,000,000, the income of which was to be converted to his use when he attained his majority and the principal to be placed to his credit when he became thirty years old.

Chauncey M. Depew said that the young man had never in his life caused his father or mother any anxiety. His management of his allowance was good and ever since his father would have increased it at any time had he asked it. Deceased was one of the most popular men in the junior class at Yale college.

William H. Vanderbilt was the oldest in a family of six children, four boys and two girls. He was born in New York on Dec. 31, 1870, and was in his twenty-first year past his majority. He was a handsome young man, about 5 feet 10 inches tall, much resembling his father in features. His next brother and the lineal descendant to the estate is Cornelius Vanderbilt, nineteen years old, and now a freshman at Yale college.

The funeral will probably occur on Thursday, and will be held from St. Bartholomew's Protestant Episcopal church on Madison avenue. Complete arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

FASHIONS

The New Parasols.

White parasols of large size promise to be much used for driving in open carriages and for summer walks. They are made of mousseline de soie draped in waved stripes, the narrow ruffle of the edge and the natural wood decorated with chaux of loops of white gauze ribbon set near the handle and around the ferrule. Others are of duchesse point lace with the scalloped edge falling below the silk lining, and the stick of white enameled wood finished with a Dresden china knob. White crepe de chine parasols handsomely trimmed with butterflies and bands of lace, with the silk underneath cut away; and still others of thin white organdy striped border with a fluffily draped, or have flounces on the thin silk lining.

For general use are plain parasols of heavy white silk or of grosgrain, with cloth sticks of polished wood capped with gold or silver; or the sticks are of Cape horn, or of what appears to be tinted ivory, with etched figures and flowers.

The sun umbrellas are covered with plain blue, red or brown silk, are twenty-four inches or inches in the gores, and have natural twisted wood handles.—Harper's Bazar.

Fashion's Echoes.

We are told that white stockings are coming in fashion again. In any event white stockings of Lisle thread, embroidered up the front with clocks in a delicate color—pink, sky, orange or light green.

Shirt waists made of surah and suitable for tennis have line stripes in bright yellow or red.

The coat of this season's bostiog costume is longer than that of last and is made either with the sac or half-sac back.

One of the newest materials for elaborate outdoor dresses is shot repla.

Fawn, gray and beaver are included in the new spring shades for gloves, and there is a demand for black chevrette sewn with a color such as red, yellow or white.

The Watteau fold extends to bride's and bridesmaids' dresses.

The Phelan-Walsh Case.

NEW HAVEN, May 24.—The Democratic side of the Phelan versus Walsh case is finished. A committee of two Republicans from Bridgeport was appointed to count and found that Phelan had received a majority of 547 votes. Returns in many towns had not been accurately kept. The Republicans then began their case.

The Yorktown's Lads Wax.

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BRIBERY FREED O'BRIEN

French Detectives Blinded by a Friend's Dollars.

THE HAVRE POLICE HAD HIM ONCE.

But in a Very Short Time the Banco King Had Made Another Escape—Search of News of the Affair at Paris and New York City.

PARIS, May 24.—The prefect of police at Paris says that he has heard nothing of the reported arrest at Havre of Thomas O'Brien, the notorious American banco shearer.

LONDON, May 24.—It was reported that Thomas O'Brien, the notorious banco shearer who was extradited from England to New York, and who escaped from the custody of officers in that state, after being convicted and sentenced to state prison, had been arrested. The report was later confirmed. He was captured at Havre while leaving the steamer Labrador, which left New Orleans on May 1 for Havre and Antwerp. The fugitive tried to leave the steamer with the cargo, when he was detected and captured. The French police were on the lookout for him.

O'Brien Escapes Again.

Upon being taken to police headquarters he was at once subjected to the anthropometrical system of measurement in order that if he escaped again he might be readily recognized in France. O'Brien submitted with good grace, after at first protesting that an American citizen should not be subjected to the indignity of having his facials measured and calves inspected. Later in the day O'Brien succeeded in making his escape from the Havre police, and is again at large. The police, however, are making active search for him, and the vessels in the harbor are closely watched. Notice has also been telegraphed to all the adjoining towns.

There is little doubt that a companion of the bunco steerer, O'Brien, bribed the detectives who had charge of O'Brien to let him get away. Officers from Scotland Yard were preparing to go to Havre to identify O'Brien when the news arrived that he had escaped. The commissary of police at Havre is greatly stirred up on account of O'Brien having got away, and he has not only called all his subordinates to account, but has telegraphed to every port in France a description of the man.

The American Legation After Him.

A Havre dispatch says it is certain that O'Brien has not got away on any of the railway trains, and the police there believe that he must have gone on board a steamer or other vessel just starting for a port along the coast. The police in Havre and Rouen suppose that he will try to make his way to Bordeaux, and thence to South America. The police in London and other ports are keeping a careful watch for the fugitive.

The American legation has made special efforts to secure his capture, and it is said to say that O'Brien cannot land anywhere on the southern coast of England or at any considerable port in the United Kingdom without being arrested immediately. A description of O'Brien has been sent to every coast town in England.

No News at New York.

NEW YORK, May 24.—No notification of the capture of O'Brien by the French police has been received by Superintendent Byrnes or Chief Inspector Steers. Superintendent Byrnes was skeptical about the prisoner's identity.

Four years ago his escape O'Brien was under sentence of of ten years for robbing, by means of the confidence game, a man named Peck, in Albany, of $16,000. He was taken to Utica on a writ of habeas corpus, and was remanded back to prison. Keeper Buck, of Dannemora prison, who had him in charge, let him go where he pleased with Doc Mitchell, a well known bunco steerer, and David A. Dahler, a local Cleveland politician of Utica. The result was that the convict got away very coolly, and he said to have had fully twenty-four hours' start on the way to liberty when the alarm was given. Warrants are out for Dahler and Mitchie, but they have not been located. There is also a reward of $3,000 out for O'Brien's arrest.

Flower Appealed to Blaine.

ALBANY, May 24.—Governor Flower said that he thought the arrest of O'Brien was the direct outcome of a telegram he sent to Secretary Blaine on April 6, in which he asked the aid of the state department in capturing O'Brien at Havre. This he did after District Attorney Eaton had laid before him the facts which showed that O'Brien had sailed from New Orleans to Havre. The request made by Governor Flower was that a full description of O'Brien be cabled to the consul at Havre. In reply to the request made by Secretary Blaine for his detention until extradition papers could be made out.

Where the President Will Stop.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—The following is the schedule of the train which will convey President Harrison and party to Rochester, Pa., on Saturday. Car 7004 will leave Washington, 7:00 a. m.; arrive Baltimore, 8:10 a. m.; arrive at Harrisburg, 10:45 a. m. Leave at Harrisburg, 2:00 p. m.; arrive at Altoona, 5:30 p. m.; leave Altoona, 5:50 p. m.; arrive at Wakkin, 4:30 p. m.; leave Wakkin, 4:35 p. m.; arrive at Penn Yan, 5:05 p. m.; leave Penn Yan, 8:30 p. m.; arrive at Canandaigua, 9:00 p. m.; leave Canandaigua, 9:15 p. m.; arrive at Rochester, 7:00 o'clock.

Chairman Clarkson a Witness.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Chairman James S. Clarkson, of the republican national committee, was in the supreme court to be examined as a witness before trial in a suit brought several years ago by Anna Dickinson to recover $6,000 from the committee for a breach of contract. The names Clarkson, M. S. Quay, John C. New, J. Sloat Fassett, Thomas C. Platt, Frank W. Dodge and others defendants. The alleged contract required her to deliver speeches.

Polk for President.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 24.—The third party in North Carolina is at last regularly organized. Seventy-five counties were represented in the convention, and the delegation announced their intention of nominating Hon. L. L. Polk for president of the United States.

Blue Ribbon Recovered.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 24.—Divers are at work on the wreck of the Louisville Limited train on the Cotton Belt railroad. The cars are twenty feet under water. Nine bodies have been taken far recovered.

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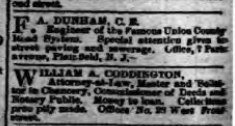

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MANY CHANGES IN THE CONFESSION.

Twenty-Eight Alterations Presented to the Presbyterian General Assembly. Methodists and the Woman Delegate Question—Dr. Parkhurst Criticised.

PORTLAND, Ore. *May 24.*—Dr. Briggs has arrived after a pleasant trip over the Union Pacific. He was accompanied by Mrs. Briggs and is looking improved in health by the journey. He is prepared for any duty which may be required of him in connection with questions to come before the Presbyterian assembly touching upon himself. Twenty-eight changes to the confession of faith were presented by the revision committee of the Presbyterian assembly at Portland. Of the twenty-eight changes thirteen are accepted. The points covered are: Divine decrees, preterition, the creation, the covenant, the new paper on the Holy Spirit, man's fall, the new chapter on the gospel, predestination, effectual call, infant salvation, non-election and the Lord's Supper.

No Money for Sectarian Schools.

Dr. Bartlett, of Washington, presented a report on Indian schools. It was recommended that henceforth all public moneys for Indian education should be expended by government officials, and that appropriations for sectarian schools should absolutely cease. The constitutional amendment now pending looking to this end was heartily approved.

The report of the board of missions to freedmen showed that 371 missionaries had been sent out during the year; that 300 churches and missions had been added and 20 parochial and 14 boarding schools maintained, with a total of 9,239 pupils. The receipts amounted to over $172,000, with expenditures almost equal. The board also has under its charge 226 Sunday schools with 18,231 scholars.

The Woman Delegate Question.

OMAHA, May 24.—The woman delegate question came up in the Omaha conference. Dr. Moore, of Ohio, offered the following resolution:

Whereas, A decided majority of both the laity and ministers has declared in favor of the eligibility of women, therefore,

Resolved, That the general conference holds that in all matters connected with the election of lay delegates that the word "laymen" ought to be understood and must of right be understood to include all the members of the church who are not members or presidents of the annual conference.

Dr. Buckley, red in the face, was on his feet in an instant and raised the point of order that the subject was now before the judiciary committee and should be referred to that committee. The chair so held amid applause. Dr. Kynett moved that the subject be taken up as the order immediately after the report of the committee on judiciary and it was ordered. Sanford Hunt and Earl Cranston were elected treasurer and assistant treasurer of the missionary society.

The upper Iowa conference offered a resolution on the Jewish question expressing the profound sympathy of the conference for the Russian Jews who are being persecuted for not being members of the Greek church, but it was stated that the Methodist Episcopal church had recently established a little mission in Russia which the resolution would hurt. The Iowa conference withdrew its resolution.

A resolution condemning capital punishment and declaring that the statute providing for capital punishment should be expunged from the statute books of every civilized nation was tabled.

The conference decided to hold afternoon and evening sessions until adjournment, which was appointed on Thursday next.

Parkhurst's Methods Assailed.

PITTSBURG, May 24.—It was "quiz day" at the Presbyterian Ministerial association meeting. Among the many questions propounded was one worded, "Is a pastor justified in secretly visiting haunts of vice with a view to exposing them?"

Dr. Johnson, of many emphatic views on Dr. Parkhurst's methods of evangelizing fallen women. He did not think that a minister of the Gospel was required to seek sin in such a place. It was like going down into hell to see how satan lived. There were other means of reform that were more effective and not half so demoralizing as the methods of Dr. Parkhurst.

Rev. Dr. Rainsford's Novel Plan.

NEW YORK, March 24.—The Rev. Dr. Rainsford wants wealthy church people to start respectable saloons, where poor men can enjoy an honest glass of beer and good company, just as his luckier brethren enjoy them at their clubs.

Condemned the Relic Exposure.

NEW YORK, *May 24.*—Methodist ministers in their Monday morning meeting condemned the exposure in the Church of St. Jean Baptiste of the relic of St. Ann.

Kurrenberger Was a Suicide.

NEWARK, N. J., May 24.—Christian Kurrenberger, a well known resident of this city, committed suicide late Sunday night by shooting himself. The family stated that he died of blood poisoning. The county physician, however, found that the man was a suicide. No cause is assigned for the act.

Cleveland and Hill at New York.

NEW YORK, *May 24.*—Ex-President Cleveland, Mrs. Cleveland and their little daughter Ruth came quietly to this city and took rooms at the Victoria hotel. Senator David B. Hill came from Washington and registered at the Normandie.

Paris Has a Female Dancon.

PARIS, May 24.—Paris was thrilled by a tragedy that resembles the Deacon White, Mme. Reymond is and killed Mme. Dalaporte in a room in a house in Paris, where the latter was discovered with M. Reymond.

Fifteen Hundred People Surrounded.

LITTLE ROCK, May 24.—A telegram has been received from Osatoria, thirty miles from this city, stating that 1,500 men, women and children are waterbound and asking that a boat be sent to their rescue.

A Miner's Awful Fall.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., May 24.—John Updegrave, of Tower City, while at work in the Brookside colliery fell to the bottom, a distance of several hundred feet, and was instantly killed.

Miss Hattie Blaine to Marry.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—It is said that Truxtun Beale, United States minister to Persia, will soon marry Miss Hattie Blaine, youngest daughter of the secretary of state.

A Poor Substitute.

Doctor Duck (very neurasthenic)—You want something? Haven't been able to eat a square meal in three weeks? Well, my good sir, you just take this bottle of nutrich tonic, and it will give you a splendid appetite.—Brooklyn Life.

King Behanzin Appeals to Portugal.

LISBON, May 24.—King Behanzin has appealed to King Charles to sustain the Dahomeyans against France. The Portuguese have always looked upon the French as intruders in Dahomey.

Thompson Indicted at Camden.

CAMDEN, N. J., May 24.—The Camden county grand jury has indicted William J. Thompson for maintaining a disorderly house in running the Gloucester race track.

Showalter Loses Again.

NEW YORK, May 24.—The fifteenth game of the chess match, a Boy Lopez, was lost by Showalter. The score: Lipschutz, 7; Showalter, 1; drawn, 7.

A Hailstorm in Virginia.

LEXINGTON, Va., May 24.—An unprecedented hailstorm passed over this section, doing great damage to fruit, vegetables, and foliage.

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White Velvet Flour, 65c. bag.	10c. Fa. bird seed, 5c.
Golden Age Flour, 70c. bag.	Best cream tartar, 25c. lb.
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OLD KING COLE.

The Ancient British King Perpetuated in an Old Nursery Rhyme.

You have all heard of "Old King Cole," celebrated in the song:

Old King Cole
Was a merry old soul
And a merry old soul was he;
He called for his pipe
And he called for his bowl
And he called for his fiddlers three.

Well, Old King Cole was a real person, an ancient British king, and

A MERRY OLD SOUL.

though he did not possess a pipe, for smoking was not a habit with the ancient Britons, and he had no fiddlers, as the violin or fiddle was not invented till long after his time, he certainly had a harper or bard who answered the purpose better by singing songs or reciting poems on the old king's prowess and accompanying them on the harp when his majesty gave a feast or wished to enjoy the pleasures of music. Of course he had drinking cups in plenty, but they were of very different shape from the "bowls" of the present day.

Cosl or Coll, a name modernized into Cole, was a king of the North Britons, who ruled over a district in Ayrshire, now called Kyle, the land of the poet Burns, who calls it—

That place o' Scotland's isle,
That bears the name o' Auld King Coll.

But in the old king's time North Britain was not known as Scotland; the Romans called it Caledonia and the Irish Albion There is much doubt as to the period when King Cool lived, some of the old chroni clers, who call him Collus, placing him in the Third century, when Britain formed part of the Roman empire; but he probably lived at a later date and became famous as the last king who reigned in North Britain before that country was conquered by the Scots. He was killed in battle by Fergus the Scot, and his name is preserved in the place where the battle was fought, which was ever afterward called Colisfield or Coylesfield.

The Use of Thinking.

Galileo, when quite a young man, was standing in the metropolitan church of Pisa, when he noticed a lamp, which had been suspended by a long rope, moving to and fro. The swinging of a lamp was so common an occurrence that probably thousands of persons had noticed it before, but Galileo, struck with the regularity with which it moved backward and forward, reflected on it, and perfected the method of measuring time by means of the pendulum.

A Rhyme for Very Little Folk.

Five little fishes were swimming along,
Sleeping and chatting (for fishes can chat);
Suddenly there was an end to their song—
Just up above was a big tabby cat.

REFUSING AN INVITATION.

Pussy put in her paw, they got out of the way,
And one little fish, as he made a low bow,
Said, "Sorry we can't stay to dinner to-day;
Pray look not at him sadly, and answered "Meaow!"

The Birdie's Farewell.

"Oh, birdie, birdie, will you, pet?
Discount me a note and sign it,
I'll stamp it a month fair and fine,
To please this pretty bird of mine."

"Oh, thanks for diamonds, and thanks for jet,
But have is something daintier yet.
A feather necklace round and round,
That I would not sell for a thousand pound."

"Oh, birdie, birdie, won't you, pet?
I'll buy you a dish of silver fret;
A golden cup and an ivory seat,
And carpets soft beneath your feet."

"Can running water be drunk from gold?
Can a silver dish the forest hold?
A rocking twig is the finest chair,
And the softest paths lie through the air.
Farewell, farewell to my lady fair!"

May Day.

One day, all in the sweet spring weather,
Two little maids went out together—
Oh, the bright May day!
Sun was shining, birds were singing,
Flowers blooming, May bells ringing—
Oh, the glad May day!

So they too went forth a-Maying
Laughing, dancing, singing, merrying—
Oh, the bright May day!
What care we for mother's warning?
Who would bide at home this morning?
Oh, the glad May day!

Mother peeps from the lattice crying,
Wise birds back to their nests are flying—
Oh, the fickle May!
Silly maidens, where do ye wander?
Storm clouds gather thickly yonder!
Oh, the false May day!

Hark, the rain comes patter, patter!
Garlands gay the wild winds scatter—
Oh, the fickle May!
Now the maidens, helter skelter,
Hasten back to mother's shelter
From the false May day!

Sunny skies soon o'er clouds are,
Mother's love can never leave us—
Oh, no more we'll stray!
Home for maidens is the meetest,
Brightest, safest, dearest, sweetest;
So at home we'll stay!

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FLOWERS FROM HOME.

Where passed the hours of childhood's glee,
Where youth and happiness abode,
Where friends the old familiar nod
And flowers that we loved grow wild around;
There in the well remembered shade
By again tempts and prepares the maid,
In simple guise, half hid from view,
The modest flower grew.

And, oh, they bring a radiant sense
No walls of brick or stone can hide,
Nor change nor time with blotting tide
Of busy life can intervene.
There, dear, old faithful blooms have been
That yet for me—oh, grateful thought!—
Beneath the unknown sky
Remains a home!

—Ernest N. Bagg in Good Housekeeping.

DRESS FOR STOUT WOMEN.

A Leading Stage Dressmaker Lays Down Some Simple Rules.

Slenderness is the fashion book's ideal, but is it in reality necessary to style? This is what the stout woman would like to know.

Her reasoning, dear stout lady. These plates are the creation of the pattern maker's warped fancy. He may, heaven knows, think it impolite to have viscera; perhaps he has it removed for a month.

The woman you should model after do not look like these plates. If you should by chance, as happened to me once, meet a woman who did resemble them, you would be surprised at the disgust that would come to you. An animated fashion plate is a disagreeable sight.

How shall the stout woman dress to make her form appear normal?

Let us see how the actresses do it. A large proportion of actresses who depend their mode of life tends to make them so, and yet to be beautiful is part of their profession. A leading stage dressmaker lays down the rules as follows: Horizontal lines shorten and vertical ones gives length; therefore add to and emphasize the vertical lines and omit or conceal those that run around. The gown should fit smoothly and the waist have many seams.

The skirt should be very long in front and have no border, for thus its sailing is indefinite, and you will not fix its exact limits. The skirt should be as wide as fashion permits at the bottom, so that the profile line will grow gradually wider from the waist down. It is a mistake to draw the skirt tightly around the front.

When the woman is very stout a few gathers are made on either side the front, along the waistband, but these are not visible below the waist.

The large abdomen is the most inelegant defect of the stout woman.

This explains the temptation corset laces offer, though facing does not reduce the fat. It places it above and below where, of the two, it is less objectionable. The most strenuous efforts of dress are directed toward the disguise of the large stomach.

It is for that the long pointed basque is preserved among the fashions. Belted waists, say the dressmakers, are not for the stout, but when a fashionable modiste manages, by the device of an overshadowing shoulder ruffle, to wear one.

For this also the width of the shoulder is exaggerated by lines running thereon *down to the point of the basque*, thus deceiving the eye as to the apparent size of the abdomen. Skillful modistes emphasize rather than enlarge the width of the shoulder, and the sleeves are in fact made less full at the top than for this purpose. Yokes give opponent width to the shoulders, and are beneficial to the stout.

Lines carried up on the shoulders add to the apparent height of the figure, and the stout can thereby lessen the fatty collars that stand up around the shoulders sometimes three deep; also the high collar that stands open in front and rolls away from the face, and the high stock collar, shading the popular ribbons which pass around the armhole and are tied upon the shoulders.

In fact, materials she must confine herself to plain surfaces and vertical stripes, but with a mingling of these two splendid effects may be obtained.

Among the society devotees of New York are many who have to solve the stout woman's dress problem. Of these a wealthy widow, not young, was recently married. The wedding garment was of mauve velvet, with Venetian lace.

It had the back cut in princess form, with a train, and the front with a Louis XV cost. This is a very good model. Cost pieces are often sewed on the back, on the front of the pointed basque, but these are hardly noticeable, and clear enough without *increasing the size.*—Boston Globe.

The Proper Way to Sit.

A proper sitting position requires that the spine shall be kept erect, and that the support needed for the upper part of the body shall be felt in the right place. Therefore, sit as far back as possible in the chair, so that the lower end of the spine shall be braced against the back of the seat. If this back is straight the shoulders will also rest against it; if not, they will have to be held up by muscular effort. It is found that they do not need it. This position makes no strain upon the ligaments, nor does it allow a proper projection of the shoulders, consequently of the chest, consequently of the lungs, stomach and every other organ of the body. Their work is carried on naturally and comfortably, as is also the circulation of the blood, which in a wrong sitting position is seriously interfered with.

With the feet resting squarely upon the floor, the hands resting easily upon the lap, perfect equilibrium, and consequently perfect rest of the body, is secured. There is no strain upon any part of the body; no muscle or organ is required to do more than its legitimate amount of work. The arms should never be folded, for this position not only causes a strain upon the spine and all the other evils already referred to, but in addition places the weight of the arms upon the stomach and the diaphragm, thereby increasing the labor of digestion and respiration. Placing the hands behind the back or folding the arms behind the back, if possible, is a good attitude to take occasionally, giving as it does the fullest expansion to the whole upper part of the body.—Caroline Le Row in Ladies' Home Journal.

A Case of Disenchantment.

There is a story told of a Virginia gentleman, a descendant of Pocahontas, being deeply enamored of some lady fair, rode forth to tell his love. He took her hand, raised it to his lips, and after asking it as a gift, saw the pink nails of his lady edged with black, dropped it, said farewell, and such was the end of this chapter called "Disenchantment." Modern Cupid must *make sure to tie tighter the bindfold in* the fascinating sex, or the curtain may fall there, as to-day, should manipulate the machinery before the curtain rises, lest it fall before the drama be complete.—Richmond Dispatch.

GOOD HEALTH

THE PHYSIOGNOMY OF A CHILD.

Hints of Interest to Those Who Have the Care of Children.

A physician is lecturing recently to teachers upon "The Children in Schools," begun by explaining that the care of children must be more or less based on special observations as to their physical appearance, for our only index of what the brain was doing was the physiognomy of the children. The first points the teacher should regard in the child were its general marks, its size and the balance of its parts as indicating proportional development. The size of the head was important; the proportion, position and equal size of the eyes, and other details respecting the features of the child were to be studied *with reference to the child's normal development.* Further, the child's expression was a valuable sign to the teacher of the mental powers.

The furrowed forehead, combined with lifting or knitting of the brows, denoted a very common form of worry exhibited by 1,000 children out of 5,000 whom the lecturer had examined. Of these 1,000, 1,200 were boys and 800 were girls. These furrows, the lecturer explained, were a fact which was constantly brought to his notice with regard to children—that boys exhibited many more features of positive development than could be found among girls. The general expression, which revealed to us the individuality and character of the child, was even more important as a subject of observation than the separate expression of each feature. The lecturer pointed out similar peculiarities in the hands by which teachers might trace signs of exhaustion or of the highly nervous habit in children.

ETIQUETTE

ITEMS IN DINNER GIVING.

Forms of Invitation, Styles in Serving, Decoration, Menus, Etc.

An invitation to a formal dinner may be engraved in the following form:

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morrison
request the pleasure of
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harvell's
company at dinner on Thursday,
April 14th, 1892,
at eight o'clock.
84 Lincoln avenue.

Good Housekeeping, from which we quote further, says: "Formerly the letters R. S. V. P. (Responder s'il vous plait) signifying, 'Respond if you please,' were added, or, as was more customary with the English, the words, 'The favor of an answer is requested.' It is now thought to be in better taste to omit these, every one asked being supposed to understand that an immediate note of acceptance or regret is imperative. Those accustomed to entertaining a good deal find it convenient to have at hand a quantity of invitation forms in which blank spaces are left for the names of the guests and date of the dinner, these being filled out as required by the hostess. Although shaped and styled in invitation cards and sheets, they are not formidable and need not be. Any one who can write a note to you can say that neither the rules of fashion nor good taste will be violated if a heavy, smooth, surfaced, unlined cream or white paper is used.

"The dinner of bygone days, served in the ponderous English style, seemed to the lighter taste of the present day a formidable undertaking. We have not yet altogether adopted the Russian fashion, but we have come to appreciate many of its advantages, and the aim is to introduce it has resulted in a sort of compromise between the two modes, which is, perhaps, more satisfactory than either.

"Fashionable dinner tables now have a round or oval top in place of the square or oblong ones so long in vogue. In this we welcome the revival of a good old fashion. No other table is more comfortable or more conducive to sociability. More than this, no other table lends itself so readily to artistic decoration, and the effect is wrong in the way, like the legs of a square table, and there are no ugly corners to dispose of.

"The plan for laying and decorating the table depends entirely upon the taste of the hostess. As a rule, however, recent tables have shown more color than has been indulged in for a few years past. An effort has been made also to replace the low decorations which have been popular so long with the higher, more stately pyramids of flowers, fruits, fruit and flowers.

"A point in dispute is whether or not all the knives, forks and spoons to be used throughout the repast shall be arranged at the places the guests are seated. Formerly, the leather was folded over a fast which was constantly brought to his notice with regard to children—that boys exhibited many more features of positive development than could be found among girls. The general expression, which revealed to us the individuality and character of the child, was even more important as a subject of observation than the separate expression of each feature. The lecturer pointed out similar peculiarities in the hands by which teachers might trace signs of exhaustion or of the highly nervous habit in children.

Milk as a Microbe Killer.

A French scientific journal is authority for the statement that it has been demonstrated by experiments that the cholera bacillus dies in an hour if put into milk drawn fresh from the cow, and in five hours if put into fresh goat's milk. The bacillus of typhoid fever takes twenty-four hours to die in cow's milk and five hours in goat's milk. Other microbes suffer a like fate in varying periods. But it has also been found that milk maintained for an hour at a temperature of 121 degs. Fahrenheit loses its power to kill microbes or statements which is of importance in the face of the common teaching which makes the purification of milk depend upon its being heated. Again the bacterial properties of milk become weaker the older it gets, for cow's milk after four days and goat's milk after five days cease to have any effect upon micro-organisms.

Hot Water Cure for Insomnia.

Hot water is a sovereign remedy for many ailments nowadays. Its latest application is for insomnia. A great sufferer relates to have found immediate relief by drinking three goblets of water as hot as he can stand it and bathing his feet in hot water just before retiring.

This Date in History—May 24.

GREGORY VII.

1206.—Pope Gregory VII. Sr. assumes the Hildebrand. died in Salerno, born 1020 as Sarzana, son of Bonfigliuolo, carpenter, and Imelda Pecorara, Lombard.

1215.—Stephen Gerard, associate banker, philanthropist and statesman, died in Philadelphia, born near Bordeaux, France, 1750.

1819.—The Savannah, first steam vessel to sail the ocean, started across the Atlantic.

1826.—The Army of the Potomac having met with a repulse recrossed to the left bank of the North Anna and moved southeastward.

1879.—William Lloyd Garrison, journalist and famous abolitionist, died in New York; born 1805.

1883.—The United States removed the garrison from Hilton Head, New York harbor, to make it a landing place for immigrants.

A Great Question Answered.

The school teacher had invited his normal friend to visit his school and after they there he addressed the scholars. His remarks were historic and historic and in the course of them he ran across Julius Cæsar.

"It was a time of tumult in Rome, the Eternal City—you all know where Rome is, children," he said, and Cæsar was away in the north fighting. He knew a strong hand and a brave heart were needed there, but none dared to make the supreme step, and he hesitated by a rock where others feared to tread. Beyond the Rubicon Cæsar heard the din of discord and at last he came down to the banks of the little stream and looked toward the capital city. To march thither meant victory or death, and Cæsar crossed the Rubicon. Yes, children, the die was cast and Cæsar crossed the Rubicon. And to say he cross the Rubicon? I ask you children, weak and wavering between right and wrong, why he crossed the Rubicon? Why did he—"

"I know," piped a youngster, interrupting the orator. "I know; he wanted to git over on the other side."—Detroit Free Press.

A Warm Reception.

She—With what warm pen particularly struck when you first went on the stage?

He—Two bricks and a cabbage.—Harvard Lampoon.

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MOON'S PHASES.

● First	3	9:12	◐ Third	19	8:42
○ Full	11	5:59	● New	26	2:02
◑ Fall		9:25	○ Rise		4:18

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The most successful season we have ever had and low prices have done it. We have 100 more rolls to sell, and they go at your own price.
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Another ready and 'twill be the last of those fine 99 piece English porcelain dinner sets I have offered they are.
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The Weather.

Partly cloudy with no decided temperature changes, followed by rain.

BREVITIES

—There will be no auction sale at Carey's until June 3d, on account of outside sales.

—The small-pox patient, J. R. Passmore, is reported entirely recovered and will be out in a few days.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church will hold a "Festival of Roses" the 16th and 17th of June.

—The Port Reading rate last Wednesday lowered its coal rates to meet the cut made by the Pennsylvania.

—The monthly meeting of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society will be held on Thursday at 2.30 in Reform Hall.

—Plainfield may also be termed the "City of Churches." There are twenty-five churches and missions in this city.

—Every member of Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Trinity Reformed church is requested to be present on Thursday at four o'clock.

—The first street car in Trenton to be propelled by electricity ran over the East Trenton branch of the Trenton Horse railroad Monday night.

—The pipes of the water company will be laid as far as Westfield by June 1, and it is said they will reach the river at North avenue, Cranford, by Sept. 1.

—Mr. O. M. Dunham, men's outfitter, of West Front street, is kept constantly busy making suits of clothing for his patrons. His work has the name of being well done.

—St. John's Commandery, K. T., of Elizabeth, will visit Plainfield on Thursday evening, Ascension Day, to attend church as guests of Trinity Commandery No. 11, K. T., of this city.

—On account of the sudden illness of G. S. F. J. McGuire, the mass meeting of the carpenters and joiners union of America which was to have been held last night, was postponed.

—The remains of the man who was killed on the Central Railroad near the Cherry street bridge at Elizabeth last week, were buried in potter's field Monday, they not having been identified.

—Quite a number of members from this city will attend the Army of the Potomac reunion in Scranton on June 13 and 14. It is expected that there will be the largest meeting in many years.

—The closing exercises of the Wide-a-Awake Circle will be held Friday afternoon at four o'clock in the W. C. T. U. rooms, Crescent Building. Every member is particularly requested to be present.

—The senior class of Rutgers College assembled last night at their last banquet at Schleisinger's, New Brunswick. Thirty-three sat around the festive board. To-day they will separate for their homes.

—The Public Library has received a valuable addition to its department of architecture, from Mr. Thomas B. Brooks. This is three portfolios of Shopnell's "Building Designs," containing plans, etc., for $5,000, $7,500 and $10,000 homes respectively. These portfolios will be shown to all interested in the subject, who will apply to the librarian.

—The search for the antecedents of the Burglar "Ringer" continues, and the prosecuting of his sentence has been deferred for another week. In examining his clothing the initials "S. C" have been discovered on his shirt, and this is regarded as a positive clue. He is considered by Warden Dodd as a prisoner of more than ordinary intelligence, and exceedingly well-informed on matters generally. He was evidently feigning stupidity at the time of his capture here.

—Prof. Avon C. Burnham of Brooklyn, assisted by his pupil, Miss Emma Van Rensselaer Wilson, appeared in the casino at the Union County Country Club last evening, in recitals, which, as the programme had it, were "dramatic, humorous and "humorous." The audience appeared much pleased. Mrs. J. C. Slocter as pianist, and Master Walter Burnett Burnham, on the violin, gave the musical part of the programme. The professor is the instructor at the gymnasium of the Plainfield Bicycle Club House, and by his many versatile talents and likable qualities is very popular with the young men.

PERSONAL.

Miss Minnie Williams of Sandford avenue, is visiting friends at Westfield.

Mrs. J. H. Startup, of Middletown, N.Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alexander Willets.

Mr. H. S. Hall, of Plainfield avenue, has been confined to his home for the past two weeks on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lockey of Westfield have located in Plainfield, having secured a cozy home on Westervelt avenue. Mr. Lockey is a member of the firm of Rice, Duval and Lockey, merchant tailors, at 231 Broadway, New York. Their advertisement appears in another column. The couple have many warm friends in Plainfield.

Lost His Overcoat.

Joseph L. Weil, a wholesale druggist at No. 811 Madison avenue, New York, has sued John A. Staats, proprietor of the Sheldon House, Elizabeth, to recover the value of an overcoat and a pair of kid gloves stolen from the hotel April 30th. He ate dinner at the hotel that day without registering. When he left the dining room his coat and gloves, which he had left with a waitress, were missing. Landlord Staats claims that he is not responsible because Weil was not registered as a guest.

EMERSON NOT FOUND.

The Searchers for the Missing Lawyer return.

Lawyer Emerson's brother and Charles T. Ryshan who left this city, last Sunday, for Washington, in search of Howard Emerson, returned last night, having lost all trace of him after he telegraphed from Covington, Va. They evidently fear that his mind is unbalanced, caused probably by a recent attack of la grippe and that he will wander around from town to town until discovered by his friends.

Major Anderson Post, No. 100.

The Memorial services of Major Anderson Post, No. 100, G. A. R. will be held at Salvation Army Hall, West Second street next Monday evening.

The programme will consist of an oration, concert solos and vocal selections by the following well known artists:

Orator of the day, Rev. Comrade Wm. S. Sherwer, Chaplain Gen. Tyndale Post 100, Dept. of Penn.

Dr. Jos. F. Berg, E. flat cornet; Miss Rose Berg, B. flat cornet; Miss Berg, accompanist.

Mrs. Asa Collier, soprano; Mrs. Julia G. Ketchum, alto; Mr. Elmer E. Sawyer, tenor; Mr. Robert Gorton, bass; Miss Jennie M. Utter, accompanist.

The following is a list of the officers for 1892:

Commander—Asa Collier.

Senior Vice Commander—C. H. Randolph.

Junior Vice Commander—Wm. H. B. Drake.

Adjutant—Herman C. Magne.

Quartermaster—Ed. C. Osborn.

Surgeon—Dr. J. F. Berg.

Chaplain—Thos. H. Crosley.

Officer of the Day—Ed. T. Dunn.

Officer of the Guard—I. K. Anderson.

Sergeant-Major—John R. Naylor.

Quartermaster-Sergeant—Joseph Dunham.

Outside Sentinel—J. L. Bilyeu.

Past Commanders — Nelson Runyon, Elmer D. Moffett, Abel S. Titsworth.

Memorial Detail—Past Com. Dr. Abel S. Titsworth; Officer of the Day, Ed. T. Dunn; Comrade, John Hosker.

Entertainment Detail Senior Vice-Commander, C. H. Randolph; Adjutant, M. C. Magne; Comrade, Rev. L. Livermore; Past Commander, Dr. Abel S. Titsworth.

No other memorial service will be held next Sunday at the Crescent avenue church. The Post will attend in a body.

Music Hall Association.

The regular meeting of the directors of the Music Hall Association was held in the office of Craig A. Marsh, Monday evening, and the following officers were elected:

President—Alexander Gilbert.

Secretary—C. A. Marsh.

Treasurer—O. T. Waring.

Executive Committee—W. E. Lowe, J. W. Murray, W. J. Moore, C. A. Marsh.

Entertainment Committee—J. B. Dumont, W. E. Lowe, C. A. Marsh.

Propositions were received from Mr. J. A. Demarest and Mr. F. W. Runyon, the former to lease Music Hall, and the latter to act as manager, at the same salary as last year. Both communications were referred to a committee of Messrs. Alexander Gilbert, J. W. Murray and Craig A. Marsh with power.

High School Alumni.

A meeting of the High School Alumni was held last night. June 28th was fixed as the date for the reunion and the following committees were appointed:

Finance—T. Rushmore, '77 chairman; Miss J. Bass, '76; G. R. Titsworth, '79; Miss F. A. Stevens, '91; Miss M. M. Pritts, '93.

Programme—F. G. Smith, '77 chairman; Miss J. L. Demarest, '75; Miss J. J. Ketcham, '77; Miss S. L. Bass, '91; F. B. Newman, '93.

Reception and Refreshments—H. J. Rockefeller, '76 chairman; Miss M. E. Mosher, '77; Mrs. T. Rushmore, '80; Miss L. E. Fritts, '89; Miss E. V. Case, '90.

Resolutions and etc—Miss B. W. Lansing, '76 chairman; W. S. Angleman, '80; Miss E. L. Bass '83; W. C. Hubbard, '84; Miss E. L. Gilbert, '91.

Westfield's New Bank.

The First National Bank of Westfield, which has just been incorporated and which will commence business this Summer, has at its head Alfred D. Cook, President, and Robert H. Cook, Cashier, both of this city.

A $50,000 bank building will be erected at once and the directors are to be C. G. Endicott, H. L. Fisk and J. S. Irving.

A. L. Marsh of this city will be the architect and the building will be at the corner of Broad and Elm streets, Westfield. The second floor will be offices and the third lodge rooms.

Ascension Day Services.

Trinity Commandery will attend Ascension Day services at Grace church tomorrow evening at eight o'clock.

Sir Knights from Ocean de Leon Commandery, at New Brunswick and St. John Commandery of Elizabeth will be their guests.

A sermon will be preached by the Rev. Henry M. Barber, at Trenton, and the music will be under the direction of Mr. Wm. R. Cox.

From Winfield Scott Post.

The Memorial Detail of Winfield Scott Post, No. 2 extend a cordial invitation to all civic societies desirous to assist with them on Memorial Day in the afternoon parade.

A position in line will be assigned in the order of acceptance, by notifying the secretary. Chas. B. Stevens, 45 West Second street.

HEALTH RESTORERS.

THE CONVENTION AT THE HOTEL NETHERWOOD.

What the N. J. Pharmaceutical Association Members are Doing—The Session this Morning and Banquet To-Night.

A preliminary meeting of the committee of the New Jersey Pharmaceutical Association was held at the Hotel Allen last night, to arrange final details for the convention to be held at Hotel Netherwood to-day.

President F. R. Davis, of Morristown; Secretary Chas. F. Dare, of Bridgeton, and Treasurer Wm. H. Twomley, of Newark were among those present. Eighteen in all.

The convention was called to order at 10.15 this morning. Thirty-two members were present. The session was occupied by reports of committees.

The President, F. R. Davis, read the annual address. A telegram of greeting was sent to the N. Y. Pharmaceutical Convention which is convening at Saratoga, N. Y.

This afternoon the visiting members will drive through the city and suburbs and to-night a banquet and musicale will be given.

The visiting members express themselves well pleased with the hospitality that has been shown them and are delighted with the Hotel Netherwood and surroundings.

To-morrow they will resume the business session and adjourn the convention.

Fourth Anniversary.

The fourth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Warren Mission took place last evening. There were representatives from most all of Young People's Societies in Plainfield and vicinity. All were invited. Following the right of the large mission of dogwood, so tastefully arranged in rear of the platform, also the profusion of flowers, was beautiful to behold.

On one side of the platform the new organ and choir occupied the space. On the other side was the orchestra, consisting of Prof. Chas. Anderson, Director; Joseph Setzelin, Frederick Fellows, Daniel K. Davis, Joseph Moore, C. S. Petrie and Frank Petrie. The following programme was rendered with great credit throughout:

PROGRAMME.
Selection Orchestra.
Singing, Anthem—"I will Praise Thee"..... Choir
Singing, Solo—"I Know My Redeemer Liveth"..... Choir
Scripture Lesson..... Congregation
Prayer..... Rev. Mr. P. Moon and Geo D. Mosher
Singing—"Blest be the Tie that Binds" 134 Congregation
Secretary's Report.
Singing, Anthem—"I will Extol Thee"..... Choir
Address..... Rev. Mr. Martine—Subject: "Christian Endeavor"
Singing—"At the Cross" No. 33, Gospel Hymns
Presentation of Organ by M. M. Dunham.
Music..... Mrs. Mc Kinney and Mr. Petrie
Presentation to Organist, Miss Maggie Sheppard Parker.
Closing Hymn—"Abide at Jesus" Congregation
Chair and Congregation.
Followed by a general social time, with music by the orchestra.

The music throughout was a most delightful treat. Mention is made of the selection by Mrs. Pollock, piano; Mr. Pollock, flute; and Mr. Petrie, violin. Also of the address by the Rev. Mr. Martine.

Arrivals at the Hotels.

The following are registered at the various hotels in this city:

Hotel Albion—Jos. Purcell, Miss Florence Purcell, Cranford; A. Drischler, Newark; E. B. Davis, President N. J. A. A., Morristown; Geo. M. Carskaze, Bordentown, C. H. Ingersoll, New York; C. F. David, Boston; Albert E. Elwall, Bridgeton; Chas. P. Dare, Bridgeton; Ed. B. Jones, Mt. Holly; F. B. Stiles, Wife and child, New Brunswick; E. D. Earle, Phila.; W. R. Laird, Jersey City; G. S. Cook, Somerville; W. Scott Taylor, Trenton; Chas. B. Smith, W. S. Towsley, Newark; W. T. Brown, Madison; Jas. J. Brophy, Allentown, N. J.; Geo. T. Pitcarpin, Trenton; H. P. Reynolds, City; F. E. Harding, Lone Branch.

Hotel Grenada—Henry V. Mooton, Lewistown, Pa., Henry Ackerman, Nyack; S. C. T. Wilbur, City; Wm. D. Morris and wife, New York; C. H. Stock, Schenectady; H. O. Vail, Boston, Mass.; Jas. E. Greenwood, Phila.; E. B. Entwist, Johnstown, Pa.; S. Davis, Newark; Dr. H. S. Fuller, St. Louis.

City Hotel—Perry Green, Newark; S. F. Withers, Cincinnati; John Miller, City; W. F. Pitskin, Brooklyn, Jas. A. Jones, Sampstown; Abe Nelson, Hoboken.

Choral Society Election.

The annual meeting of the Choral Society was held Monday evening and the entire board of officers were re-elected as follows:

President—Wm. Wallace Howland.

Vice President—Charles W. McCutchen.

Secretary—Nelson Runyon.

Treasurer—H. Otis Newman.

Librarian—F. R. Smith.

Directors—C. W. McCutchen, D. E. Davis, G. T. Rogers.

A Pointer to Tramps.

Says a breeder of bulldogs: "The quickest way to relieve a person from the jaws of a bulldog, if he has nothing at hand to hit him with, is by catching the dog by the hind legs and lifting him, which is an exceedingly tender spot with the beast. This will cause him to let go, or, even should he pay no attention to the pain and bite on with the teeth. The dog will relinquish the hold at once. It is a dangerous thing to do, however, and one that is resented to by the professional dog fighters."—New York Herald.

Base Ball Notes.

Crescents vs. Actives of Brooklyn to-day.

A good game is expected this afternoon. Keeler and probably Bonner will be the battery for the home club.

League games commence to-morrow, weather permitting.

STATE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

To Meet at Trenton To-day—Cleveland Seems to be the Choice of the Probable Delegates.

The State Democratic Convention met to-day at Trenton, to elect delegates to the National Democratic Convention to be held at Chicago.

The delegates from this city are as follows:

First Ward—W. L. Force, delegate; W. L. Herbert, alternate.

Second Ward—James Clark, delegate; no alternate.

Third Ward—Seymour G. Smith, delegate; Benjamin Dalgleish, alternate.

Fourth Ward—W. L. Vennes, Daniel McCarthy, delegates; Jacob Krivey, M. B. Flynn, alternates.

North, Plainfield—Mayor W. L. Quackenbos, P. L. Hunter, delegates.

The Congressional district delegation will probably be as follows: First, Gen. George R. Bunnel, Wm. Thompson; Second, John H. Scudder, Thomas S. Prickett; Third, J. S. Stone, Wilmot F. Cox; Fourth, Johnston Corson, J. Stewart Stokes; Fifth, Garret Kruper, Isaac S. Dumenberry; Seventh, Dennis McLaughlin, Robert Davis; Eighth, Joseph B. Tatem, Thomas Newton.

More than three-fourths of these have pledged themselves to Cleveland at home, as there is little question what they will do at Chicago if Cleveland remains a candidate.

Allen L. McDermott has been named by the members of the Democratic Executive Committee to place Miller Hunt, Mr. Ross declined a renomination.

James Smith, Jr., will head the New Jersey delegation.

THE STATE PRISON.

The Cost of Running Last Year—One Female Prisoner for Life.

The cost of running the State prison last year was $42,888.88, amounted realized by contracts, $24,871.52, making the actual cost to the State, $18,017.36. Mr. Patterson, the keeper, strongly urges that contracts be let, as convicts earn their earnings placed to their credit, so that they could help their dependent families during their terms of imprisonment, and to assist them to live honestly when they return to society.

Over $2,000 worth of dollars has been appropriated for a new wing. There are six life prisoners, three in for thirty years, twenty-six for twenty years and 194 for ten. Hudson county has the largest representation. But one female, Lizzie Gershbein, is in for life. She has been an inmate twenty years, and was but seventeen years of age at the time of her conviction. She killed her husband, an old man who owned a small farm, and states that she was lodged to kill him by her lover.

The other life convicts are Jacob Van Arsdale, who was sentenced in 1869; Samuel Sutton, in 1880; John Rasmussen, in 1887; Peter Post, who killed his wife and child, in 1887, and Patrick Quinn, 1887.

The present number of convicts in the prison is about 525 males and 17 females. Of these 200 have been received during the past year and 183 discharged. Seventeen were paroled under the new law. Of these fifteen have been returned and were kept. The work performed by the prisoners is in the line of hosiery, shoes, mats, brushes, shirts and trousers.

Bicycle Notes.

The Somerset Wheelmen have organized with the following officers: President, James L. Griggs; vice-president, Hugh K. Easton; secretary, Dr. B. Mathews; treasurer, Jeffrey Dougherty, Jr.; captain, C. S. Bird; first lieutenant, F. G. Thomas; second lieutenant, P. Vendeveer; color bearer, F. V. Sodine; trustees, Messrs. Griggs, Easton, Doughty, Mathews and Bird. The club is contemplating the question of road improvements, and will send a large delegation to the national meet of the League of American Wheelmen at Washington, July 18, 19 and 20.

Arrangements are already being made for the transportation of a large number of bicyclists from New Jersey to the World's Fair. A careful estimate fixes the number of New Jersey wheels which can be rolled upon to go at 500, and for that number accommodations will be provided. In the vicinity of the fair there will have an entire row of buildings, to be known as the "Bicyclers of New Jersey Wheelmen, I. A. W."

An isle of Wight correspondent of cycling writes: "At Ventnor the other day I saw a new water cycle. It consists of two boats, each 20 feet long, placed side by side, and worked by two pair of pedals in each boat. In the space between the boats is a seat for two persons, the whole length, on which one to seated three or four on either side.

The Asbury Park Wheelmen's Memorial Day races have reached a high degree of excitement, and the interest is increasing. The track is a one-third mile circle with good time ought to be made.

Half Hours to Gotzenberg via Pennsylvania.

On Thursday, June 2d, 1892, the "High Water Mark" Monument will be dedicated on the field of Gettysburg. This monument marks the farthest point reached by the Union lines reached by Pickett's charge on the second day of July 3d, 1863. The monument is the property of the Gotzenberg Memorial Association, and the dedicatory ceremonies will be highly interesting, consisting of speeches, prayer, music and unveiling of statues, groups and numerous figures, both officers and privates, will be gathered on the historic field. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will on June 1st and 2d, sell excursion tickets to Gettysburg at a single fare for the round trip. Return coupons will be valid for one until June 4th, inclusive.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

The Separate Coach Bill.

Louisville, May 25, (Special)—Gov. Brown has signed "the Separate Coach" bill. This law provides that every passenger railway train shall be provided with a separate coach for negroes.

It goes into effect ninety days after the adjournment of the Legislature.

The negroes strongly opposed the law.

John Harold Dead.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 25th. (Special.)—John Harold, war veteran and author of "Life in Libby Prison," died here to-day.

Will go to Minneapolis.

The delegates from New Jersey to the National Republican Convention, which will be held in Minneapolis June 7th, are as follows:

DELEGATES-AT-LARGE.

William J. Sewell, Camden; George A. Halsey, Essex; G. A. Robert, Passaic; John T. Warren.

DISTRICT DELEGATES.

1. David Baird, Camden; Daniel P. Elmer, Cumberland.

2. Otto Wiegand, A. Bentley, Mercer; Harry P. Thorn, Burlington.

3. H. F. Howell, Middlesex; William T. Hoffman, Monmouth.

4. Frank Swann, Somers; George W. Jones, Morris.

5. John E. Miller, Bergen; William Bonnell, Passaic.

6. Dr. H. C. Herold and Frank Parker, Essex.

7. Hilbert Collins and Thomas McEwan, Hudson.

8. J. Alexander Gilbert of Union and Elias H. Caudle, Essex.

A Freak of Nature.

A freak of nature has come to light in the county jail at Fort Smith, Texas. His name is Jesse E. Lee, and he is 35 years of age. Turn the boy's head so that a mirror will show him his eyes and the phenomenon is at once clearly seen. Around the pupil of the eyes, in the iris, are the twenty-six letters of the alphabet arranged symmetrically. They are very diminutive but clear and distinct. Four letters are placed between in each eye, three up to M in the left eye, and the remaining ones in the right. Lee hails from Georgia, and has wandered to this State. He is rather below the average intelligence, and seems not to know the value of money. Lee says that his father, who is a poor preacher in an isolated section of Georgia, also carries the alphabet in his eyes, but never thought anything of it. He has four brothers similarly afflicted.—Ex.

The Green Goods' Agent.

James Douglas, the green goods agent who was arrested at New Brunswick, is sleeping quiet in his cell, declining to talk with any one except his lawyer, Mr. Theodore Strong. His wife came from New York to see him yesterday afternoon and had an unmolested meeting in the jailer's office. It lasted about half an hour.

Several men have called upon Douglas and his lawyer the past few days. Two more were there yesterday. Their business is to get the bail reduced from $6,000. Mr. Strong is very sanguine that the release of Douglas will be secured in a short time. He bases his opinion upon the ground that the State has no case.

They do not want Racing.

The district stewards of the Methodist Episcopal churches in the New Brunswick district their annual meeting at Red Bank Thursday. About sixty ministers and delegates were present. Presiding Elder Strickland, of New Brunswick, was the presiding officer. The elder's salary for the coming year was fixed at $2,000.

Resolutions were adopted indorsing the work of the law and order league against the Monmouth Park race track, and promising collections in the churches to aid the work.

—Five cool cars left the track at Green Brook this afternoon, bleeding track. No fire. All West Bound trains are running over tracks One and Four.

(Have come H.-O. for breakfast.)

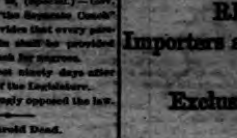
Why?

Delicate, sustaining, always relished—That's why.

IF YOU WANT
FINE ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER
Cheese, Fresh Eggs, Fine Fruit and Vegetables, call at
NO. 826 NORTH AVENUE,
Also on hand canned goods, pickles, etc.
THOS. CAREY. 19 1m*

MR. ROBERT LUCKEY,
Late of OF PLAINFIELD.
RICE, DUVAL & LUCKEY,
Importers and Tailors,
231 Broadway, New York.
Exclusively Fine Class Tailoring.
Moderate Prices.
22 1m*

SOMETHING TO REMEMBER!



On Account of
several outside sales there will be
No Auction Sale
at Carey's this week. Will commence again on
June 3, at 2 p. m.
Get your goods at half price but the new building store,
70 West Front Street.

WHEN I WANT A GOOD SHOE
FOR A
LITTLE MONEY
I GO TO
DOANE & VAN ARSDALE'S,
The One-Price Boot and Shoe House. 32 West Front Street.
The above quotation is from one of our many customers.
P. S.—All sorts of Summer specialties.

Cents-Word Column.

HELP WANTED.

IF there is anyone in need of a situation they look here for your advertisement. 25 cents per week. 25 3

WANTED—Good men for dining-room. 25 cents per week. 25 3

WANTED—Immediately, for one week, a girl for general housework in private family. 25 Cents per week. 25 3

WANTED—For child five years old, a nurse to make herself generally useful. 25 Cents per week. 25 3

FOR RENT.

A NEW and delightful eight-room house to rent. Hot and cold water, bath room, large cellar, all modern conveniences and location. Address "Richmond Street," care of EVENING NEWS. 20 1m*

SQUARE piano to let. Terms $3 per month. 32 Genesee avenue. 5 7tf

FOR SALE.

$190—Fine upright piano for sale. In use three months. Good as new. J. R. Buckley, 15 Hull Front street, Somerville. 3 2tf

A GOOD horse, carriage and harness for sale. Apply at 240 West Front street, near Bonnell street. 24 3

A FRANKLIN Expert tennis racket for sale for $3. Cost $7. Address "Racket," care of EVENING NEWS. 24 1*

$65 INSTALLMENTS will buy a $100 Singer sewing machine. Guaranteed in perfect running order. Address Geo. W. Morrison. 17 6

DESIRABLE building lots can be purchased at Edgewood Park, Somerset street. Address R. F. N. Chase, Plainfield, N. J., or apply to E. C. Mulford, real estate broker. Call and see them. 100 feet above the R. R. 3 12tf

1892 RALEIGH pneumatic safety bicycle; perfect condition guaranteed; price $175, cost $125. Geo. W. Morrison. 24 6

$110 WILL buy a brand new 1892 Columbia bicycle, 52 inch wheel, ball bearings throughout; cushion tires; ball bearing all round; guaranteed free from defects; cost $150; one year old. Address Geo. W. Morrison. 17 6

THIS way to let the people know you have something for sale is to put that fact right under their head.

TAKE NOTICE—I will expose the property of Peter Richardson for sale for cash on June 2, 1892. T. J. Carey. 12 1tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHEVRATTENHUMS, 25 cents, worth 2 cents; blooming plants, at Dexter's florist, 21 7

LADIES wishing best dressmaking for style and fit to Rooms, 5 and 6 Arcade Building, Somerset street. 20 1m*

OLD FASHIONED Armchairs in good order, bought and sold. Call Fox, corner 21 Hamilton street. 5 3m*

SECURE your tickets for the Commodore Foster Post reception at Music Hall. 5 2tf

USE Fay's Health Soothing butter and cheese color; it is the best. 5 1m

Decoration Day in the Mountains.

EXCURSION
to
Manch Chunk,
Glen Onoko,
and the famed switchback, via Central Railroad of New Jersey, the Fast Running R. R.
Monday, May 30th.
Train will leave Plainfield for Manch Chunk, Glen Onoko, and the Switchback at 6.30 a. m. Fare (round trip) $4.75.
Switchback, 50 cents extra. 20 3 and

READINGS BY
MISS MAUDE AGNES BOWERS,
and
MISS GERTRUDE MARCHAND,
Assisted by Mrs. C. B. Brooks, Miss A. Carlee, Mrs. L. G. Simpson, Miss Grace Howard, Miss Alice Simpson, Miss Annie Murphy, Miss Caroline Roth.
—
A Series of
Greek Tableaux,
and a Quartette from the Elizabeth Glee Club.
At the Casino, May 27.
Tickets $1, on sale at Reynolds' pharmacy. 13 and 3d

AUCTION SALE!
of superior furniture, carpets, etc., on Park avenue, between Second and Third streets, at the late home of ex-Mayor John H. Evans.
Thursday, May 26th,
at 10 o'clock a. m.
Black walnut bedroom suites, hair mattresses, spring mattresses, bedsteads and pillows, springs, commodes, writing desk, library, desk, corner and side tables, four oak sitting room suites, parlor and lounges, black and gilt cornices, plate glass mirrors, 6—ft. 8 in. by 3 ft. 6 in.—one 4 ft. 2 by 3 ft.; large oak sideboard, Wilton, Brussels, Moquette and Ingrain carpets, oil cloths, linoleum, with brass poles, extension table, 14 feet, dishwashing chairs, (in leather) hotter, Air-tight parlor stove, B. B. organs, E. W. Wicker, rattan chairs and rockers, China, crockery, glassware, engravings, kitchen furniture, wood, tin and ironware, corneted rubber and cocoa door mats; refrigerators.
Also a number of lawn mowers, rowing flying Mercury, 7½ feet in length; skiff, 12 ft. 6 in. Marcus Warner, with sword and shield, height 6 feet. Also, a fine, 4 horse power, height 6 feet. Sale unless, if been mowers, 1 lawn roller, sprinkling cart, grind stone, hose and reel.
A. BROWNELL.
T. J. Gillen, auctioneer.
Terms Cash. 21 6*

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
First National Bank
At Plainfield, in the State of New Jersey, at the close of business
May 17, 1892.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	$205,481 97
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	2,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents	25,000 00
Due from other National Banks	2,000 00
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1,000 00
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	11,000 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	2,000 00
Checks and other cash items	1,000 00
Bills of other Banks	5,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,000 00
Specie	25,000 00
Legal-tender notes	10,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,500 00
Total	$350,481 97

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	20,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Dividends unpaid	1,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	179,481 97
Demand certificates of deposit	1,000 00
Due to other National Banks	2,000 00
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,000 00
Total	$350,481 97

State of New Jersey, } ss.
County of Union, }
I, T. J. Gillen, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
T. J. GILLEN, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of May, 1892.
NELSON BOSTON,
Notary Public of N. J.
Correct—Attest:
S. N. Pierce,
T. G. Gillen,
P. L. Kenyon,
Directors.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Those who year after year quietly submit to injustice deserve to suffer from it. Those who are too tame to fight against oppression must expect nothing else. The most precious boon to mankind is liberty; but no man is fit for liberty who is not ready to defend it.

How the London journals did scoff loftily when it was cabled from this side of the Atlantic that Great Britain would take part in a bimetallic conference with the United States and other nations. They said it was not so; that England had no use for silver, and would not condescend to meet the United States in a silver conference. They only proved anew that *the individuals who know* least about public matters are those that think they know the most. When the silver conference that Mr. Goschen has assured us England will accept our invitation to *share in* actually takes place, those great newspapers will have some more opinions, but they will be modified.

The decent private in the United States army is a good deal more of a gentleman than the drinking, gambling, tyrannical officer who endeavors to fix a great social gulf between them. One of these officers in a public address lately went so far out of his way as an officer and a gentleman as to slander the private soldier as always a coarse, low fellow. The fact is that vicious and criminal characters are not recruited in the United States army. Very often, in a fit of pique, *well educated young men*, belonging to families of at least as good social standing as those of the persons who strut over them, enlist in the regular ranks. This slandering of the grand little army of the United States will not elevate in public opinion the so called gentlemen who indulge in it. A man's gentlemanhood never shines so brightly as when he recognizes the gentlemanhood in another.

How to Have Good Manners.

Doubtless thousands of young people, and not a small number of old ones, wish every day of their lives that they could learn the secret of fascinating others by means of their graceful, exquisite manners. The secret is an open one. It is so easy to learn that it lies all neglected by the wayside, while they who would give their truest treasure to find it pass by unknowing.

It is only this: Fill your heart with good will to everybody and then practice at all times the best manners you know, particularly at home. If you begin at home this charming manner will, so to speak, get settled on you and never leave you. Be just as polite to your sister as you would to your best girl. Strive to gain the good will of mother, father and brothers and sisters and children exactly as you strive to gain good will abroad.

There is no place for practicing manners like the home circle: no place, *perhaps one to say, where it will be so appreciated.* It will be a cultivation of heart, mind and body, this endeavor to feel nothing but affection for the home people and treat them as though they were worthy of as much consideration at your hands as if they were the president and his family. So they are worthy. Then from the home will float out around you those sweet, magnetic influences which will draw the hearts of all mankind toward you.

The Rapid Transit Cry.

A striking paper is that of Thomas Curtis Clarke in Scribner's Magazine on the necessity for rapid transit in cities. It suggests the mighty need for a new Edison to arise, one who shall enable 5,000,000 people a day to go to and from their city work to their homes with *speed and safety.* In every part of the Union the cry is the same. The cities long since outgrew the old fashioned stage conveyance. They have now outgrown horse car conveyance and are uncomfortably waiting for that which shall succeed it.

More Americans than Europeans make the daily trip to business from the suburb. In New York 1,643,000 persons a day—a number equal to the whole population of the city—come to and go from their business on the little island of Manhattan daily. They are knocked about, injured and occasionally some have been killed in the effort to crowd three persons into a car space only large enough for one.

In Chicago there is the same trouble, even with the cable lines running swiftly to and fro. The greatest growth of Chicago dates from the completion of these cable lines. Mr. Clarke tells us. Increased facilities for rapid transportation increase the population, which in turn demands new rapid transit facilities, and so the two act and react on each other. Boston finds great comfort and satisfaction thus far in the elevated overhead trolley system, which she has adopted and finds it simple and economical. But Boston is not one of our largest cities.

One unexpected fact we find in the paper, and that is that suburban transportation for short distances in America costs less than half as much as it does in Europe. The result is that in America the tendency is to scatter city populations from the center outward, while in Europe the movement is toward jamming it all up in the center.

HARRISON IS HOPEFUL.

The President Believes Blaine Is Surely Out of It.

NEW JERSEY DEMOCRATS CONVENE.

The Great Issue Before the Convention Is Whether or Not Its Delegates Shall Be Instructed for Cleveland—Mr. Blaine's Very Quiet Visit to New York.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The declaration made by ex-Attorney General Wickersham, of Indiana, together with the presence in the city of Hon. John C. New, has given a strong tinge of confidence to the claims of the friends of President Harrison that his nomination at Minneapolis is the inevitable outcome of the present condition of affairs. A well known and prominent official said that it would be impossible to succeed the convention. "Why," said he, "do you suppose that 200 men, charged with the destinies of the Republican party, nearly one-half of whom have been instructed to vote for the renomination of President Harrison, are going to be swerved in the discharge of what they consider to be their duty, simply because *of all this noise and smoke?* Not at all.

Mr. Harrison's Friends Satisfied.

"The gentlemen who are opposing the nomination of President Harrison are no nearer an agreement upon one, or the possibility of securing one, than they were on Secretary Blaine wrote his letter to Chairman Clarkson, Feb. 6, 1892. Therefore I am serene in my confidence that President Harrison will be renominated.

"I am satisfied that Secretary Blaine will not permit the use of his name at Minneapolis. This is in harmony and is consistent with his position from the start. Neither his friends nor the friends of President Harrison demand or expect any further declaration from him on the subject. They are satisfied with the situation *of affairs as it stands.*"

Mr. Clarkson has been busily engaged all day in conferences with political friends and will remain until Thursday or Friday, when he expects to leave for Minneapolis. He did not visit the White House, but will doubtless do so some time during his stay in the city, his friends say. Last evening he dined with Secretary Elkins and spent several hours with the latter. It is reported that Mr. Clarkson has made up his mind that he cannot, with safety to his health, longer continue in the position of chairman *of the committee*, and that he will decline further services at the head of the national committee.

"Blaine and Rusk."

The Star says: "Blaine and Rusk is the ticket which has been displayed around the senate, and even from those who are out and out Harrison men there is no word of dissent. The concession to the agricultural element is conceded to be a clever piece of work, and from now until the nomination is actually made General Rusk's name will be heard with a good deal of frequency. There are those who say that it will be altered with still greater frequency after the nomination."

New Jersey Democrats Meet.

TRENTON, May 25.—The Democratic state convention was called to order in this city today. Chauncey Bunnoy was made temporary chairman and later continued as permanent presiding officer. All the leaders are here. Senator McPherson, Governor Abbett, R. P. Lee, Chauncey Bunnoy, Miles Ross, James Smith, Jr., Allan McDermott, chairman of the state central committee, and ex-Representative Pidcock. No slate has come from the junior United States senator, Mr. Blodgett, and no one knows whether he will be here or not. There is only one great issue for the convention to grapple with—namely, the question of instructions. *Governor Abbett and Miles* Ross, who have not been working in perfect harmony since the governor refused to sign the Reading railroad bill, are united in their opposition to having the delegation instructed and it looks as though they may carry their point. Senator McPherson said to the United Press correspondent: "The Cleveland sentiment throughout the state is so strong and so unmistakeable that I do not know that it will be thought necessary to instruct."

The delegates at large will probably be Senator McPherson, Governor Leon J. Abbett, Miles Ross and J. Smith, Jr.

The district delegates will probably be: First—W. J. Thompson, Camden; George H. Barker, Gloucester. Second—John R. Scudder, Mercer; T. E. Prichett, Burlington. Third—Millard F. Ross, Middlesex; John Hone, Monmouth. Fourth—Johnson Cornish, Warren; J. S. Nelson Pidcock, Hunterdon. Fifth—J. F. Carrigan, Bergen; Senator Hinchcliffe or Louis Braun. Sixth—Gottfried Krueger, Essex; J. D. Dusenberry, Essex. Seventh—Dennis McLoughlin, Hudson; Robert S. Davis, Hudson. Eighth—Joseph Yates, Plainfield; Enos Nedins, Orange. The platform will reaffirm the tariff declarations of 1884 and 1888, denounce the McKinley bill and commend Cleveland for his clean and able administration of public affairs. It will criticise the alleged extravagance of the last Republican congress and ignore the question of finance.

Congressman Tracey's Computation.

ALBANY, May 25.—Congressman Tracey, of this district, has given out the following computation of the results of the Democratic conventions. He puts the total Cleveland strength at 618, as follows: California, 18; Connecticut, 12; Delaware, 6; Georgia, 20; Illinois, 48; Indiana, 15; Kansas, 20; Massachusetts, 32; Michigan, 28; Minnesota, 18; Missouri, 36; New Hampshire, 8; North Carolina, 15; North Dakota, 6; Pennsylvania, 64; Rhode Island, 8; Vermont, 6; Virginia, 12; Washington, 8; Wisconsin, 24; Wyoming, 6; New Mexico, 6; Arizona, 2; Utah, 2; District of Columbia, 2. Total, 418.

He concedes the following against Cleveland: Georgia, 6; Indiana, 15; Iowa, 26; Massachusetts, 8; Montana, 6; Nebraska, 16; New York, 72; North Carolina, 7; South Carolina, 18; Virginia, 12; Arizona, 2. Total, 188. Of conventions yet to be held he claims for Cleveland: Alabama, 12; Arkansas, 18; Louisiana, 8; Maine, 12; New Jersey, 10; Oregon, 4; South Dakota, 8; Tennessee, 12; Texas, 15; West Virginia, 8. Total, 93. This gives Cleveland within 86 of the necessary two-thirds to nominate.

No Agreement About Blaine.

ALBANY, May 25.—The Albany Evening Journal prints an interview with ex-Senator J. Sloat Fassett. "There is no truth whatever," he said, "in the report that any agreement has been reached about Mr. Blaine, but the fact is that Mr. Blaine is for, and away the first choice of the Republican party. They want him and only him to stand for the principles of rebellion against accepting Mr. Blaine's letter to Mr. Clarkson as final. I have no knowledge as to what Mr. Blaine will do, but I should say he will do nothing. He has once emphatically expressed his preference. That is enough. Now if the party we come nobly to the front and demand of him another term more to assume leadership, if his health permits, he ought to yield his personal preference to the wishes of his party. I have not consulted with the delegates from this state, but I should say that they are in the first instance all Blaine men. After that they are not so easy to classify, but I should say that of the seventy-two about one-fifth are warmly in favor of the present.

What Prominent Men Say.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—General John C. New, general counsel to London, called at the White House and had a long interview with the president. (Just how said to your correspondent: "Harrison will be nominated on the first or second ballot. All opposition to him will melt away before the assembling of the convention."

Senator Aldrich, of Rhode Island, says: "It will be Harrison on the first ballot. Already I see a very perceptible decrease in the agitation against him."

Senator Sawyer, of Wisconsin, who was one of the original Blaine men in the north west, says: "I fully expect the Minneapolis convention to renominate Harrison on the first ballot."

"Representative Dingley, of Maine, a life long friend of Mr. Blaine, says: 'President Harrison in my judgment will be renominated at Minneapolis on the first ballot. Mr. Blaine meant what he said in his letter."

Democratic Senator Brice feels sure that the Republican nominee will be Blaine.

Blaine's Quite New York Visit.

NEW YORK, May 25.—If there be any political significance in the visit of Secretary Blaine to this city there have not been the most remote indications of it. Indeed, it has become generally accepted that the publication of the Fifth Avenue hotel that Mr. Blaine is to be accepted at his word that he had come here merely to consult with an occulist and see his physician privately was a mistake. The question of Mr. Blaine's health seems to have passed out of sight already. It is generally agreed that Mr. Blaine was a well man.

Foraker Thinks It Will Be Blaine.

CINCINNATI, May 25.—Ex-Governor Foraker says: "It is my opinion that Blaine will be nominated. His letter does not rule him out except only in the sense of becoming a candidate. That he will not be and has not been. But when it comes to the matter of making a president the party has a right to be heard. With Blaine success will be assured, while with Harrison it would be a hard fight, to say the best of it."

Blaine Will Not Oppose Harrison.

KANSAS CITY, May 25.—Major William Warner, candidate for governor, who has been in Washington for the past few days, declares that while in the capital city he had an interview with Secretary Blaine on presidential matters.

He says that in the course of his conversation Mr. Blaine told him that he would not be a candidate for the nomination if President Harrison was in the field for it.

A Whitney Boom the Latest.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The latest in the Democratic situation is a Whitney boom. The ex-secretary of the navy has an emissary here who is trying to get a conference of Democratic leaders favorable to a compromise on Whitney.

Porter to Nominate Harrison.

NEW YORK, May 25.—The Herald says that General Horace Porter, of New York, will probably be selected to present the name of President Harrison for consideration *by the Republican convention at Minneapolis.*

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A Summer Gown.

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Sailor Hats Again.

Sailor hats are in great demand, and the higher effect in crowns than last year is more becoming to most girls and young women.

Ties and slippers are made of kid to match the gowns. The darker shades of tan in Oxford ties will be worn this season.

A recent doctor says there is one advantage about tight lacing—it kills off so many foolish maidens.

Edison Gets the Albert Medal.

LONDON, May 25.—The Albert medal for the present year of the Society of Arts has been awarded to "Thomas Alva Edison, in appreciation of his distinguished services as has rendered to the progress of electric lighting, telegraphy and the telephone."

GLADSTONE AT HIS BEST

The Grand Old Man Fiercely Scores Salisbury.

'AN INCITEMENT TO CIVIL WAR.'

The Great Liberal Leader Thus Describes the English Premier's Recent Utterances—Speech Makes a Vigorous Attack on the Irish Local Government Bill.

LONDON, May 25.—Mr. Gladstone was received with hearty cheers when he arose in the house of commons to speak on the Irish local government bill. He said that the bill stamped Ireland and Irishmen with the most ignominious inequality as compared with Great Britain. The bill falsified even the language of the queen's speech, as well as previous pledges, whereby the present majority in parliament obtained the people's commission in 1886. It was a bill, the promoters of which found it expedient to press upon the acceptance of the people of Ireland by menacing them with the horrors of civil war if they should dare to refuse the measure thus forced upon them.

An Incitement to Civil War.

"What," exclaimed Mr. Gladstone, "was Lord Salisbury's speech at the Covent Garden but an incitement to civil war? In the whole domain of political literature it would be impossible to find an utterance displaying more reckless contempt for the dictates of wisdom, prudence and sagacity. The government approved the appointment of the gest for all the most odious legislative precedents and combined them all in one measure, which it has presented to the people as the true and genuine fulfillment of the promises which the government has made. So self respecting man could serve on the Irish county councils in view of the monstrous provisions which the Tory leaders had kept their government in existence for the last six years. These promises had gone far beyond promises of mere local institutions. Mr. Chamberlain and Joseph Chamberlain, he said, had pledged themselves to everything short of an independent parliament. Even Gorst and Lord Randolph Churchill had promised local government concurrent and equal with local government in Great Britain. The people of Ireland, however, were not looking for something more than local government.

Lord Salisbury Assailed.

Then returning to his attack upon Lord Salisbury and his Ulster speech Mr. Gladstone said:

"It is imperative that the country should know that desire it is proposed to offer of the use of such language by such an exalted person. This language was distinct encouragement to a few misguided men, capable in their fanaticism and folly of embodying in deeds the fierce words of speech."

From this attack on Lord Salisbury he passed again to scathing denunciation of the measure.

"The effect of local government in Great Britain," he said, "has been embodied in this bill, magnified and exaggerated, and stripped of every safeguard that might curtail its mischief. Then let the bill offered to our sister country as the final boon of a generous government, to *signify* their adequate sense of Irish wants and their disposition to confer the greatest boon in their power by offering Ireland something more beneficial.

"Equality of laws was the sole essence of the speech at Dublin. If ever the one adequate compensation tendered to Ireland for her sacrifice. Where is that equality today? How is it represented in the bill before us? Are we to say that Ireland is worthy of rejecting this bill? The stamp of inequality is the brand of degradation. If Ireland were capable of accepting as a redemption of the pledges so frequently made her a measure bearing that stamp, she would be unworthy of the high hopes and aspirations which she has so long cherished, unworthy of the free men she is, unworthy of the times of adversity, unworthy of that happier, better destiny which, as we trust and believe and so far as the future is open are convinced and know, is in store for her home rule by offering Ireland something more beneficial.

Mr. Gladstone spoke with his pristine vigor. His voice was sonorous and his figure was erect.

Balfour Strikes Back.

Mr. Balfour was heartily received by the Conservatives and Liberal Unionists. He said that the right honorable gentleman had dealt most in terms of general abuse, but carefully avoided indicating any specific of evil or injustice in the bill. Mr. Balfour traced over the points of the bill, arguing that it was an eminently wise and proper measure, and that the indefinite abuse which it had received at the hands of the leader of the opposition was the best evidence that no sound argument could be presented against any of its clauses.

The bill passed to a second reading by a vote of 339 to 347.

Granite Strikers Winning.

BARRE, Vt., May 25.—The Webster & Morse Granite company have withdrawn from the New England Granite association and agreed to the demands of the men. The quarry employs 400 men. Another quarry at Graniteville, owned by Kenneth McKay, has withdrawn and yielded to the men.

Named by the Parnellites.

DUBLIN, May 25.—The Parnellite convention here selected John Joseph Clancy, member of parliament for north Dublin, to stand for the same constituency at the next general election.

Reserved the Parkhurst Chair.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Hettie Adams' fashionable hats have sold at auction. Mrs. Adams' agents reserved the armchair which Dr. Parkhurst sat in on his visit to the house.

Three Years for Walton.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 25.—Edward Walton, who pleaded guilty to killing William Godfrey, of Redding, was sentenced to three years in the state prison.

Umpire Mahoney Resigns.

BOSTON, May 25.—Michael J. Mahoney has resigned on account of ill health as a league umpire.

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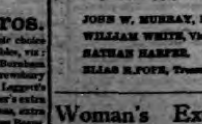

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THE ANTI-BRIGGS DELEGATES WIN.

The Methodist Committee at Omaha Decides That the Word "Laymen" Does Not Include the Fair Sex—Missionary Will Keep on Moving as Before.

PORTLAND, Or., May 25.—The first contest over Dr Briggs has been fought in the general assembly and the anti-Briggs party has won it. The appeal of the prosecuting committee from the action of the New York presbytery in dismissing the case against him was decided by the judiciary committee in favor of the appellants. This is the meaning of the majority report of the committee. A minority report favors dismissing the appeal with instructions to the appellants to take their case to the synod of New York. It is probable that the assembly will sustain the anti-Briggs report.

Against Aid for Sectarian Schools.

The committee report on the sixteenth amendment to the federal constitution was presented. The proposed amendment is as follows: "Neither congress nor any state shall pass any law respecting any establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof, or use its property and credit or any money raised by taxation or authorize either to be used for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding by appropriation, payment for services, expenses or otherwise, any church, religious denomination, religious society or any institution, society or undertaking which is wholly or in part under sectarian or ecclesiastical control."

"Laymen" Does Not Include Women.

OMAHA, May 25.—Bishop Hurst occupied the chair at the Methodist Episcopal general conference. The committee on judiciary reached a very important conclusion upon the meaning of the word "laymen" in the discipline where it provides for lay representation. The committee is of the opinion that the word does not and never has included women, but has meant and does mean men only.

Dr. Potts, of Detroit, offered a resolution favoring the admission of women and asking that during the year beginning June 1, 1892, and ending May 31, 1893, the bishops be requested to submit to the annual conference the proposition to amend the second restrictive rule by adding the words, "and said delegates may be men or women."

The report of the committee on itinerancy was then taken up. Dr. J. M. King, of New York, declared that the removal of the time limit would be the greatest advance step taken by the Methodist church in fifty years. After Dr King half a dozen speakers in succession clamored for the removal of the time limit.

Vigorous efforts were made by those who wished to see the time limit removed, but they were completely outstripped. The minority report was adopted by a vote of 266 for to 162 against, and the five year time limit will remain as it is.

Bishop Howe May Die.

CHARLESTON, May 25.—Bishop Howe, of the Protestant Episcopal diocese, was stricken with paralysis, and his life is despaired of.

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WOMEN POLITICIANS.

IN ENGLAND THEY ARE WORKERS AND HAVE INFLUENCE.

The Women's Political Leagues of Europe and Their Vast Membership—What John Stuart Mill Said—"The Poor and Equal of Men in Politics."

One of the things which Lady Henry Somerset finds hard to reconcile with her preconceived ideas of the enterprise and energy of American women is the apparent indifference of the great majority to political issues and privileges. As compared with English women of all classes American women, though first in the field as claimants for the right of sharing political powers with men, are less actively interested in political work, less well informed on the issues of the day, and enjoy fewer rights of franchise. Twenty-four of our states and territories confer certain minor privileges of voting or of holding school offices on women, while twenty allow women to have no voice in the management of public affairs. Wyoming is the banner state. Kansas grants municipal suffrage, while in the other states the privileges enjoyed by women are confined to educational matters only.

In England women vote for the election of members of municipal and county councils and school boards, sit themselves as members of school boards and county councils, and in many cases have more than fifty years held the throne of the powerful United Kingdom and governed vastly well. There yet remains for them to win the right to vote for members of parliament only.

English women declare frankly and unaffectedly that they want to help belong to Conservative, Primrose, Liberal or Liberal Unionist—and one meets in England many more men who acknowledge unreservedly their championship of women's cause than can be found to admit their sympathy with women suffragists in America.

John Stuart Mill once said that there is only one department of intellectual activity in which woman has ever shown herself the equal of man, and that is in the very department of politics with which we are told she has no capacity to deal. There are certain great queens—Elizabeth of England, Catherine of Russia and some of the Indian princesses who were the equals in every way of any man who ever held the same position. I suppose prosperity and greatness in this country never reached greater heights than in the days of Queen Elizabeth, Queen Anne and Queen Victoria."

English women are well organized in political work, and work with men accordling to regular party methods. Men advise with women in the interior and important things of politics, and women use all means to commit men that are up for election to parliament by suffrage for women, and when the candidates have espoused the cause the women work for their election by all the regular political methods and by other and stronger measures of their own, quite out of the ordinary line. In house to house canvassing the women are said to be particularly successful, from their superior tact and gracious manner of approach, learned through long experience in charity visiting.

Every one has heard of Lady Randolph Churchill's energetic canvass during her husband's candidacy for the salisbury, and Mrs. Brand, wife of a member of parliament, is equally clever and efficient with her husband, charming the electors with her singing while he devotes himself to their political education. Mrs. Brand, at elections in the open air, by the river side, as well as in the great political meetings, is entitled to be crowned greatest her every wears. The Review of Reviews says: "If things continue to go on at the present rate the candidate who cannot get a capable woman into the field may as well retire from the contest."

Ladies also bring up the electors in their carriages, instructing them frequently in the modus operandi of the electoral right denied to the fair instructors. An amusing story is told of a young lady very active in fighting an election for her father, who brought up to the polling place a man who said he could not vote unless she went with him, because he could not read or write and was so confused and puzzled he could not get through the voting ordeal alone. Arriving at the polling booth with her helpless but legal voter, the lady was confronted by a placard on which she read "No women admitted in this room," and was obliged to retreat, followed by the man who had a right to enter, but had not sufficient courage to go in without her for fear of what might happen to him. It is a common thing for women to address audiences of voters from the roughest, most depraved and ignorant classes in society as well as those of more intelligence and refinement.

A lady travelling in England writes of attending a mass meeting of the "great unwashed," where an elegant and titled lady, richly dressed, made as good a stump speech as she had ever heard from the stump. Her magical control of the American campaign. The speech was refined as well as logical, containing only a passing allusion to women's suffrage, and was listened to with marked attention by the incongruous audience. It has been rumored that fair canvassers sometimes buy votes with kisses, but this is most emphatically denied by the women, except in the case of a beautiful lady who, a great many years ago, allowed the voters to take their ballots from her lips with their own if they supported her candidate.

The Liberal Federation and union of all the Women's Liberal associations throughout the country is an organization of 326 associations containing a membership of between 20,000 and 30,000 women. Its members and delegates are of course drawn from persons of large rule and of the Liberal party.—New York Sun.

Fields for Women's Work.

Horace Mann, the great educator, used to say that while the world was sown with jails and prisons, he could not understand the complaint made by some women that there was not room for the exercise of the energies. Mrs. Frye and Mrs. Dix were to him models worthy of all imitation, and he wished women did not imitate them was due, he thought, to the fact that work of the kind that they loved was not followed by worldly distinction.—Exchange.

Teach Them to Love Papa.

Don't make father a bugbear to the children by chiding of what he'll do when he comes home.—Womankind.

Education of Girls.

Louisa M. Alcott, the well known author of "Little Women," wrote these sensible words about the best kind of education for girls: "Let them learn all they can of every kind, and study hard while young, for then the mind is free and active, and can easily take in what it needs. Then, when the time comes for them to choose their work, they will be ready, and can do it well. Let them learn housekeeping, dressmaking, cooking, and all the domestic arts, so that they may be independent of servants, and know how to make a home for themselves or others. Let them learn to be self-supporting, and not feel obliged to marry for a home. Let them learn to be wives and mothers, and not be afraid of the name of old maid. Let them learn to be useful, happy women, and not feel that they are a failure if they do not get married. Let them learn to be strong, brave, and self-reliant, and not be afraid to live their own lives, and not be afraid to live their own lives, and not be afraid to live their own lives

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RAILROAD DISASTER.

A DEAD ENGINEER AND AN ENGINE AND CARS RAN INTO A RIVER.

A Terrible Accident on the Long Branch Division of the Central Railroad.

An appalling disaster occurred on the Long Branch Division of the Central railroad at the draw bridge which crosses the Elizabeth river near Elizabeth last evening.

It was exactly 9.30 o'clock when the fast freight train came into the depot at Elizabethport bound south. As usual the engineer stopped long enough to refill the tender with coal. Everything was in readiness and the engineer turned his lever so that the locomotive was propelled at the fastest.

The train had passed the Elizabeth avenue station when the shrill whistle for brakes was heard far away.

Suddenly a tremendous crash was heard and many people rushed to the river front. It was a terrible scene to gaze upon; the engine and three heavily loaded freight cars had plunged into the river. The draw was open and it was an utter impossibility for the engineer to avert the disaster, notwithstanding the fact that he had received the danger signal and had reversed his lever.

The engineer and fireman, when they became aware of the danger, leaped from the cab windows into the river and were rescued by men in a row-boat. Both were almost exhausted when taken from the water.

The monster engine, which is No. 66, is acknowledged to be one of the fastest freight engines on the road, together with the tender, were thrown upside down and buried out of sight in the mud and water. The tops of the three box freight cars, which lay in the river near the engine, but apart from them, were visible.

The fourth car of the train was split almost in two; one half of it remained upon the bridge, while the other section hung in the water. The remainder of the cars were not damaged to any great extent.

Travel on the road was blocked all night and a gang of men were hurried to the scene with the wrecking train to clear away the wreck. It is not known whether the engine is damaged beyond repair or not.

The bridge tender said that when he discovered the draw of the bridge open he gave the red signal, but the engineer claims that the former was so late in signalling him that he could not stop his train. The railroad company will investigate the affair, as it is whispered that an attempt was made to run the passenger express, which is due a little later, into the river.

BREVITIES

—The Elizabeth Police will parade June 2d.

—The Dunellen Bowling Green Club practiced on Schepflin's court to day.

—Tuscarora Lodge, Knights of Honor will meet in New Market Hall, New Market this evening.

—The North Amboy City Council on Monday night awarded a water works franchise to Mac Ritch & Nicol of New York.

—Two men and a woman were arrested last night on charges of drunk and disorderly conduct. All plead not guilty and will be tried to-morrow morning.

—Mr. Callman was busy at his popular store, The Bee Hive, West Front street. He sold white goods for women and children at astonishing low prices. See advertisement.

—Mr. Wm. Howard Hoople of New York and James Johnson, Superintendent of the Florence Mission, will speak and sing solos at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms at 4.15 p. m. Sunday.

—The ladies of the First Presbyterian church will hold a sociable in the lecture room this evening. The celebrated Smith family will be present and assist in making the evening a pleasant one.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Bicycle and Horse Collide at the Corner of Orange Street and Elm Place.

A serious accident occurred at the corner of Orange street and Elm place last evening at seven o'clock.

A horse driven by Mrs. Loiseaux of Chatham street and Miss Sadie Addis on a bicycle, collided throwing Miss Addis violently against the horse, which took fright and ran away towards Front street.

Miss Addis clung to the shafts of the wagon and at the corner of Elm place and East Front street, both were thrown to the grounds.

Miss Addis' injuries were at first thought fatal, but she will escape with a few bruises.

Mrs. Loiseaux's ankle was sprained and she will be confined to her house for some time.

Arrivals at the Hotels.

The following are registered at the various hotels in this city:

Hotel Albion—Mrs. M. L. Mills, A. B. Mill, Morristown; S. Williams, E. Merriman, S. T. Weed, N. Y.

Hotel Grenada—H. J. Swanwick, D. C. Whetmore, Jr., Charles Frederick, Newark; Jacques Wolfe, N. Y.; A. D. Sage, Newark; H. S. Howel, Orange; T. L. Wilson, N. Y.; Thomas W. Hutt, Wertach, N. J.

City Hotel—Mrs. M. A. Dart, Newark; W. S. Pitken, Brooklyn; Edward U. Bushnell, N.Y.

CONVENTION ADJOURNS

THE BANQUET AT THE HOTEL NETHERWOOD LAST NIGHT.

Election of Officers of the New Jersey Parmaceutical Convention This Morning.

An elegant banquet was given at the Hotel Netherwood last evening by the New Jersey Pharmaceutical Association. Proprietor Miller furnished a course dinner and the musical entertainment was given by the following well-known artists:

Queen City Quartette, Messrs. Mac Clymont, Ryder, Pittman and Chapman.

Tenor Soloist.....Mr. J. E. Pucci
Piano Soloist.....Mr. W. E. MacClymont
Accompanist.....Mr. Arthur D. Drake
Elocutionist.....Dr. T. W. Pucci

Followed by an address by Mayor Gilbert of this city.

Yesterday afternoon the members drove through the city and suburbs and attended the ball game.

This convention was called to order this morning at nine o'clock. After the routine of business, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, E. J. Shaw, of Plainfield; First Vice President, G. M. Carshake, of Bordentown; Second Vice President, G. R. Danks, of Brick Church; Secretary, H. C. Alpers, Bayonne; treasurer, (re-elected) W. M. Townley, Newark.

Executive Committee—G. M. Carshake (ex-officio) Chas. Holzhauer, of Newark, Robt. Ellgos, of Dover; G. A. Maggold, Point Pleasant; E. A. Jordan, Bridgeton.

Legislative Committee—*A. Dresober, A. S. Elwell, W. R. Laird, G. S. Cook and H. P. Thorn.*

The following nominations will be sent Gov. Abbett from which to select two members of the Board of Pharmacy of New Jersey, to serve five years H. P. Reynolds, W. C. Alpers, Chas. Hols Lauer, G. W. Parisen and H. B. Thorn.

Several new members were elected. Among the number was W. E. Hickson, of this city.

There were 46 members present. The convention adjourned at one o'clock today, to meet at Atlantic City, May 24th, and 25th, 1892.

PERSONAL.

Mr. John W. Handren formerly of Dunellen but now of Brooklyn and now in the best of health is visiting friends here.

Mr. Frank Smith, formerly of this city, and a member of the Brooklyn Acmes, was the guest of Mr. Craig A. Marsh last night.

Mr. James H. Force, formerly of this city but now proprietor of the Mansion House, Bound Brook, is out again after a severe illness.

George W. Small, Grand Dictator of the Knights of Honor of New Jersey, died Tuesday. Mr. G. J. Peytel of Plainfield now becomes Acting Grand Dictator, he being the Vice of the State. Mr. Peytel is an active member of Wetumpka Lodge.

News reached Plainfield this morning of the death of Rev. John M. Allen at Dingman's Ferry, Penn. Deceased had been ill for some time. He was a brother of Mrs. J. M. Shepherd of Emily street and a nephew of Mr. J. N. Mitchell of Manning avenue. The funeral is to take place at Annandale church, on Saturday, 28th, at 2.30 p. m.

Incorporation Counsel Marsh has got a bell on his bicycle. He drew up the ordinance which requires that on every bicycle there shall be a bell. Unlike the physician who is said not to take his own medicine, possibly because he knows how to keep himself in condition not to need it, the Corporation Counsel respects his own law like a good little man.

A delightful musicale was given at the residence of Miss Fellows yesterday afternoon, many friends of the gifted young lady being present. Mrs. R. R. Bird, Miss Maude A. Benton of Dunellen, Miss A. Lillian Nicholl of Scotch Plains, selected pupils, participated, and Miss Lillian A. Force, Miss Edith Randolph of Scotch Plains, and Miss Addie Sutphen of Dunellen, pianists, assisted. Miss Anne Louise Davis favored the appreciative audience with a beautiful recitation and generously responded to an encore. Miss Fellows' pupils sang with a freedom of style and sweetness of tone which were creditable to the teacher.

(Quadruple Sheet.)

Mrs. Mary Clement Leavitt, who took the world for her inheritance, and claimed the uttermost parts of the earth as her possession, will speak in the First Baptist church, May 31st. Do not fail to hear her. For seven years she never once left home to meditate on her work, and she went every where alone. In Zululand she traveled alone with the natives, in Bombay she was slung in a hammock on the shoulders of men. She says "always and everywhere I found some branch of misery and of kindship, and I wish especially to say that throughout my travels, I was treated by all classes of men with whom I came in contact as kindly as if I had been their mother and as respectfully as if I had been their sovereign." Tickets for admission which will be without charge may be procured of Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, 10 La Grande avenue.

Among the Bowlers.

The C. Y. M. L. will visit Elizabeth Port to-night and bowl against the C. Y. M. L. of that place. The tournament was continued last night as follows:

Butcher, 139 vs. Biggins 128.

The Weather.

Generally clear and warmer.

THE CRESCENTS WIN.

THE ACMES OF BROOKLYN DEFEATED YESTERDAY.

The Home Team Win in a Walk—"Little Keeler" Pitches a Good Game—The Scores—Other Gaming Notes.

After the second inning in yesterday's ball game, between the Crescents and the Brooklyn Acmes, it was evident that the latter were out-classed. In the vernacular of the "Bleachers," they were "not in it."

Frank Smith, who formerly played with the Centrals and the old Crescents, of Cornwall and Collier days, played second base for the visitors.

A large number of the members of the New Jersey Pharmaceutical Association, who are holding a convention in this city were present and could be distinguished by their old gold badges.

The game was a pitching match from the beginning, the home team getting 19 base hits from Sharrott and Warren and the Acmes 13, from Keeler.

Keeler, however, played a good game striking out nine men. Sharrott, the Acmes pitcher, was once on trial with the New Yorks, and is a brother to the once great Giant pitcher.

The features of the game were the batting of Murphy and Turner and the fielding of Daly and Bonner.

The following is the score:

CRESCENTS.

	A.B.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Hofford, c.....	6	2	2	11	3	1
Keeler, p.....	6	2	0	0	6	0
Murphy, l.f....	6	2	3	2	0	0
Turner, 1st....	6	1	3	8	3	2
Daley, 2b.....	5	1	2	3	2	1
Leidy, c. f....	5	1	1	1	0	0
Bonner, s.s....	5	2	2	1	1	1
Jones, l.b.....	5	1	2	8	1	3
Snedden, r.f....	5	0	1	0	0	0
Total.....	14	12	27	11	16	8

ACMES.

	A.B.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Connolly, l.f...	5	0	1	1	1	2
Daly, c.....	5	0	1	7	2	2
Smith, 2b.....	5	1	2	3	2	5
Relyea, s.s.....	4	0	0	1	2	0
Sheridan, 3b....	4	1	1	2	3	0
Carter, c.....	4	1	2	6	1	0
Warren, p. r.f..	4	0	1	0	0	0
O'Connor, 1b....	4	0	1	14	0	0
Sharrott, r.f., p	4	0	0	1	2	0
Total.....	39	3	10	37	13	7

Crescents..	0	1	2	4	1	0	0	1	—12
Base hits...	1	2	3	4	1	0	0	1	1
Acmes.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	—3
Base hits...	1	2	1	0	2	0	2	2	

Earned runs—Crescents, 2; two base hits, Hofford, Keeler (2), Murphy, Jones, Snedden, Smith, Carter (2); Three base hits, Murphy, Turner, Bonner; Wild pitches, Sharrott 1, Keeler 1; Time of game one hour and fifty-five minutes. Umpire, Mr. Berriman.

First League game to-day. Snedden and Hofford for the home team and O'Neil and Warner for the W. A. C.

The batting order will be as follows: W. A. C.—McIndoe, left field; Lever, centre field; McGuirk, third base; O'Rourke, right field; Reilly, second base; Howe, short stop; Dreus, first base; Warner, catcher; O'Neil, pitcher.

Crescents—Hofford, catcher; Keeler, short stop; Murphy, left field; Turner, second base; Daley, third base; Leidy, center field; Bonner, right field; Jones, first base; Snedden, pitcher.

At Elizabeth to-day the West Ends and the Y. M. C. I. A., will cross bats. The batteries will be for the latter Francis and Rafferty and for the former Harkins Estes and Kennedy.

"Gentle Willie" Murphy, although suffering intensely with a sprained ankle, played well yesterday and held down position No. 7 in to-day's game.

The young Gorhams defeated the young Crescents Tuesday, May 24th, by a score of 20 to 8. The batteries for the young Gorhams were J. Linen and Raggles, for the young Crescents T. Linen and J. Kane. Umpire James Riley.

THE PARK CLUB DEFEATS FANWOOD.

A Very Close Game Won by the North Plainfield Club by 52 Pins.

The first game in a series of ten men team games was bowled on the alleys of the Fanwood Club last night. In the third frame the Fanwoods were 46 pins ahead, but the Park Club bowlers gradually reduced the lead and finally won by 52 pins. Below is the score:

PARK CLUB.		FANWOOD CLUB.	
Lyman.....	148	Hoelsh.....	126
Hoelsh.....	126	Miller.....	116
Reed.....	139	Seymour.....	125
Evans.....	131	Evans.....	136
Seymour.....	131	Lewendon.....	126
Murphy.....	128	Moore.....	135
Miller.....	116	Reed.....	139
Hendricks.....	179	Urner.....	127
Bartling.....	127	Anderson.....	146
Thurlow.....	127	Lyman.....	148
Total.....	1360	Total.....	1328

Umpire—Chas. B. Van Winkle.

A return game will shortly be arranged.

Among the Wheelmen.

The executive committee having in charge the arrangements for the team road races to be run for the Elizabeth Journal trophy will hold a meeting to-night at eight o'clock. The meeting will be held in the Journal office, and full attendance is desired as it is intended to make the final arrangements for this interesting series of team races.

The ninth annual meet of the New Jersey Division, L. A. W., under the auspices of the "Vineland Wheelmen" will take place at that city to-morrow. In connection with this meet, the races of the New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey Circuit, will be run, also three New Jersey championships. Entries closed last Friday. They include one half mile, State championship; one mile safety tricycle championship (State) one mile ordinary championship and nine other races.

AMONG THE WHEELMEN

WHAT THE BICYCLE BOYS ARE DOING.

The Entries and Prizes for the Races on Decoration Day.—The L. A. W. Meet at Vineland.

Much interest among wheelmen is taken in the Plainfield Bicycle Club's tentative road race. The following entries have been received:

F. L. Bennett,	H. H. Brokaw,
Geo. Mahon,	A. V. Roosevelt,
Chas. R. Maltby,	A. J. Hinrichs,
E. F. French,	Wm. Ahlgren,
	J. B. Pike.

The prizes, now on exhibition at the Wheelmen's Headquarters, are two very handsome L. A. W. badges.

The first six men to finish will compose the club's road team which is to represent it in the Journal trophy races at Elizabeth.

Messrs. J. B. Pike, A. T. Hinrichs, E. V. Francis, F. L. Meindl, H. H. Brokaw and Wm. Ahlgren are all in the pink of condition, and have been training for some time past. They are all considered fast riders and their friends confidently expect a record-breaking race.

Messrs. Mathon, Thurlow, A. V. Roosevelt and Charles R. Maltby, are also considered speedy riders but have not trained as much as the others, which may prove beneficial on Decoration Day.

Mr. Geo. Mahon says he "has not trained a bit, and is not going to either." His friends remember his wonderfully plucky and successful race to Springfield and return a short time ago, however, and count on the same this time.

Quinn Escapes the Gallows.

The jury in the Union county court at Elizabeth, after being out six hours, at four o'clock yesterday afternoon found Thomas Quinn, charged with the killing of Mrs. Annie Schneider, guilty of murder in the second degree, and Judge Van Syckel promptly sentenced the prisoner to twenty years at hard labor in the State prison. Quinn, when the verdict was announced, dropped in his seat and clasped his lawyer, City Attorney Connolly, by both hands. He was overjoyed at the result, as he fully expected to be found guilty of murder in the first degree. The verdict does not meet with public approval, as the crime was a most brutal one. This makes the tenth person tried for murder in Union county in the last ten years, and all have escaped the gallows.

Knights Templar to Parade To-night.

Omar de Leon Commandery of New Brunswick, and No. 5, John Commandery of Elizabeth, the guests of Trinity Commandery of this city, will all parade this evening at 7.30, headed by a cornet band from Masonic Hall to Grace Church, where a sermon will be preached by the Rev. Henry M. Barber of Trenton.

The music, which will be very fine, will be under the direction of Mr. Wm. R. Cook.

After the services at the church, the Sir Knights will return to Masonic Hall, where a bountiful collation will be prepared and a musical programme arranged.

State Teachers' Association.

The New Jersey State Teachers' Association will hold its annual meeting at Asbury Park on June 30, and continue in session for three days. Among the orators who are expected are the Rev. Dr. Sims Burdick, of Dyrsburg University, and formerly pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church, Newark; pastor of Asbury M. E. church, Washington, D. C.; Dr. Purnell Bailey, president of Drexel Institute, Philadelphia; Charles DeGarmo, president of Swarthmore College, Penn.; Hon. Hardy Reed, New York city; Dr. James M. Green, principal New Jersey State Normal school and superintendents of school in New Jersey cities and towns.

Pen Sketches From Life.

A Jersey Central brakeman has been found with an unusual amount of "cheek."

Every one knows when the day coaches reach the Jersey City terminus, it is the brakesmen's duty to open the seats over preparatory to returning.

This particular brakesman, when the conductor called out "Jersey City!" threw open the seats and shouted "Jersey City! All passengers will please rise and turn over their seats."

It is needless to say he is now hunting a new job.

List of Advertised Letters.

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending May 26, 1892:

Anderson, F & wife Mills, Frank H
Bowers, Miss Mary Mills, Mattie
Anderson, Miss K W Mooney, Mrs Geo
Bell, Miss Moore, Miss
Boyle, Miss Mary Parsons, Mr
Dunphy, Edward (2) Plainfield Glass Works
Dunn, Miss Lizzie Rogers, Miss
Gray, George Riley, Mrs
Hutchinson, Nellie Rockwell, J F
Hall, C H Smith, Miss
Haverd, Stephen Smalley, Geo
Jones, Robert Thompson, P A & wife
Kessler, O M Taylor, L T
Keating, Margaret Van Meater, Mrs
Lee, Miss Alice Wood, Mrs

Persons calling for the above please say advertised. E. E. Pope, Postmaster.

—"If I were a gambling man I could win lots of money on my ability to shoot dice," said Mr. Bill Nye, the humorist, with ordinary bird shot," said R. L. Hodges, of Fort Wayne, Ind., at the Gaskell House, yesterday. "All you do is this: Take a blank cartridge and load it yourself, putting in the powder a little more than usual. Then put in the shot and powder your wad and run it down with a rammer. Put in a second wad, but be careful to put in slightly upward pressure on the two. Then pour in your shot and fill the cartridge with paper. Now with a keen knife cut around the shot just between the two wads, and you will find that you can remove the shot and powder from one of the four-inch pieces and shoot it from your surprise instrument and it will do execution at short range. It is the only way you can shot be made to penetrate or think a plank."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

BLAINE WILL ACCEPT.

He Says Ex-Gov. Oliver Ames.

New York, May 26th. (Special.)—Ex-Gov. Oliver Ames, of Massachusetts, had an interview with Secretary Blaine at the Fifth avenue Hotel this morning, and shortly afterwards told the reporters that he believed Mr. Blaine would decline the Republican nomination for the Presidency.

MUST WEAR WHITE SHIRTS.

Trainmen Don't Want to be Dudes.

New York, May 26th. (Special.)—There is a big kick among the "L" road employees against Sup't Smith's recent order that on and after June 1 every trainman and station man on the road shall wear "bolted" shirts and white starched collars.

THE CHOLERA IN INDIA.

500 Deaths a Day.

Calcutta, India, May 26. (Special.)—The cholera is raging in Serinagar, one of the capitals of Cashmere. The death rate is placed at 500 per day.

A Death-Dealing Cloudburst.

Niles, Ohio, May 26. (Special.)—A cloudburst at Kinsman, a small village two miles northwest of this city, on the Pymatuning River, has resulted in a flood which has caused the death of at least six persons, and the destruction of a vast amount of property and stock.

Interest the Pupils.

The national public school celebration of October 12 presents a great opportunity to the pupils in our public schools. It is in their power to make their schools the centre of the local demonstration.

Let the pupils be encouraged to begin a movement among the householders. Let them be made to feel that they are the leaders in arranging for the home celebration.

Teachers should begin at once to make preparations for exercises worthy of the day. They should instruct their pupils to watch the papers and clip from their columns all articles relating to this celebration.

If a school scrapbook should be made of these clippings, it might serve a good purpose in interesting the pupils. The striking fitness of this celebration will appeal to all patriotic teachers. We believe every teacher in our schools will give to this movement their earnest support and advocacy.

State Firemen to Parade.

Asbury Park is in the lead this year, on Fourth of July celebrations. Capps's Band of forty pieces has been engaged for the day; there will be a grand parade of the volunteer firemen of New Jersey in the afternoon, and in the evening will be shown the most extensive and expensive display of fireworks ever exhibited on the coast. Three prizes of $100, $75 and $50 will be awarded to the best appearing and best equipped visiting companies—the Asbury Park firemen not competing. A base ball match, with catching, batting and hundred sports, together with the parade and prize competitions will arouse the enthusiasm of every fireman in the State.

The Week Yesterday.

A wreck occurred on the Central Railroad yesterday afternoon as reported in yesterday's News. A coal train was standing at Green Brook tank taking water and displaying the danger flag when a coal train following crashed into it, demolishing 15 heavily laden cars and pulling 11 coal cars on top of one another. Traffic was delayed for about two hours, some time, all trains running over tracks One and Four.

No one was hurt.

Keep.

Keep to the right on the law abiding
Keep from the world the evil thy friends provide
Keep from the tempter's wiles and snares
Keep from the spots and stains
Keep from the fear of man
Keep from thy faith in God and right
Keep from the love of sin
Keep from the world that hates you
Keep from the ways that bring the pain
Keep from the sights that blind
Keep from the sounds that deafen
Keep from the words that kill
Keep from the thoughts of the will
Keep from the cares that fret
Keep from the lusts that war
Keep from the pride that blights
Keep from the doubts that damn
Keep from the fears that dismay
Keep from the gloom that shadows
Keep from the weeds of worldliness
Keep from the sins that stain
Keep warm by night, by day keep cool.

SENSITIVE and nerve weakened men and women need to heed this advice and let it stick like a fact—

Hires saves $5.00 for breakfast.

PIPTONIZED
Beef, Iron and Wine
50c.
Per Pint Bottle.
at
WILLIAMS'

MR. ROBERT LUCKEY,
Firm of OF PLAINFIELD.
RICE, DUVAL & LUCKEY,
Importers and Tailors,
231 Broadway, New York.
Exclusively Fine Class Tailoring.
Moderate Prices.
28 1m*

SOMETHING TO REMEMBER!

On Account of
new rail outside sales there will be
No Auction Sale
at Carey's this week. Will commence again on
June 3, at 2 p. m.
Get your goods at half price for the new bedding store.
76 West Front Street.

WHEN I WANT A GOOD SHOE
FOR A
LITTLE MONEY
I GO TO
DOANE & VAN ARSDALE'S,
The One-Price Boot and Shoe House. 22 West Front Street.
The above quotation is from one of our many customers.
P. S.—All sorts of Summer specialties.

Cents-a-Word Column.

HELP WANTED.

IF there is anyone in need of a situation they had best here for your advertisement.

WANTED—A competent teacher on zither. Address "S.", EVENING NEWS. 26 2

WANTED—Good men for dining room. 29 Fast Second street. 26 2

WANTED—For child five years old, a nurse to make herself generally useful. 94 Crescent avenue. 26 2

FOR RENT.

A NEW and delightful eight-room house to rent. Hot and cold water, bath room, large cellar, basement laws. Three minutes from station. Address "Richmond Street," care of EVENING NEWS. 26 6t

SQUARE piano to let. Terms $3 per month. 25 Grandview avenue. 6 17tf

FOR SALE.

$190 Fine upright piano for sale. In use three months. Good as new. J. H. Buckley, 19 East Front street. 26 2

A GOOD horse, carriage and harness for sale for $3. Cost $7. Address "Bargain," care of EVENING NEWS. 26 2

A FRANKLIN Export tennis racket for sale for $3. Cost $7. Address "Racket," care of EVENING NEWS. 26 2

$65 INSTALLMENTS will buy a $130 ball bearing bicycle, guaranteed in perfect running order. Address Geo. W., EVENING NEWS. 17 6

DESIRABLE building sub-cross fence cleared at Bluewood Park, Somerset street, Plainfield, N. J. Chas. Plehnert, N. J., or apply to E. C. Mulford, real estate broker. Call and see them. 500 feet above the car line. 21 12tf

1892 RALEIGH pneumatic safety bicycle; all ball bearing; weight 30 lbs; perfect construction; guaranteed; price $125, on easy terms. Geo. W. Morrison. 24 6

$110 WILL buy a brand new 1892 Psycho Safety Bicycle; diamond frame; cushion tires; ball bearing all round and guaranteed one year from all breakages for one year. Address Geo. W. Morrison. 17 6

THE way to let the people know you have something for sale is to put that fact right under their head.

TAKE NOTICE—I will expose the property of Jane Hopkins for sale for cash, on June 3, 1892. T. J. Carey. 19 12

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHESTRAWBERRIES, 25 cents, and handling plants, at Dunlop's Strawberry Farm, Somerset street. 21 7

LADIES—Who will do writing for me at their home and make good wages; reply with stamp to Miss Mildred Miller, South Bend, Indiana.

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order bought and sold. Call Pendleton, 11 Somerset street. 3 6tf

SECURE your tickets for the Columbian Fair. For particulars apply at Mulford's. 5 28tf

WANTED—An organ. State make, number, price, terms. Address J., EVENING NEWS.

READING RAILROAD SYSTEM.
Central Railroad of New Jersey, the Port Reading Railroad Co., lessee.
GRAND OPPORTUNITY TO VISIT
Lake Hopatcong,
ON
DECORATION DAY.
Monday, May 30th.
Special excursion tickets will be sold from Plainfield good to go on all trains May 29th 30th and 30th, and to return May 30th or 31st.
Trains leave Plainfield at 7.45, 9.41 a. m.; 1.36, 3.30 p. m.; Dunellen 8 minutes later. Fare for the round trip, adults $1.50; children 50c.
24 3 and 7

THE BEE HIVE!
Summer Underwear.
Ladies' ribbed vests, 10, 12½, 15, 20 and 25c.
Ladies' ribbed vests, in high neck, short sleeves and long sleeves, 25c.
Ladies' gauze vests, in short and long sleeves, 25c.
Also a full line of Ladies' Drawers, in ribbed, gauze and medium weight.
Men's balbriggan shirts, in long and short sleeves, and drawers at 25, 37 and 50c.
Men's Summer Merino shirts and drawers, 25, 35 and 50c.
Children's ribbed vests, all sizes, 5c.
Children's summer merino and gauze vests, in short and long sleeves, all sizes, 10, 12c.; 15, 18c.; 20, 22c.; 25, 30c.; 32, 37c.; 40, 45c.; 50, 55c.
A full line of Parasols, Lace caps, white dresses, and infants' long and short cashmere coats.
Louis Callman,
10 West Front Street.

STRAW : HATS!
We have received a good assortment for Men and Boys.
Hallock & Davis,
6 West Front Street.
Don't Forget we keep
MEN'S FURNISHINGS.
Also
Trunks and Bags.
FRED. W. DUNN,
Successor to
Barkalew & Dunn,
18 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J.
Fine Groceries.
THREE SEP TEA

COAL and WOOD,
E. H. HOLMES,
YARD—24 Madison Avenue.
Office—27 North avenue, (with Watson & Robb.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Happy Philadelphia.

The census reports show us that in the matter of separate homes for private families Philadelphia is the most happily situated of any city in the country and probably in the world. Some time since, as we learn from one of Mr. George W. Childs' estimable papers, The Public Ledger, the women of Philadelphia took in hand the matter of designing a model home for working people. The pattern adopted was a separate house for each family, with not only heaters, a range and hot and cold water, but with a little yard and garden to each. In such a veritable palace of luxury any Philadelphia family can dwell if they can pay as much as eighteen to twenty dollars a month rent. So successful has proved the model cottage designed for the working people by the Philadelphia ladies that they are preparing a pattern of one of the houses for exhibition at the World's fair. It will be a model richly worth studying by inhabitants of other cities.

The comparatively very large number of Philadelphia people who live in homes all to themselves is shown in the following extract from The Ledger:

According to the printed statistics, Philadelphia, with only a little over a million inhabitants, has 387,382 dwellings, or an average of only 5.69 persons to a dwelling. New York, by contrast, with a population of over 1,850,000, has only 193,000 dwellings, or an average of 14.58 persons to a dwelling. The average Philadelphia family is larger than the average New York family, but the latter has only 4.84 persons to 4.84 persons. Only 15 per cent. of the houses in Philadelphia are occupied by more than one family. In New York 85 per cent. are so occupied, and in Chicago 85 per cent.

There are of course many reasons for the distinct advantage which Philadelphia possesses over other cities, but undoubtedly the greatest of these are the favorable situation of Philadelphia as regards growth, and the power of expansion, and the ease with which property may be acquired in this city. If the census report had included the proportion of houses owned by their occupants Philadelphia would have shown to even better advantage. To the building societies is due much of the marvelous growth of Philadelphia in this respect. The opportunity to acquire a home by means of this most useful form of organization is in the hands of every thrifty workingman.

The purchase or erection of houses reacts on the builders, causing them to offer more and more attractive houses as the demand increases, and with it the supply. The women of Philadelphia have designed the Philadelphia house. They also demanded that every room shall be lighted directly, that each room shall be entered by a separate door, and have included in the plans little conveniences one after another which now go to make up the Philadelphia home. Not long ago a competition was held in Chicago for the best model of a workingman's home. The plans which won the first prize would have been discarded at once by any Philadelphia woman. Unlighted bedrooms and communicating rooms were among some of the evils of the plan.

Why Some People Fail.

The human brain is not very large. Take two young men of apparently equal ability and advantages. One makes a distinguished success in life, the other a dead failure. Sometimes this is owing to circumstances, but perseverance and keeping one's eyes open will get the better even of circumstances after awhile.

The difference is generally that one man struck something that he liked to do, set all his energies to work at it and stuck to it till he succeeded. The other surveyed the field, saw half a dozen things he thought he could do, tried one a little while, then another and another, "everything by turns and nothing long," till presently he found the best part of his life gone and he himself a poor and unsuccessful man. That is not the worst of it. He has frittered away even his mental powers till he can no longer settle down to one pursuit without a more tremendous effort than most people are capable of making.

Man wants to concentrate all his business efforts on the one field in which he knows he can be successful. Then, to provide against sinking into a rut and coming out a stupid old hunks, he wants to select the one or two diversions and recreations that afford him most fun and enjoyment and follow them up with as much zest as he does his business. So shall he be a successful, jolly man all around.

No more horrors were perpetrated in America in the days of torture by red Indians than drunken strikers were guilty of at Lods, in Poland. They were transformed into furies. Naturally even a mob of the lower classes in eastern and central Europe becomes crazy drunk, and usually when it is so her, it proceeds instantly to run amuck against the Jews. Every Jew that was caught out in the streets while the strikers' mob was at its height was set upon and beaten, clubbed, stoned, knifed, shot. Not content with this, after the wretched Jews had been beaten and killed the drunken mob wreaked its fury further by mutilating the corpses, as the veriest savages would have done. "Yet we sit over our tea tables and calmly take it for granted that we are civilized," says Herbert Spencer. It is a mistake. We are not civilized, so long as such horrors occur in any part of the world that is supposed to be enlightened. The Jews were in no way connected with the grievances that caused these savages to strike. They were merely Jews—that was enough. The outbreak of this cruel persecution of the Jew in the last days of the Nineteenth century is a strange and apparently unaccountable social phenomenon. It is a disgrace to the world.

Keep this before your mind: Nobody can detect fraud like the one who is perfectly honest and truthful himself.

CLEVELAND THE CHOICE

The New Jersey Delegates Instructed for Him.

KENTUCKY NOT WITH WATTERSON.

The Famous Editor Says Democrats Are Between the Devil and the Deep Sea and Cannot Win with Cleveland or Hill. Delegates Believe Otherwise.

TRENTON, May 26.—At the Democratic state convention the delegates at large nominated were Senator J. R. McPherson, Governor Abbett, James Smith, Jr., and Miles Ross. Chairman Allen McDermott, of the committee on resolutions, presented the platform. At the mention of "the message of President Cleveland" the convention went wild for a minute, but when the plank naming Cleveland as the candidate of New Jersey and instructing for him "as long as his name is before the convention" was read flags were waved, hats thrown up, and the cheering was continued for several minutes. Following are the silver and Cleveland planks:

For Cleveland All the Time.

Resolved, That we condemn the policy of free coinage of depreciated legal tender silver and also further purchases of silver bullion under the Republican legislation of 1890, and we believe that the whole matter of the use of silver as a money metal should be relegated to the further consideration of the commercial nations.

Resolved, That with a full recognition of the responsibility of the Democracy of New Jersey toward the national Democracy we unite as our emphatic and unanimous choice for president, who boldly took the decisive step in the way of tariff reform, and to emphasize our preference we instruct the delegates at large from New York, of the state for Grover Cleveland as long as his name is before the convention.

The report was then adopted, and the report of the committee on credentials on the Passaic contest was presented. It was in favor of the Hinchliffe faction. It was greeted with cheers. The report of the committee on resolutions presented when Prosecutor Gourley, of Passaic, got the floor and attacked the report. Michael Dunn, of Passaic, defended the committee report. During his speech there was much confusion, some quarreling, and he is passed. A fist fight in the rear of the hall finally made so much confusion that the conclusion of the speech could not be heard. In the midst of the confusion the chairman put the question and declared the report carried.

The district delegates were then named as follows:

First district, W. J. Thompson of Camden and George B. Barker of Gloucester. Second district, John H. Scudder of Mercer and T. E. Prickett of Burlington; Third district, Nathaniel Ross of Middlesex and John Hone of Monmouth; Fourth district, Johnson Cornish of Warren and J. Nelson Pidcock of Hunterdon; Fifth district, J. R. Corrigan of Bergen and Lewis Brant of Passaic; Sixth district, Gottfried Kruger and J. B. Dusenbury of Essex; Seventh district, Dennis McLaughlin and Robert S. Davis of Hudson; Eighth district, Joseph W. Yates of Plainfield and Thomas Nevius of Orange.

Important Blaine Conference.

NEW YORK, May 26.—The quietness and freedom from thoughts political that have seemed to mark the visit of Secretary Blaine to this city for a day or two, has given place to a movement of great importance within the next twenty-four hours. Political leaders in this and other states are beginning to look to town, and it is generally understood that an important conference will be held which will go far to determine definitely whether Secretary Blaine will be a candidate for the presidency. Among the arrivals were Senators Hiscock and Pettigrew. The latter, after an extended conference with Mr. Platt, was seen by the United Press representative. He said: "It is true that South Dakota has instructed for Harrison, but it is equally true that this was done with the understanding that Blaine was not a candidate. South Dakota is unquestionably a Blaine state."

Senator Hiscock still insists that he is for Harrison, and says that nothing has occurred to make him change his opinion that Mr. Harrison will be renominated. He admitted, however, that in the event of Blaine's candidacy the situation might be changed, but only that would interfere with Harrison's renomination.

Political Talk at Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The United Press is authorized by Mr. Clarkson, chairman of the Republican national committee, to say that a meeting of the committee will be held at the West hotel, Minneapolis, Saturday, June 4, at 11 a. m. For personal chairman of the Minneapolis convention several names are mentioned, prominent among them being those of Senator Cullom, of Illinois, ex-Senator Spooner, of Wisconsin, and Representative Burrows, of Michigan.

There is a good deal of comment about the dinner given last night to Mr. Clarkson by Senator Allison. One statement made about it is that Allison's name was formally launched on that occasion, but from all that can be learned from those who were present, its political significance was of minor importance.

The Star says: "General Clarkson took breakfast with Secretary Elkins, and the political situation discussed. One remark, said to have been made by General Clarkson, has a significant bearing. It is understood that Mr. Elkins expressed curiosity at the action of certain politicians, who have heretofore been unfriendly to Mr. Blaine, in trying to force Mr. Blaine into accepting the nomination.

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Quay a Blaine Man.

PITTSBURG, May 26.—Senator Quay arrived in Pittsburg en route to his home in Beaver. He told a reporter that Chairman Clarkson was for Blaine. He continued: "Presidential sentiment in Washington is very strong for James G. Blaine. That is the sentiment of all my friends, and I do not think there will be any trouble about nominating him. It will not be by stampeding the convention, but by force of the general sentiment."

Colorado Is for Hill.

DENVER, May 26.—The Colorado Democrats selected a Hill delegation to the Chicago convention. The resolutions declare for free coinage of silver and instruct the delegates to do all in their power to secure the insertion of a silver plank in the national platform. During all the discussions of the platform it was continually being "rooted," while the mention of Hill's name set the delegates wild.

No Fusion in Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 26.—The Indiana Prohibitionists began a two day's convention in this city. Negotiations for fusion between the Prohibitionists and People's party have been pending for two or three months, but the feeling in the rank and file of both parties is strong against a fusion ticket and leaders have given the plan up. The woman suffrage question is the stumbling block.

Vermont Prohibitionists Meet.

RUTLAND, Vt., May 26.—The Prohibitionists of Vermont nominated the following state ticket: Governor, E. L. Allen, of Fair Haven; lieutenant governor, W. P. Stafford, of St. Johnsbury; secretary of state, E. T. Griswold, of Bennington; treasurer, Milton Davidson, of Newfane; auditor, H. F. Cummings, of East Berkshire.

A Victory for Foraker.

MANSFIELD, O., May 26.—Hon. E. G. Johnson, of Elyria, was nominated for congress by the Fourteenth district representative Republican congressional convention. Mr. Johnson is an out and out Foraker man. His opponents were both Sherman men.

Washington Cheers Cleveland.

VANCOUVER, Wash., May 26.—At the Democratic state convention references to Governor Harrison were received with hisses, received, but when the name of Cleveland was mentioned the convention rose to its feet and cheered.

Editor Hart in Trouble.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 26.—W. L. Palma, Esq., of Allentown, Hill-Gobright partner in his many schemes, has secured the arrest of D. L. Hart, of the Scranton Tribune, charging him with criminal libel. Hart wrote that Palma broke up his cousin's home in this city.

They Want the Case Retsted.

CLEVELAND, May 26.—Morris Case, Yeleo J. Case and Mrs. Clemanza B. Yonkin, of Marysville, claim that as the only living children that they are relatives of Leonard Case, Sr., of this city, whose estate at his death in 1884 was valued at $15,000,000.

To Curtail the Leather Output.

WOBURN, Mass., May 26.—The manufacturers of leather is to be curtailed about one-half by the combination and would not be surprised if it were offered him. Mr. Blaine could not understand the course of the politicians referred to.

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Quay a Blaine Man.

PITTSBURG, May 26.—Senator Quay arrived in Pittsburg en route to his home in Beaver. He told a reporter that Chairman Clarkson was for Blaine. He continued: "Presidential sentiment in Washington is very strong for James G. Blaine. That is the sentiment of all my friends, and I do not think there will be any trouble about nominating him. It will not be by stampeding the convention, but by force of the general sentiment."

Colorado Is for Hill.

DENVER, May 26.—The Colorado Democrats selected a Hill delegation to the Chicago convention. The resolutions declare for free coinage of silver and instruct the delegates to do all in their power to secure the insertion of a silver plank in the national platform. During all the discussions of the platform it was continually being "rooted," while the mention of Hill's name set the delegates wild.

No Fusion in Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 26.—The Indiana Prohibitionists began a two day's convention in this city. Negotiations for fusion between the Prohibitionists and People's party have been pending for two or three months, but the feeling in the rank and file of both parties is strong against a fusion ticket and leaders have given the plan up. The woman suffrage question is the stumbling block.

Vermont Prohibitionists Meet.

RUTLAND, Vt., May 26.—The Prohibitionists of Vermont nominated the following state ticket: Governor, E. L. Allen, of Fair Haven; lieutenant governor, W. P. Stafford, of St. Johnsbury; secretary of state, E. T. Griswold, of Bennington; treasurer, Milton Davidson, of Newfane; auditor, H. F. Cummings, of East Berkshire.

A Victory for Foraker.

MANSFIELD, O., May 26.—Hon. E. G. Johnson, of Elyria, was nominated for congress by the Fourteenth district representative Republican congressional convention. Mr. Johnson is an out and out Foraker man. His opponents were both Sherman men.

Washington Cheers Cleveland.

VANCOUVER, Wash., May 26.—At the Democratic state convention references to Governor Harrison were received with hisses, but when the name of Cleveland was mentioned the convention rose to its feet and cheered.

Editor Hart in Trouble.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 26.—W. L. Palma, Esq., of Allentown, Hill-Gobright partner in his many schemes, has secured the arrest of D. L. Hart, of the Scranton Tribune, charging him with criminal libel. Hart wrote that Palma broke up his cousin's home in this city.

They Want the Case Retsted.

CLEVELAND, May 26.—Morris Case, Yeleo J. Case and Mrs. Clemanza B. Yonkin, of Marysville, claim that as the only living children that they are relatives of Leonard Case, Sr., of this city, whose estate at his death in 1884 was valued at $15,000,000.

To Curtail the Leather Output.

WOBURN, Mass., May 26.—The manufacturers of leather is to be curtailed about one-half by the combination and would not be surprised if it were offered him. Mr. Blaine could not understand the course of the politicians referred to.

"To this General Clarkson is said to have replied that he had not heard from Mr. Blaine upon the subject since receiving the letter of declination, but that he had reasons of his own for entertaining the belief that Mr. Blaine would not refuse the nomination, provided he received it by such an overwhelming majority as to convince the Republican party believed his nomination to be necessary to carry the election."

Henry Watterson on the Situation.

LOUISVILLE, May 26.—At the Democratic state convention Henry Watterson was called upon to make a speech.

"The situation in which the party finds itself at this time," he said, "is critical. All that we can make of it is we are between the devil and the deep blue sea. The only comfort we can see is that the enemy is in the middle of a similar fix. Yet, there is one other comfort. When things get bad they are hard to mend, but when they get d—n bad they just can loose and mend themselves. I do," he continued, "think it possible to nominate a ticket that will unite the

TRAIN ROBBERS KILLED.

Both Preferred to Die Rather Than Surrender.

THEY FOUGHT TO THE BITTER END.

One of Them Saw That Death Was Very Near and Wrote a Letter to His Mother Before the Posse Filled Him Full of Cold Lead.

PALATKA, Fla., May 26.—Two of the robbers who held up the train at Monroe junction last Saturday morning and murdered Express Messenger Saunders were killed at Smith Bluff on the St. John's river. The third is badly wounded like a wild beast five miles from this city and will probably be run down. At 11:30 a. m. George Wurts and I. H. Wigg, the guard placed at the Buffalo Bluff bridge, saw three men coming from the south on the railroad tracks. As they neared three feet ahead of the others the guards called "Hands up" and he obeyed. The second and third drew their revolvers, and the guards knew that the desperate robbers were within five feet of them.

Jim Williams Killed.

The firing was begun by the robbers and a bullet grazed Wigg. Wurts fired his shotgun loaded with buckshot and Jim Williams fell. The robbers retreated, blowed holes in the little house on the bridge to which Wurts hastened for his revolver. The man in advance ran toward Palatka. The other man ran backward and was shot in the leg three times. Following a young man, among whom were Dr. Benjamin E. Morgan and Mr. Willard, of the express company, arrived about this time. One of the robbers, Ed Hagan, who had killed Saunders, had taken to the swamp. They pursued him, and suddenly a ball ripped through Dr. Morgan's vest. He saw Hagan behind a fallen tree and fired with his shotgun loaded with buckshot, mortally wounding the fugitive. The murderer when he heard the posse coming to his rescue left the following on the back of a map as he lay behind a tree:

A Letter to His Mother.

DEAR MOTHER—The time has come that you and I shall part, and I hope you will not grieve after me for I have no fear. I would write more, but I have no time. Kiss the children for me, and tell them to do better than I have done. They will live longer than I have. Farewell, dear mother.

Send this to Susan Bedgood, Arabi, Dooley county, Ga. I never expect to give up a thing, and I ask you to send me home at Arabi, Ga. So with this I close forever; please send my body to Arabi, Ga.

It is believed that when Haynes was wounded he finished himself by putting a bullet through his heart. The Bedgoods are a prominent family in Georgia, and the train robber's uncle is said to be a merchant in Arabi.

IS O'BRIEN IN PARIS?

He Was Locked in a Room, but Did Not Remain There Long.

PARIS, May 26.—Tom O'Brien, the bunco sharper, who made his escape to Le Havre, is probably now in Paris. On Saturday the American legation was advised that O'Brien was on board the Marseilles, which was due at Havre on Sunday. He was met by the American consul at that port an order for the police to arrest him on his arrival, but no detective or policeman was on hand to make the arrest. As soon as the American consul became aware of this he undertook a search for O'Brien and found him at the station in the act of taking a ticket for Paris.

As the consul's request O'Brien was arrested by a special station policeman, but his prisoner, who is evidently well-versed, during that his name was Garrett. He was searched and a formidable revolver, a fine watch and thirty dollars were found on him. The consul asked that the prisoner be lodged in a safe place.

This was promised by the police, but instead of locking up O'Brien they allowed him to go to a restaurant in company with a detective. There he was placed in a room and locked up. O'Brien, in almost gave without saying, was not found when the room was opened on Monday morning.

Anna Dickinson's Action.

NEW YORK, May 26.—The suit instituted by Miss Anna Dickinson to recover from the Republican national committee, including Ex-Senators James S. Clarkson, and others, $5,000 upon a breach of contract for address made by her during the last presidential campaign, was brought to trial in the supreme court. Miss Dickinson testified that she had been approached to give lectures on the campaign by Messrs. Clarkson and Dudley, and that she was to be should be paid $5,000 at least, and it was finally agreed that she should receive $125 per night for thirty nights. During the campaign she received $3,750, and is now suing for a balance of $1,250.

Father Dent Made Service.

NEW YORK, May 26.—Rev. Francis Dent, a Buffalo priest, who was suspended by Bishop Ryan, of that city, went to the Press-Tribune office, charging him with criminal libel, and refused to serve subpoenas upon some of the clergymen there to appear in a suit for defamation of character which he has brought against the bishop. Father Dent declared to a door when refused admittance. There was something resembling a scuffle, but Dent finally went away after he had served his subpoenas.

Six Were Drowned.

NILES, O., May 26.—A waterspout burst over Hiramsan, a small village twelve miles northwest of this city on the Pymatuning reservoir, doing six persons and destroying buildings, stock and crops.

Dr. Parkhurst's Vacation.

NEW YORK, May 26.—Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst will sail on the White Star steamer Germanic for Liverpool on next Wednesday. He will return on the same steamer, leaving Liverpool Sept. 14.

Draper Goes to the Cleveland Schools.

CLEVELAND, May 26.—Andrew S. Draper, commissioner of public instruction in New York, has been appointed superintendent of the Cleveland public schools, and has accepted the place.

Dorflinger Glass Works Burned.

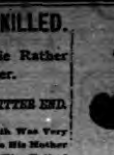
SCRANTON, Pa., May 26.—The Dorflinger Glass works at White Mills, Wayne county, were destroyed by fire. The loss is $250,000, the insurance only $80,000.

Three Years for Burglar Beach.

HARTFORD, May 26.—Rufus Beach was sentenced to three years' imprisonment in the Hartford county jail for breaking in the postoffice at Tantic.

Count Tolstoi Dangerously Ill.

MOSCOW, May 26.—Count Tolstoi is stated to be dangerously ill.



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THE GREAT GRANITE LOCKOUT.

The Manufacturers Give Their Version of the Trouble.

NEW YORK, May 26.—The Granite Manufacturers' association has issued the following statement to the public, giving reasons for the lockout among the quarrymen, sawers and others:

"The main reasons for insisting on May 1 and the ensuing season for insisting on Jan. 1 are the experience of the present difficulty. The employers whose closing their books for the year desire to know for a certainty the rate of wages, hours of labor, etc., when entering upon the new year, and not have their business disturbed by possible disagreements in the spring.

"The unions, on the other hand, desired to have all agreements terminate May 1, believing that they can more easily dictate terms to the employers in the middle of the season than at the beginning.

"The charge made by the unions that the Manufacturers' association has compelled its members to break existing agreements with their workmen is untrue."

An Anti-Prize Fight Bill.

NEW ORLEANS, May 26.—In the legislature Mr. O'Neil, editor of The Critic, gave notice that he would introduce a bill to repeal the act granting charters for prize fights in this city. This information met with indignation in New Orleans.

Belle Hamlin and Globe in 2:13 1-2.

PHILADELPHIA, May 26. — The double team trotting record on a regulation track was reduced to 2:13½ by Belle Hamlin and Globe at the Belmont Driving track. The team was hooked to a skeleton wagon weighing less than 100 pounds.

Struck Out of Sympathy.

NEW YORK, May 26.—The hands of the Jackson iron works struck in sympathy with the Order of Eccentric Engineers. Twelve hundred men have now struck because the contractor would not discharge an obnoxious engineer.

American Register for the China.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The house committee on the merchant marine and fisheries ordered a favorable report on the bill granting, under certain conditions, an American register to the steamship China.

For Kicking a Private.

MUNICH, May 26.—Lieutenant Hans Goetz, of the Ninth infantry, has been sentenced to eight days' arrest for kicking Private Pentsch. There is much indignation because the lieutenant was let off so easily.

The Half Mile Record Beaten.

LONDON, May 26.—At Herne Hill Lewis Stroud, the bicyclist, beat by one-fifth second the world's record for half a mile made by A. A. Zimmerman, the champion American bicyclist.

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Proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

(OFFICIAL.)

ELIZABETH, N. J., May 10, 1892.

Pursuant to adjournment the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union county met on Tuesday, May 10, 1892, at two o'clock p. m.

Present—Director Hubbard and Freeholders Bender, Brien, Dolz, Howard, Halliday, Jones, Kyte, Littell, Merson, Reid, Russell, Sullivan, Trahon, Thompson, Vanderbeek, Wood—17.

Absent—None.

The minutes of last meeting were read and on motion approved.

On motion of Freeholder Howard the rules were suspended in order to pay bills.

The following bills, audited and approved, were read and ordered paid by unanimous vote:

Incidentals—T. Grill & Cole, $80.

Public buildings—J. W. Warren, $94.45; E. F. Edwards, $12.08; Jos. G. Carden, $3.75.

County roads—Hoffman & Hatfield, $1,425.17; Wm. S. Gardiner, $1,494.91; F. A. Dunham, $188.55; do., $20; Edward S. Lynch, $784.81; do., $230.44; do., $3,958.95; Thos. J. Martine, $30; do., $1,880.60; do., $997.96; F. A. Dunham, $2,222.80; do., $242.12.

Incidentals—C. D. Ward, $60; Chas. E. Reed, $69.10; John Keenan & Son, $54.

Committee expense account—J. Martin Bell, $18.; Wm. W. Russell, $6.50; J. F. Hubbard, $13.75; W. H. Benson, $7.50; Jas. T. Pierson, $7.35; Bradford Jones, $6.10; W. J. Thompson, $6.25; George Kyte, $4.

Members' pay account—Geo. W. Doty, $188.12; Wm. W. Russell, $63; Wm. Howard, $132.50; Geo. J. Littell, $81; James T. Pierson, $63; J. F. Hubbard, $60; Samuel Halliday, $52.50; Wm. E. West, $56; Wm. H. Benson, $70; Thos. J. Martine, $64; Wm. J. Thompson, $64.20; Bradford Jones, $64.50; George Kyte, $94.50.

On motion of Freeholder Howard the Board took a recess until four o'clock to enable the collector to finish his report.

On roll call all answer to their names and all members were present.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The agreement between the committee on Elizabeth drawbridges and William Cobb was read and on motion of Freeholder Howard received and filed with the clerk.

Several certificates from the county engineer for work completed on county roads, Edward N. Lynch, Thos. A. Nevius and Hoffman & Hatfield, contractors, were read and on motion of Freeholder Howard ordered placed on file.

ELIZABETH, N. J., May 10, 1892.

To the Director and members of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union county, N. J.

Gentlemen—The members of your honorable body are respectfully invited to witness the laying of the corner stone of the hospital building, the ceremony of which will take place in the beautiful grounds corner Rahway and East Jersey streets, on Monday, May 30th, at 11 o'clock a. m. Respectfully,

G. H. K. HALSEY, chair'n.
C. H. BOGERT,
F. J. NYAN,
T. J. BIRD,
C. D. ORCUTT,
A. A. DIX,
W. H. DAY,
Com. of Arrangements.

On motion of Freeholder Reid received and invitation accepted and ordered placed on file.

Statements from the county engineer relative to the cost of repairs on Johnston's hill and the land hill, Morris avenue, Union township, and Mountain avenue and Springfield road, in the townships of Fanwood, Springfield and Westfield, were read and on motion of Freeholder Trahon were ordered placed on file.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

From the committee on county collector's bond.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union:

Gentlemen—Your committee to settle with the county collector respectfully report that they have examined his books, showing his receipts and disbursements, together with his bonds, warrants and coupon pads, and find that the same agree and are correct. His receipts and disbursements for the fiscal year, ending to-day, are as follows:

Receipts $461,624 01
Disbursements 455,787 62

Balance in his hands ..... $ 5,836 39

Respectfully submitted,
J. MARTIN BOLL,
GEO. W. DOTY,
WM. W. RUSSELL,
Committee.

Dated May 10, 1892.

On motion of Freeholder Howard received and ordered placed on file.

The county collector's annual report for the year ending May 10, 1892, was read and on motion of Freeholder Howard received and adopted and ordered placed on file.

From legal committee:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union:

Gentlemen—The legal committee would respectfully report that the Mahon suits and all other litigation except the suit brought by William Hart against the county to recover damages, for personal injuries received on the county road, in township of Cranford, has been settled. The last suit mentioned is pending in the New Jersey Supreme Court on demurrer filed by the county, which will be argued at the June term.

A. VANDERBEEK,
J. MARTIN BOLL,
JOHN C. BENDER,
Committee.

Dated May 10, 1892.

On motion of Freeholder Trahon received and placed on file.

From committee on discharge of prisoners.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union:

Gentlemen—Your committee on discharge of prisoners beg leave to report that they held regular meetings during the year for the purpose of granting a deduction to the sentence of prisoners for good conduct while under confinement in jail, upon the recommendation of the warden and approval of the presiding judge of the court of common pleas as provided by law, and in each case where the allowance was asked it was granted.

The amount allowed is $1,000.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. MARTIN BOLL,
JOHN C. BENDER,
GEORGE KYTE,
Committee.

Dated May 10, 1892.

On motion of Freeholder Howard received and placed on file.

From the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings would respectfully report that during the year two meetings were held on said account but been $2,9.81.

In this account is charged all fuel, gas and water. Also includes all repairs to buildings, including extensive alterations and repairs in the court house, the jail corridors and in the corridors attached to the jail.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM HOWARD,
JAMES T. PIERSON,
GEO. W. DOTY,
Committee.

Dated May 10, 1892.

On motion of Freeholder Jones received and placed on file.

From committee on publication.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union:

Gentlemen—Your committee on publication would report that there has been expended during the past year the sum of one thousand six hundred twenty-eight dollars and ninety-five cents ($1,628.95) for and on the minutes of the Board and county collector's report.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM J. THOMPSON,
WILLIAM H. TRAHON,
GEORGE KYTE,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Howard received and placed on file.

From the committee to settle with the sheriff.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union:

Gentlemen—Your committee to settle with the sheriff would report that they have audited sheriff's bills to the amount of ten thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine and 75-100 dollars ($10,879.75) on account there has been paid the county collector on account of prisoner's fees two thousand three hundred and ninety-eight dollars.

Respectfully submitted.

GEORGE KYTE,
WILLIAM J. THOMPSON,
DANIEL O. SULLIVAN,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Littell received and placed on file.

[To be continued.]

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THE HOUSE ACROSS THE WAY.

There is misery and mourning
In the house across the way,
For a great ambition entered
And no voice could say him nay.

On the doorway seems the signal
With mute eloquence to say,
"One hath gone to meet the bridegroom
From the house across the way."

And the passersby that hurries
From his task of every day,
Stops his whistle and sings softer
As the house across the way.

On the doorstep sits a baby,
Reaching up her hands to play
With the crape that hangs in streamers
From the house across the way.

In a darkened room they're sewing
On a shroud in which to lay
Her who heeds not how they deck her
In the house across the way.

When they speak, they speak in whispers,
And their furtive glances stray
To the stricken form that's sleeping
In the house across the way.

And I feel a nameless sorrow
Hurt my heart to think I may
Likewise sit within the shadow
Of the house across the way.
—Susan M. Best in Good Housekeeping.

RUDENESS IN WOMEN.

Too Often We Are Prone to Be Inconsiderate of the Feelings of Others.

An able writer strongly discusses the rudeness which, however, he mildly terms inconsiderateness, found among women, and must we not, as a sex, plead guilty to this charge? Not that I wish to say that the opposite sex are any better than we; but it seems to me we ought to strive to be a little superior to them. They expect it of us, you know, and why should we disappoint them?

Who has not overheard, or perhaps been the victim of the "mean and critical" remarks of the young misses on the street or in the car! In shopping especially do we find ample opportunity to complain of the rudeness among the so called "gentler sex." Can such persons truthfully be termed gentle? In many cases we are treated with the greatest impoliteness by even the saleslies whose principal qualifications should be pleasant manners.

I have in mind a prominent dry goods house where the salesmen, with few exceptions, are so disobliging and impertinent that one feels relieved when shopping is over. I fully admit that these poor, tired girls are frequently the victims of extreme rudeness on the part of the lady (?) purchaser or shopper, but that is no excuse for her display of ill temper, for what else is the rudeness to them when she is expected to serve politely? There are also scores of women who, in the presence of their servants or others, are ever ill mannered, simply unbearable, while, when gentlemen appear upon the scene, they immediately become the very embodiment of politeness and graces.

I was recently urged to attend a "special bargain sale," which opened at a certain hour, and I was not only greatly surprised but shocked at the rude scramble indulged. The pushing, jostling, tearing of goods out of the hands of would be purchasers, to say nothing of the losing of temper and exhibitions of anger, was such as cannot be described. I have firmly resolved to never, never attend another "sale." I could go on and enumerate, perhaps, dozens of instances of not inconsiderateness, but genuine rudeness among the women on the street or in the store, car and various other places.

Kind words and pleasant manners cost nothing, except perhaps to the unaccustomed; but what a debt of gratitude are they may be to those with whom we come in contact! Where politeness has been acquired in childhood it becomes natural throughout life to be pleasant and agreeable in speech and manner; therefore, dear parents, let this be one of your prime duties, to teach your children to be well bred manners and to give kind words wherever they may be. Where parents have failed, a teacher may frequently do much good, and I think every teacher should consider it one of her principal duties to allow nothing but pleasant words and manners within the schoolroom.

The teacher, however, who says, "George, close that door," and expects George to say, "Miss Brown, please help me with this example," will never meet with success. A child, especially a girl, in nine cases out of ten, considers the teacher as just a model of perfection, and whether in or out of school, makes the unwise teacher as her model. When little Mabel, in playing school, proudly names herself "Miss Smith," and sharply says to her array of doll pupils, "Stop that talking right away or I'll box your ears," you can safely judge that Miss Smith is not especially gifted with pleasant voice or manners, two essential elements to successful teaching.

Therefore, dear teachers, beware what an example you set these innocent children. You would be surprised to know how great an influence you have over them, but if you could see them in their homes or at their play you would be convinced, and I assure you, you cannot be too careful in your words and actions nor too stringent in the exacting of pleasant words and polite manners from all pupils in your presence.—Emilie Hoffman in Housekeeper.

Sand as a Purifier.

Sand is more than a mere filter. It is a purifier of great importance, and when properly used it will remove all impurities from water and liquids. Vinegar passed through a thick layer of sand loses most of its acid, and salt is also partly removed from substances passed through it. Oil is likewise arrested and retained in the sand. If there is sufficient acid and chemicals in the sand germs of disease are held in solution and prevented from passing off into the water. This is caused by attraction of one body for another, and not merely by the lodgment of large particles in the sand, owing to the small interstices through which they have to pass. Sand can be greatly enhanced in value as a purifier by adding divided matter, such as alum.

Another requisite for a good sand filter or purifier is to have a compulsory large sand surface over which the water must flow. Sand filters should be more generally used for the drinking water and other liquids that may finally find their way into the drinking water.—New York Telegram.

It goes without saying that the best diet for an infant during its first year or year and a half is milk from the human breast. When that is relied upon, probably the chances of safely passing those eventful months are greatly enhanced. Only in child life are far more than double where the natural food is depended upon than where the little ones are bottle fed.

RUNNING THE HOUSEHOLD.

She put up with such pangs as long as she could,
Then determined to move to a new neighborhood.
She had found in this world—It is over this we weep—
One very severe nuisance if in one place she stay:
And her land, unlike Phaetus, believed this among good.
So she pulled up her carpets late Saturday night,
And packed everything that she could out of sight.
Then remembered the Sabbath quite holy to keep,
Put off that day attempting the hard duties to do;
For she argued it then, and perhaps she was right,
There are certain chores duties one never should slight.
Monday morning she moved where the Four Hundred dwell,
And she said just two months, when the old fads to tell.
The landlord demanded a year in the rent,
And she said positively for him one cent.
Above what she promised for better or worse
Moved out, to convince him he could not coerce.
She has now moved so much that the job's a part
Of course it is work, but she's learned as a part
Of the season in life, to succeed and excel cry:
And she knows very well that it's easiest to say
If she makes matters worse by a moving ill planned;
But she just looks on moving all over this land.
MOVER!
Prince, scoff not now just at the tale or her woe,
But house her progress where'er she may go.
Her neighbors may wonder, but keep mum and say nothing.
And her friends may declare that she's getting insane.
But think of the self satisfaction she feels,
For she's running the household, and not it her.
—Daily La Rue Brown in New York Tribune.

The Whole Story.

It is natural to boys and girls to desire to know how a story "came out." They are not satisfied with an abrupt ending to which leaves good points in doubt. The bright boy once heard the story of William Tell for the first time, and was very much interested in it. He followed eagerly the account of the shooting of the apple by Tell from his boy's head, and looked unsatisfied when the story came to a conclusion.

"Well, go on," he said.

"But that's all the story."

"How can it be?" exclaimed the boy. "You didn't tell who had the apple to eat!"—Youth's Companion.

In a Nutshell.

Rivers—Mr. Sharpe, the house on my new house doesn't expire till July. I have had a disagreement with the landlord about some repairs and he has ordered me out. I want to know something about the rights of a tenant in such a case.

Lawyer Sharpe—A tenant, sir, has no rights. Five dollars, please.—Chicago Tribune.

Precocious.

In a Connecticut school recently a teacher was trying to impress a youngster with the meaning of the word letter. To illustrate she asked, "Now, if you were sick and a doctor came and gave you some medicine, what would you be?" "Dead," was the unexpected answer.—New York Sun.

Body Snatchers.

The gift of quick wit and ready resource of language, necessary to all who would better upon a wordy contest with the embarrassments of purpose, is a commendably rare one.

There are, however, many instances on record where this same gift has been bestowed upon the possessor of the gift in a high degree.

John Wesley was once accosted on a very narrow pathway by an extremely awkward individual who refused to step aside and make way for a foot." Wesley at once stepped aside with a courteous bow, and remarked as he passed on, "I always do."

A clinging little story is also told concerning Fontenelle, who, when nearly ninety years old, was taking a walk and was upset in pass, without injury to himself, by a lady in a great rage at some beauty.

"Ah!" exclaimed the lady; "that is your gallantry, then! To pass before me with such rapidity!"

"If I had looked at you, madam," replied the old beau, "I could never have passed you at all."

The following terse incident serves to show how returns of the most caustic kind may sometimes be uttered almost unconsciously. A good story is told of Sydney Smith, a man worthy daughter had recently married him by a fresh act of matrimonial folly, rather shocking to the sensibilities of the young woman. It was one morning at breakfast that Smith, in an unnatural and horrid repartee. Deliberately spread on his bloom, whom egg and visited had in utmost complacency by unconscious.

"Good morning, child of the evil one!"

To which came the natural but crushing response.

"Good morning, father!"

A pompous parish priest felt his dignity greatly offended by a clubby faced youth who was passing without removing his hat.

"Do you know who I am, sir, that you don't honor me in that unseemly way?"

"You are better fed than taught, I think, sir."

"Maybe it is so, master," replied he of the clubby face, "for you teaches me, but I feeds myself."—London Tit-Bits.

Male Vanity.

It was at a ball all the subject under discussion was vanity. A lady maintained that men were also given somewhat to vanity.

"The men are ten times more vain than the ladies," she remarked.

"That's utterly impossible," said several gentlemen.

The subject was changed, and a few minutes later the lady remarked:

"The handsomest man in the room has a spoke by Tell from his boy's head, and looked unsatisfied when the story came to a conclusion.

"Well, go on," he said.

"But that's all the story."

"How can it be?" exclaimed the boy. "You didn't tell who had the apple to eat!"—Youth's Companion.

Old, but Always Good.

A good story is gotten off on the legal profession which runs about as follows:

In a certain community a lawyer died who was a most popular and worthy man, and among other virtues ascribed upon his tombstone was this "A lawyer and an honest man."

Some years afterward a Farmers' Alliance convention was held in the town, and one of the delegates, being of a sentimental turn, visited the "silent city," and in rambling among the tombs was struck with the inscription, "A lawyer and an honest man."

He was lost in thought, and when run upon by a friend, who, noticing his abstraction, asked if he had found the grave of a dear friend or relative, said, "No, but I am wondering how they came to bury two fellows in the same grave."—Green Bag.

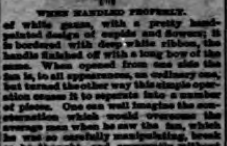
THE SURPRISE FAN.

A Novelty Now, but it was Known to Our Grandmothers.

A remarkable novelty is the fluttering fan which is again here. It is composed

WHEN HANDLED PROPERLY.

of white gauze, with a pretty hand-painted design of sprigs and flowers; it is bordered with deep white ribbon, the handle finished off with a long bow of the same. When opened from one side the fan is, to all appearance, an ordinary one, but turned the other way the simple operation of pressing it to separate below a number of pleats. One can well imagine the consternation which would overcome the dignified, stern worldly daughter had recently married him by a fresh act of matrimonial folly rather shocking to the sensibilities of the young woman. It was one morning at breakfast that Smith, in an unnatural and horrid repartee. Deliberately spread on his bloom, whom egg and visited had in utmost complacency by unconscious.



IT WILL GO TO PIECES SOMETIMES.

any cause. Apart from the amusement which it cannot fail to afford, this fan offers a delightful occupation for the idle fingers of the maid or matron who delights in constant movement, and it will certainly recommend itself to all.

HOW TO BUY BEEF.

Knowledge that Every Housekeeper Should Possess.

There upon the counter lie two pieces of beef; one is bright, dark red, and the other is paler and finer in grain. Which is the better? It will require but a glance, for fat is either on or behind beef, whereas the other is either cow or heifer and will not have so fine a flavor as the first.

Now the question arises, Is this a good piece of ox beef? Press the meat gently with your fingers, and if the dent flies quickly you may feel pretty sure the meat will be tender and juicy. The flavor will depend somewhat upon the quantity and quality of the fat. Have the fat white, one of the nutritious and useful order, and it should be a rich cream white, and not "skimpy." Did you ever try the first and second cuts from the rump? If not, do so, and you will remark a considerable difference. If you will scarcely be able to tell it from the best sirloin roast. There are two reasons why the rump steak is such a favorite with every housekeeper. The first is, being cut from the part nearest the rear it has the sirloin flavor, and is more nutritious, as all tenderloins which are used much become more healthy; that is, the blood flows through the part more freely, and while it toughens it also strengthens the part. The sirloin steaks are not tough, but they are very juicy and sweet. The second reason is that I would urge in favor of this piece for cooking is the fact that you can obtain it from three to five cents cheaper per pound than sirloin cuts.

A very good and nutritious, as well as cheap, dish can now be had by cutting one from the rump across the grain. Cutting it with the grain makes it tough. When you wish a cheap dish of meat that is tender, the piece of the animal will yield far more nourishment than a piece of tenderloin, which never does very much but contain a large amount of juice. Have your beef for beef-tea always cut from the rump, for it is juicy and free from fat.

Chicken and Oyster Broth.

For a delicious chicken broth for invalids cut a young fowl into four parts, wash these well in cold water, and put the pieces in a saucepan with one quart of water and a little salt. Let it boil on the stove, skim it well and then add the heart of a cabbage. Boil the broth for an hour if the chicken is tender, but if proportionately longer, if it is tough, and strain when it is done.

For mutton broth take three pounds of the scrag-end of a neck of very fresh mutton, boil it for two hours in three pints of cold water and put them in a saucepan with a quart of water; place it on the fire to boil; skim and add a couple of carrots, one or two little parsnips and a little salt; let it boil slowly for an hour and a half, skim off the fat from the surface, strain through a fine sieve into a pitcher and keep for use.

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Carnivorous Birds.

A gentleman who has a marvelous flock of pigeons in his yard has been behind his premises for some days watching the wonderful bloom, color and size to the chief of a strange experiment. As we understand it, he has been feeding the animals for market being in his neighborhood, he obtained several times a week, a quantity of blood which he mixed with the food of the pigeons. The result is most satisfactory as far as improving his plants is concerned, but our informant says that he is afraid that the birds rather shocking to the sensibilities of the young woman. It was one morning at breakfast that Smith, in an unnatural and horrid repartee. Deliberately spread on his bloom, whom egg and visited had in utmost complacency by unconscious.—Detroit Free Press.

French Rolls for Tea.

Work a quarter of a pound of butter into two pounds of sifted flour until it is like grated bread; put to it two beaten eggs, two tablespoons of baker's yeast, a little salt and milk to make a soft dough; cover over and let it rise in a warm place to rise for two hours; then dip your hands in melted butter and shape rolls as long as the length of a finger. Place in buttered pans, slightly separate the rolls and place in the same warm place to rise again; when light, brush over with a little milk and bake in a hot oven, and afterward to bake for twenty minutes. Five minutes before they are done, wet over with sweet milk, quickly, and when the oven will finish.

A Truly Rustic Table.

A couple of months ago, a Philadelphia gentleman who resides in the suburbs of the borough of ——— had a tree from which the bark had not been removed. About two weeks ago the table began to throw out green sprouts, and now the whole table is in full bloom. The owner hopes it will turn out to be a fruit tree.

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ESTATE OF JOHN F. GRIFFEN, DECEASED.
Pursuant to the order of George V. Furrer, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, Executrix of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.
MARY M. GRIFFEN, Executrix.
May 5th, 1892. 13 19

ESTATE OF MANNING VERMILYA, deceased.
Pursuant to the order of George V. Furrer, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, Executrix of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.
NELSON HUNTON, Executor.
March 26th, 1892. 41 6

ESTATE OF ROSE VENABLE, DECEASED.
Pursuant to the order of George V. Furrer, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, Executrix of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.
STEPHEN A. GINNA, Administrator.
March 28, 1892. 13 26

Summer Resorts.

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A Novelty Now, but it was Known to Our Grandmothers.

A remarkable novelty is the fluttering fan which is again here. It is composed

WHEN HANDLED PROPERLY.

of white gauze, with a pretty hand-painted design of sprigs and flowers; it is bordered with deep white ribbon, the handle finished off with a long bow of the same. When opened from one side the fan is, to all appearance, an ordinary one, but turned the other way the simple operation of pressing it to separate below a number of pleats. One can well imagine the consternation which would overcome the dignified, stern worldly daughter had recently married him by a fresh act of matrimonial folly rather shocking to the sensibilities of the young woman. It was one morning at breakfast that Smith, in an unnatural and horrid repartee. Deliberately spread on his bloom, whom egg and visited had in utmost complacency by unconscious.

IT WILL GO TO PIECES SOMETIMES.

any cause. Apart from the amusement which it cannot fail to afford, this fan offers a delightful occupation for the idle fingers of the maid or matron who delights in constant movement, and it will certainly recommend itself to all.

HOW TO BUY BEEF.

Knowledge that Every Housekeeper Should Possess.

There upon the counter lie two pieces of beef; one is bright, dark red, and the other is paler and finer in grain. Which is the better? It will require but a glance, for fat is either on or behind beef, whereas the other is either cow or heifer and will not have so fine a flavor as the first.

Now the question arises, Is this a good piece of ox beef? Press the meat gently with your fingers, and if the dent flies quickly you may feel pretty sure the meat will be tender and juicy. The flavor will depend somewhat upon the quantity and quality of the fat. Have the fat white, one of the nutritious and useful order, and it should be a rich cream white, and not "skimpy." Did you ever try the first and second cuts from the rump? If not, do so, and you will remark a considerable difference. If you will scarcely be able to tell it from the best sirloin roast. There are two reasons why the rump steak is such a favorite with every housekeeper. The first is, being cut from the part nearest the rear it has the sirloin flavor, and is more nutritious, as all tenderloins which are used much become more healthy; that is, the blood flows through the part more freely, and while it toughens it also strengthens the part. The sirloin steaks are not tough, but they are very juicy and sweet. The second reason that I would urge in favor of this piece for cooking is the fact that you can obtain it from three to five cents cheaper per pound than sirloin cuts.

A very good and nutritious, as well as cheap, dish can now be had by cutting one from the rump across the grain. Cutting it with the grain makes it tough. When you wish a cheap dish of meat that is tender, the piece of the animal will yield far more nourishment than a piece of tenderloin, which never does very much but contain a large amount of juice. Have your beef for beef-tea always cut from the rump, for it is juicy and free from fat.

Chicken and Oyster Broth.

For a delicious chicken broth for invalids cut a young fowl into four parts, wash these well in cold water, and put the pieces in a saucepan with one quart of water and a little salt. Let it boil on the stove, skim it well and then add the heart of a cabbage. Boil the broth for an hour if the chicken is tender, but if proportionately longer, if it is tough, and strain when it is done.

For mutton broth take three pounds of the scrag-end of a neck of very fresh mutton, boil it for two hours in three pints of cold water and put them in a saucepan with a quart of water; place it on the fire to boil; skim and add a couple of carrots, one or two little parsnips and a little salt; let it boil slowly for an hour and a half, skim off the fat from the surface, strain through a fine sieve into a pitcher and keep for use.

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Carnivorous Birds.

A gentleman who has a marvelous flock of pigeons in his yard has been behind his premises for some days watching the wonderful bloom, color and size to the chief of a strange experiment. As we understand it, he has been feeding the animals for market being in his neighborhood, he obtained several times a week, a quantity of blood which he mixed with the food of the pigeons. The result is most satisfactory as far as improving his plants is concerned, but our informant says that he is afraid that the birds rather shocking to the sensibilities of the young woman. It was one morning at breakfast that Smith, in an unnatural and horrid repartee. Deliberately spread on his bloom, whom egg and visited had in utmost complacency by unconscious.—Detroit Free Press.

French Rolls for Tea.

Work a quarter of a pound of butter into two pounds of sifted flour until it is like grated bread; put to it two beaten eggs, two tablespoons of baker's yeast, a little salt and milk to make a soft dough; cover over and let it rise in a warm place to rise for two hours; then dip your hands in melted butter and shape rolls as long as the length of a finger. Place in buttered pans, slightly separate the rolls and place in the same warm place to rise again; when light, brush over with a little milk and bake in a hot oven, and afterward to bake for twenty minutes. Five minutes before they are done, wet over with sweet milk, quickly, and when the oven will finish.

A Truly Rustic Table.

A couple of months ago, a Philadelphia gentleman who resides in the suburbs of the borough of ——— had a tree from which the bark had not been removed. About two weeks ago the table began to throw out green sprouts, and now the whole table is in full bloom. The owner hopes it will turn out to be a fruit tree.

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This Date in History—May 26.

1776—The Venerable Dolly or Soda, a Seneca chief, died at the age of 97. He was present at the council held at Fort Stanwix in 1768, when the treaty of Fort Pitt was negotiated. From Latin Lore Anglo Saxon by Eliot Alford.

1892—The Plainfield Press, in its "Diary," dated from 1885, on Jan. 1, 1886, he began to keep a historical record of such trifling matters as the weather, the number of deaths, the number of marriages, the number of the ladies and the measure of people to meet at certain appointments, etc. Under date of Wednesday, May 26, 1886, it has proved of interest to read the following:

Lord Randolph Churchill, Gladstone's colleague, committed suicide.

Gen. Grant's remains were removed to Riverside Park, New York.

Chief Justice Augustus Hotchkiss, the engineer who constructed the New York and Harlem railroad, died in Saybrook, Ct.

Rev. Samuel Lothrop, eminent Presbyterian and politician, died.

The parlors of hotels on the North American transmit in the four days of continuous fighting the Federal loss was 232 killed, 1,267 wounded and 1,000 prisoners total, 2,499.

Kirby Smith surrendered and the civil war ended.

1892—Explosion in a Boston dress store killed and wounded several persons.

Obliged To.

Jon—Why did George Jones break up engagement with Ethel?

Jack—He couldn't stand it; she treated him like a servant.

Jon—How was he like a servant?

Jack—The only time he had to himself was Thursday afternoon and every other Sunday.—Truth.

Too Bad.

Chet Between the Dances: Young Fleetwood—Are you often troubled with colds, Miss?

His Partner—No.

"What a pity. I have a cure for it that's simply 'out of sight.'"—Pittsburg Bulletin.

A Definition.

The Teacher—Now, little boys, can any of you define nothing?

Small Boy—I can, ma'am.

The Teacher—Well?

Small Boy—It's what papa has got on the top of his head.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

They Survived.

Trivet—Did they have a printed programme to the ancient Greek theatre?

Dibbs—I think so.

Trivet—I thought perhaps the jokes on this programme had come down from there.—Detroit Free Press.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter	3	2:12 p.m.	Third Quarter	19	2:50 a.m.
Full	11	2:30 p.m.	Last Quarter	26	4:32 a.m.
New	18	9:40 p.m.			

WHAT
V. & W. are Doing.

There are certain lines of goods that we are going to close out, and to do it we have marked them at a low price. We have too much stock and it must be sold.

First: Spring Coats.

We have about 30 Spring Jackets that are going to be sold at about half of other stores at less than manufacturers' prices.

Second: Mattings.

The most successful season we have ever had and low prices have done it. We have 500 rolls to sell, and they go at your own price.

Third: $5.75.

Another case and "will be the last of these $5.75 Stove Rugs" 9x12 porcelain dinner sets. Finely decorated they are.

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The best Summer fabric on sale to-day. Styles so very pretty, and the price is a popular one, 12c.

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We will sell one case extra heavy, all linen crash, regular price 15c.

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Without a doubt we are showing the finest assortment of Ladies' Shirt Waists ever displayed in this town, and as usual our prices are the lowest.

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There is a special lot of Shirts that we will offer at 49c. each; regular price 75c.

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The Weather.

Generally fair and warmer.

BREVITIES.

—Kitchen Garden girls are requested to meet Saturday morning at 11 o'clock in the W. C. T. U. rooms.

—Readings by Miss Bowers and Miss Marchand, Greek tableaux and music by Elizabeth Glee Club at the Casino to-night.

—Class exercises of Jr. C. E. Hosteen of Trinity Reformed church will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Members and their friends are invited to be present.

—Mr. Wm. Howard Hoople of New York and James Johnson, superintendent of the Florence Mission will speak, and sing solos at the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 4:15 p. m., Sunday afternoon.

—In the June number of The Forum appears a very able article entitled "What the Census of the Churches Show," by H. K. Carroll, D. D., LL.D., Special Agent of the Census, of this city.

—The Boys' Club will play the Young Cornbeas, Saturday at 1 to p. m. on the grounds corner Fifth street and South avenue. Battery: Boys' Club, Smith and Sheridan; Young Gorham, Peterson and Green.

—Praise and temperance meeting of the Young People's League of the First Baptist church, to-night at eight o'clock. Addresses will be made by prominent temperance workers of this city. Mr. Bigelow and Mrs. Cooley will sing.

—A prominent citizen of this city lost a pocket book Wednesday evening containing two checks for $700 and $900 and a commutation ticket. It was found by an honest employer of the Central Railroad at the depot, who promptly returned it and was suitably rewarded.

RAILROAD INCIDENTS.

An Almshouse Patient Fatally Injured—Freight Cars Smashed.

Thomas Martin, aged 70 years, was struck by a coal train, drawn by P. & R. engine No. 151, while crossing the tracks between Metuchen and Perth Junction, at about five o'clock last evening.

He was severely injured and on account of his advanced age, it is feared he will not recover.

He was taken to the alms house at Skelton.

The P. & R. drill engine, No. 889, jumped the tracks at Perth Junction, yesterday. Several empty gondolas were wrecked in consequence. No one was injured.

Arrivals at the Hotels.

The following are registered at the various hotels in this city:

Albion Hotel—J. A. Barnaby, Brooklyn; John B. W. St. John, S. Landreson, L. V. Osborn, H. B. Sherman, V. Dreger, Miss Kerr, New York.

Hotel Grenada:—C. E. Sheppard, W. F. Sveland, W. H. Peet, New York; A. H. Gregory, Newark; C. B. Liker, F. S. Stonewall, Maplewood, N. J.; S. J. Holmes, Montclair; Jas. Milburn, Jr., New York; G. S. Lawton, Syracuse; G. S. Lyon, New York; C. E. Sparta, Reading; Frank T. Lent, F. A. Hader, Fremont, Ore.; John W. Lewis, Newark; W. D. Morris, New York; W. C. Baker, Kansas City; T. E. Edwin, New York; H. B. Brown, Elizabeth; Mr. Newman, Newark; Westfield Base Ball Club, Westfield, N. J.

City Hotel—C. E. Seymour, Binghamton, N. Y.; O. O. Stillman, C. H. Cramer, P. W. Kersting, C. B. Wycoff, New Brunswick; Edward Burrell, John Wissman, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Force, Bound Brook, N. J.

Director Halliday Announces His Committees.

Director Halliday of the Union County Board of Freeholders yesterday announced the following standing committees for the year:

Finance—Trahon, Hunt, Hubbard; Public Grounds and Buildings—Swayze, Woodruff, Vanderbeek; Jail Inspection—Woodruff, Scudder, Vanderbeek; Lewis, Hunt, Moore, Badeley; Printing—Hunt, Baker, Kyte; Discharge of Prisoners—Halliday, Swayne, Roll; Lunacy—Scudder, Donohue, Winans; Miscellaneous Bills—Moore, Woodruff, Badeley; County Buildings—Halsey, Halliday, Lewis, Howard; Elizabeth — Donohue, Moore, Winans.

Fine Music at the Park Avenue Baptist Church Next Sunday.

The choir of the Park avenue Baptist church are preparing a Morning Praise Service for next Sunday, in connection with the regular morning services.

The choir, somewhat augmented for the occasion, will render the anthems "O for a Closer Walk with God" by M. B. Foster, and "Hark, Hark My Soul," by H. Kjellsky, together with several suitable hymns.

Miss Blanche Fellows, soprano soloist, will assist the choir in the anthems and hymns, and will also sing the soprano solo, "Come unto Me" from Handel's "Messiah."

PERSONAL.

A quiet wedding took place Wednesday morning at the residence of Mr. Theodore E. Ten Broeck, of Rutherford, N. J., where his eldest daughter, Miss Hattie Allen, was united in marriage to Mr. Frederick Francis Chase, of Plainfield. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. S. McEwen of New of New York city. After the wedding breakfast the happy couple left for a trip to the South. Their future residence will be 119 East Front street. Mr. Chase is the proprietor of the large machine shop on North avenue, this city.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

ASCENSION DAY SERVICES AT GRACE CHURCH LAST NIGHT.

Followed by a Banquet and Musicale at Masonic Hall—Who the Guests were.—A Contribution made for the Mississippi Flood Sufferers.

Trinity Commandery, No. 17, Knights Templar, observed the usual Ascension Day evening service last night.

They had as their guests; Coeur de Leon Commandery of New Brunswick and St. John Commandery of Elizabeth.

The Sir Knights, headed by the Plainfield Cornet Band, marched to Grace Church, where the regular Ascension Day evening services were held.

The Rev. Henry M. Barbour preached the sermon and the excellent music was under the leadership of Mr. Wm. B. Cook.

After the services at the church a banquet and musical entertainment took place at Masonic Hall.

Among the guests who participated in the exercises and who were at the banquet were as follows: Dept. Grand Commander of New Jersey, Warren Dobbs; Past Commander F. M. Furan, of St. John Commander No. 9, Elizabeth; Eminent Commander Robert B. Sheets, of Beach de Payne, No. 1 at Jersey City; Past Commander Sheppard and Chandler, Eminent Commander Schoder, Captain General Wm. A. Mulford and Sir Knights Trahon, Grassman, Yates, Bedfur, Taucott, Park and Clark of St. John Commandery, No. 9, of Elizabeth; Eminent Commander William Carmen, Generalissimo, M. N. Force, and Sir Knights O. Stillman, Nathan Robbins, E. B. Wyhoff, Creamer, and F. Keisaling of Coeur de Lion Commandery, New Brunswick.

Captain General Asa Collier of this city had command of line of march.

Among the members of Trinity Commandery of this city who were present were: Past Commander Wm. H. Sebring, Commander Frank Cortell, Generalissimo John Chandler, Sir Knights Alex Titsworth, Dr. T. S. Davis, Dr. Frubasco, Dr. Fritts, David Pond, J. Kirkner, T. O. Herring, J. M. Crane, Ed. Nelson, Thomas H. Keller, Dr. W. C. Adams, W. L. Force, Jos. Miller, Charles Leggett, H. S. Mason, Henry Woodland, Edward Thorn and Wm. Gayett.

The collection taken at Grace church was for the benefit of the sufferers from the floods in the West and South.

Bicycle Notes.

Trials are to be made at Wayre between the 1st of June and the 1st of November next as to the type of bicycle to be adopted for use in the Belgian army

The entries to the hill climbing contest of the Plainfield Bicycle Club on Decoration Day are as follows:

F. L. Metcalf, F. L. C. Martin, A. T. Hicrichs, E. V. French, Wm. Ahlgren, A. S. Fritts, A. Titsworth, N. Titsworth, Geo. W. Moreton and R. Pound.

The prizes for this and the other contests are on exhibition at Dept. P. L. C. Martin's "Wheelmen's Headquarters," Park avenue and Fourth street.

The adjourned meeting of the "Journal Trophy" championship committee will be held at the office of the Elizabeth Journal this evening, when arrangements for the ten mile race will be completed.

There is no surprise felt in Paris that Lord Dufferin should be a bicyclist, and he is a most enthusiastic one. Every morning at the western end of the beautiful Bois the English Ambassador takes a ride in the Bois de Boulogne, accompanied by his son, Lord Terence Blackwood. A diplomatist on a safety bicycle is to the Parisian gobe-mouche a novel and attractive sight.—Philadelphia Record.

State Scholarships.

The annual examination of candidates for State Scholarship, will be held at the County Court House, Elizabeth, on Saturday, June 4, 1892, commencing at nine o'clock a. m. These scholarships were established by a State law passed in 1890, making provisions for one each year in each Assembly District, three for Union county. They are free and open to all, the examination being competitive.

They are intended as an advanced course to the Public School system of the State and offer great advantages to those who wish to pursue a special or full course of study in the college.

Further information may be obtained by application to city or county superintendent.

Mrs. Hagele Convicted and Sentenced.

Mrs. Barbara Hagele was arraigned in the court of general quarter sessions at Elizabeth yesterday morning on trial for keeping a disorderly house on Second street that city. Her case is the one which excited so much public indignation in February last, and it was alleged her house was the resort of small girls and youths.

The jury were out only ten minutes, and returned finding Mrs. Hagele guilty as charged in the indictment.

Judge McCormick then administered a deserved rebuke to the wretched woman, and sentenced her to the State prison for a term of 18 months.

The Iron Hall.

The second anniversary of the Order of the Iron Hall Branch, No. 1139 of Plainfield took place last night on West Second street. Addresses were made by members and refreshments were served.

—Extra special inducements offered with tea, coffee and baking powder, by the United Tea and Coffee Growers' Association. Read their advertisement.

THE SCHOOL HOUSE FLAG.

It Stimulates the Children's Interest and Promotes Patriotism.

The agitation started by the flag movement has been in progress during the greater part of four years. In that short time the seed sown in one earnest suggestion has borne fruit in school after school, in town after town, in state after state.

Though there are still many schools which are not as yet provided with the flag, the time does not seem far distant when no public school shall be too poor, too remote or too indifferent to have the stars and stripes floating above its roof.

Sufficient time has passed since the movement began to make it possible to judge the results of the unfurling of the flag above so many schools.

Has the proceeding had a real meaning to the scholars? Has it stirred up in the breasts of boys and girls the hope of living to be brave men and good women?

Has it begun to serve with the children of the millions from abroad who inherit no love for our country as a symbol around which will grow up a thoroughly American feeling?

Has it stimulated a love of the study of history, and given children a new idea of the significance of law and order with freedom, so that they themselves

become orderly and subject to wholesome discipline?

The writer has seen a large number of letters from teachers throughout the country, over whose schools the flag has been raised, which answered these very questions.

"The flag has come to mean something," writes one teacher in Minnesota, "whereas before it was a meaningless piece of cloth." "I can see," writes another teacher from Missouri, "quite a change in the children's feelings toward the flag. Now they seem to think that it is their flag—an effect that never could have been produced by talking."

Many other teachers report a similar growth of real patriotism. In a school in Maine, "almost every day after flag raising one could hear the children cheering the old flag."

Even the little children count the stars in the blue field of their flag, and learn what they mean. The older pupils ransack the books of the history of the flag itself, and in so doing are impressed with a new idea of its story and of its relation to their own condition and privileges.

In this way the school house flag, soon so often and so constantly present in the pupils' thoughts, has a marked influence. As several teachers report, upon foreign born children and the children of foreign born parents. One teacher from the west writes:

"Eighty-six per cent. of my scholars were either born in other countries or are the children of foreign born parents. The effect of the flag upon my school has been to make every one of my pupils enthusiastic Americans. If for any reason the flag is not raised for a day, they notice it at once. These scholarships were established by a State law passed in 1890, making provisions for one each year in each Assembly District, three for Union county. They are free and open to all, the examination being competitive.

These children begin to feel for America the same patriotic devotion which their fathers have taught from the cradle to manhood, in song and in story, to feel toward the lands from which they came.

The flag increases the children's interest in the school, and this must react upon conduct. Many teachers testify to this. One in Connecticut says, "Lessons it is easier to govern the children since the flag was raised." Another in Massachusetts says, "It has been a great step in our school toward making brave, manly boys and womanly girls."

It has been proposed that the raising of the flag be one of the exercises in all the public school celebrations on October 12th next. The committee will stimulate all the schools which have not yet raised the colors to obtain a flag before that date.

The executive committee of the national Columbian public school celebration have taken a good step in announcing that any school writing to their chairman in Boston will be given practical suggestions and material aid on how to procure a flag. Not one public school in America ought to allow itself to be without the stars and stripes on this memorable occasion.

JAMES B. UPHAM.

Before Justice Nash.

The case of Chamberlain vs. Codding-ton was adjourned for two weeks.

The case of Spicer et. al. vs. Noel, judgment was rendered on plaintiff, for the sum of $61.48 and $8.35 costs.

—Misses and children's white suits at the Bee Hive.

THE CRESCENT LEAGUE.

PLAINFIELD AND ELIZABETH WIN THE FIRST LEAGUE GAMES.

Westfields Defeated in a Great Game.—Pitcher Saunders at his Best.—The Scores.

The Westfield Athletic Club came to this city like lions yesterday and returned home like lambs.

The cause of all this was a defeat which they received from the hands of the Crescents.

Without doubt the home team put up one of the finest games, both in the field and at the bat that has ever been seen in this city. Pitcher Saunders struck out ten men and a total of only seven base hits off him, further demonstrated the fact that he is the right man in the right place.

"Chic" Hofford and the balance of the team gave him fine support and only one error was against the home club.

Among the many features of the game were a running catches by Leddy, Leyer and Reilly, a beautiful throw of Bonner's from right field fence to the diamond and the two base hits of McGuloo, Leyer and Warner.

The local team secured 14 base hits from O'Neil with a total of eight runs.

The following is the score:

PLAINFIELD.	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Hofford, c.....	5	1	1	10	2	0
Leader, ss.....	5	1	1	1	3	0
Murphy, 1f.....	5	2	2	0	0	0
Turner, 2d.....	5	1	2	3	2	1
Saunders, p....	5	1	2	2	8	1
Leddy, cf.....	5	0	1	1	0	0
Bonner, ...	5	1	2	3	0	0
Snape, 1b.....	5	0	1	11	0	1
Saunders, p....	4	0	0	1	2	0
Total.....	44	8	14	27	11	1

WESTFIELD.						
McGuloo, 1f...	5	1	2	2	0	0
Leyer, c.....	5	0	2	5	2	0
Warner, ss.....	5	0	2	2	3	0
Hedges, 2b....	5	0	0	2	2	0
Hammell, r.f...	4	0	0	2	0	0
Reilly, 3b.....	4	0	0	2	1	0
Howe, c.f.....	4	0	1	2	1	1
Dives, 1b.....	4	0	0	9	0	0
Wood, c.....	4	0	1	1	0	0
O'Neil, p.....	4	1	1	1	1	0
Total.....	44	2	7	27	11	1

Crescents.....	2	1	0	1	4	0	0	1	8
	2	1	0	1	4	0	0	1	8
Westfield.....	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1
	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1

Earned runs—Crescents, 1; Westfield 2. Two base hits—McGuloo, (2), Leyer and Warner. Base on balls—off O'Neil, 2; off Saunders, 1; struck out—by Saunders, 10; by O'Neil, 2. Sacrifice hits, Leyer, Hanna, Murphy, Hofford, Reeler, Leddy. Wild pitch—O'Neil, 1. Time of game, 2.15. Umpire, Mr. Lennon.

The league game at Elizabeth was won by the Y. M. C. I. A. as follows:

Y. M. C. I. A....	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	—8
West Ends.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

One week from to-morrow the two leaders will meet on the grounds in this city and a fine game is expected.

To-morrow the Crescents' play at Westfield and the Elizabeths at Somerville, the latter probably by default.

The Elizabeth Field Club and the Plainfield Bicycle Club base ball teams will cross bats at the Crescent League grounds to-morrow afternoon.

Is It Cigarettes?

Elmer Hardy, an employee of the Janeway wall paper factory in New Brunswick, called on Dr. E. N. Barber three weeks ago and complained of pains in his spine and in the back of his head. He admitted that he sat up reading until midnight nearly every night. Last Saturday night he was at Mr. Gamble's house in Throop street, amusing the company by playing on the organ, when he suddenly fell to the floor and began to bark like a dog and to scratch and growl and snap. He barked so loud that he could be heard out in the street. Some one suggested hydrophobia. The next moment sight strong men fell on the young man and he went into a convulsion. He tried to bite them and then tried to bite himself. No more methodistic or patriotic set of children can be found in the United States than those of my school."

These children begin to feel for America the same patriotic devotion which their fathers have taught from the cradle to manhood, in song and in story, to feel toward the lands from which they came.

The flag increases the children's interest in the school, and this must react upon conduct. Many teachers testify to this. One in Connecticut says, "Lessons it is easier to govern the children since the flag was raised." Another in Massachusetts says, "It has been a great step in our school toward making brave, manly boys and womanly girls."

It has been proposed that the raising of the flag be one of the exercises in all the public school celebrations on October 12th next. The committee will stimulate all the schools which have not yet raised the colors to obtain a flag before that date.

The executive committee of the national Columbian public school celebration have taken a good step in announcing that any school writing to their chairman in Boston will be given practical suggestions and material aid on how to procure a flag. Not one public school in America ought to allow itself to be without the stars and stripes on this memorable occasion.

JAMES B. UPHAM.

Before Justice Nash.

The case of Chamberlain vs. Codding-ton was adjourned for two weeks.

The case of Spicer et. al. vs. Noel, judgment was rendered on plaintiff, for the sum of $61.48 and $8.35 costs.

—Misses and children's white suits at the Bee Hive.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

CREOLE IN DANGER.

Inhabitants Leave the New City in the West.

Cuzzon, Col., May 27th. (Special.)—Creede is in danger of being swept away. The melting of the snow on the ranges has caused Willow Creek to rise rapidly and for the past week it has been running bank full. Many people have left the city owing to the danger of a flood.

A MONTE CARLO TRAGEDY.

An American Kills Himself after Losing at the Tables.

Nice, May 27. (Special.)—It has just come to light that an American of the name of James Wellford, who called from New York early this month, shot himself at Monte Carlo on Tuesday, after losing about $20,000.

Drank too Much Strong Tea.

Cincinnati, O., May 27. (Special.)—Maggie Martin, a young girl, was sent to the Asylum for the Insane yesterday under strange circumstances. The girl's condition is attributed to excessive use of strong tea.

Bowling Last Night.

The C. Y. M. I. of this city visited Elizabethport last evening and were defeated by the C. Y. M. I. of that place by the following score:

PLAINFIELD.		ELIZABETHPORT.	
Batscher.....	193	O'Brien.....	180
Lyons.....	141	Dwyer.....	125
Gallagher.....	193	Burke.....	125
Curren.....	196	Mulvoy.....	134
Carey.....	167	Frank.....	134
Wise.....	113	O'Donald.....	123
Lannagan.....	180	Cramer.....	142
Wilson.....	134	Lawrence.....	129
Trainor.....	124	Lawe.....	129
White.....	180	McGuire.....	149
Total.....	1477	Total.....	1481

GOING RIGHT ALONG.

Unprecedented Sales of Real Estate in Westfield.

Upwards of $95,000 Worth Sold by one Citizen in Ninety Days.

Dr. Ripley has sold within the last three months over $95,000 worth of real estate, all to be immediately improved. It is all on the South side of the Central Railroad, being on Cumberland street, South avenue, Park avenue, and the Boulevard.

Judge Ulrich, who has recently canvassed the State of New Jersey in an official capacity, says there is not in the entire State of New Jersey anything to surpass Ripley Hill as a place of residence.

Mr. John Greer and Mr. C. A. Smith are about to build on the Boulevard a pair of elegant residences. Welch Bros., J. W. Cox, Mr. Russell of the Mail and Express are just completing residences on Park street, and Mr. H. Mitchell and others are about to build on Cumberland street.

In answer to the question, 'How is real estate in Westfield?" we are safe in saying, fifty houses will be built on the property recently sold by Dr. Ripley, in less than one year. Some of them will cost five or six thousand dollars apiece. If on an average they cost half that, the improvements will amount to $275,000.

—*Westfield Leader.*

—"Decoration Day as Related to National Character" will be the theme at the Seventh-day Baptist church, to-morrow morning.

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DEATHS.

CHASE—TEN BROECK.—At the home of the bride's parents, Rutherford, N. J., on Tuesday, May 24, 1892, by the Rev. R. S. McEwen of New York, Miss Hattie Allen, daughter of Theodore Ten Broeck to Frederick Francis Chase, of Plainfield, N. J.

Special Notices.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

To the officers and members of Watchung Lodge, No. 1139, Knights of Honor, and all Knights of Honor in good standing: You are hereby notified that a special meeting will be held in the Lodge rooms Saturday evening, May 28, at eight p. m., to take action on the death of our late brother, Charles Hall, of Bound Brook, Grand Master of the State of New Jersey.

E. A. Fiske, Reporter.

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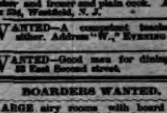

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WANTED—A competent hostler on either. Address "W," Evening News 26 3

WANTED—Good men for dishwashing. 25 East Second street. 26 3

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A LARGE airy rooms with board at 74 L' Broadway, also table board. 27-3

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A NEW and delightful eight-room house to rent. Hot and cold water, bath room, large cellar, handsome barn. Unexcelled neighborhood and location. Address "Richmond Street," care of Evening News. 25-tf

SQUARE piano to let. Terms $5 per month. 65 Grandview avenue. 5 17tf

FOR SALE.

$190—Fine upright piano for sale, in one three months. Good as new. J. H. Beakley, 15 East Front street. 5 21tf

A GOOD horse, carriage and harness for sale. Apply at 202 West Front street, near Evans station. 24 3

A FRANKLIN Expert tennis racket for sale by 24 East 2d. Address "Racket," care of Evening News. 24 4

THE way to let the people know you have anything for sale is to put that fact in type under this head. 4 17tf

TAKE NOTICE—I will expose the property of one Hoffman for sale for cash, on June 1, 1892. T. J. Carey. 23 13

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS, 50 sorts, cuttings and budding plants, at Dunbar's Market, corner Somerset. 26 1

FINISH-CLASS laundry work done at reasonable prices. One trial will convince. Mrs. A. F. Wilson, colored, 32 Somerset street. 4 16tf

GOLD-FRAMED furniture in gold, white and gold. Call Pratt's, 21 Somerset street. 3-20tf

SECURE your tickets for the Columbian Fair. For particulars apply at Wright's. 4 28tf

THREE or four thousand dollars to loan. Address "Farmer," city.

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Tickets $1, on sale at Reynolds' pharmacy. 21 tf

Decoration Day in the Mountains.

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and the famed switchback, via Central Railroad of New Jersey, the Port Reading R. R. Co. lines.

Monday, May 30th.

Train will leave Plainfield for Manch Chunk, Glen Onoko, and the Switchback at 8.37 a. m. Fare for round trip $1.75, Switchback, 10 cents extra. 26 2 sod

WHAT

V. & W. are Doing.

They are certain lines of goods that we are going to close out, and to do it we have cut the prices to the lowest notch. We have no room for them and they must go. We have no room to show them. Come and see what we are doing.

Trade: Spring Coats.

We have about 60 Jersey Jackets that are going at 50 cents on the dollar. Other lines of the same description at proportionate prices.

Second: Matting.

We must unquestionably move. We have over 1,000 rolls of Matting in stock, and we have got to sell, and they go at your own price.

Third: $20.75.

A lower, warm and "well to the last of these $20.75 piano Heaters" we never saw. Finely decorated they are.

Fourth: Summers Corset Cloth.

The best Summers Corset Cloth, or jute, for one very pretty, and that price is a purchase.

For Tender Coats

You buy 8qr Jersey Ribbed Vests.

For Ten Cents per Yard

We will sell one case of extra heavy, all linen Crash, worth 15c.

Leather Dust Whisks.

Without a doubt we are showing the largest assortment of these goods ever displayed in this city, and as usual our prices are the lowest.

Corkscrew's Right Stories.

There is a second lot of them that we got order of Mr. Corkscrew. Price 10c.

Polish Stoves.

Very useful for the parents, and they cost but little. We have old prices.

Van Emburgh & Wales.

EDITORIAL NOTES

To prospective authors: Two-thirds of all the books printed fail to pay the cost of publication.

At Minneapolis good Republicans should join hands around John J. Ingalls and sing, "Return, O ransomed sinner, home."

Baron Fava, minister from Italy to the United States, announces very gracefully that he is glad to get back to his old post at Washington. Certainly the country is glad to have him back, for a more courteous and capable diplomat *seldom visits America. And both Italy* and the United States are to be congratulated on the peaceful termination by arbitration of an affair which a few generations earlier in history would certainly have resulted in a war. The world *does* move.

When the buildings of the World's fair at Chicago are finished they will look like a collection of splendid, many colored marble palaces, finished in the *best style and in many varieties of* architectural art. The miracle that makes them thus dazzling is summed up in the one word "staff." What is staff? It is a plaster preparation which, being put upon the outside of wooden buildings, *makes them not only fireproof, but gives* them a look as if they were made of marble. Staff can be colored in any tint, can be wrought into any shape. It was first used on a large scale for some of the Paris exposition structures, but *even that scale will be surpassed at Chicago.*

Has It Come to This?

A personal in the *New York Herald* says, "Gentleman, thirty, would marry wealthy lady who is fond of traveling." Time was when women could have their pick and choice of sighing lovers and marry whom they pleased. In early times our brave pioneer ancestors were glad enough to get any wife at all. If she was pretty, if she had a *fair dowry*. That was an additional favor kind fate had thrown in, but the wife herself was the main thing, and acceptable without either beauty or dowry.

But now husbands are so scarce that this "gentleman, thirty," advertises that if he can get the right sort of woman he would even be willing to marry her. He would sacrifice himself. It is not sufficient that she should be rich. That alone won't do. She must also be fond of traveling, and be willing to cart this "Gentleman, thirty," about the world with her at her own expense.

What recommendations he has to offer in return for the wealthy and accommodating partner he advertises for he does not say. He evidently does not think it necessary to state them. He is so absolutely certain that mere mention of the fact that there is a marriageable man lying around unappropriated will cause a scramble for him among the wealthy single ladies who are fond of traveling. Is this a specimen of the value the unmarried man of today puts upon himself? Are men now to sit down and be sought after by dozens of women who are in a mad gallop for husbands—"anybody Lord" if so, then indeed is the old lady's dictum correct—"Times ain't what they used to be."

Criminal Waste.

A striking remark is that of Edward Atkinson—that no man can as yet tell the productive capacity of an acre of land. But this we certainly know, that civilization is rapidly reducing to a state of unproductiveness every cultivated *acre of land in America, whatever ap*pearances may be. A city that is located on the borders of the sea or a large river is apt to congratulate itself that it has a good way of getting rid of its sewage and garbage by pouring them into the water, which kindly takes them away out of sight.

Nobody, except it be here and there a crank, ever recalls that in every city each month in the year millions of dollars' worth of most precious plant food is thus thrown away to the poisoning of the waters and the unspeakable up-set of harbors. Fish are killed, epidemics produced and the cream of the land skimmed off and thrown away, all by the present method of disposing of sewage and garbage in cities. If this is not heathenishness, if it is not wicked and wanton waste of the best material for enriching agricultural lands, one would like to know what it is. The Chinese could have taught us a lesson on this subject a thousand years ago yet we call the Chinese pagans.

While such waste goes on, men, women and children starve and farms become unproductive and are abandoned. Chemistry and mechanics have done much, but they have never shown mankind how to utilize that which will double the fertility of farms and gardens near cities. However great the cost of such utilization would be, the gain would be greater. There are ways of doing everything in this universe. Consequently there is a way to render the handling of sewage harmless and inoffensive, and bring it to the lands which are perishing for lack of it. Here is something for the agricultural department of the United States to take up in serious earnest. It should also claim the attention of chemists and inventors everywhere.

FREE SILVER MEN MEET

White Metal Boomers in Conference at Washington.

STEWART'S BILL IN THE SENATE

The Upper House Takes Up His Free Coinage Measure, and Senator Morgan Arraigns Ex-President Cleveland for His Attitude on the Money Question.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The second national silver convention, one of whose objects is the organization of a national bimetallic association for the promotion of the cause of free bimetallic coinage in the United States, is being held here. The call for this convention was extended to all who favored the immediate restoration of free bimetallic coinage in the United States. When Chairman A. J. Warner called the convention to order about 100 delegates were present. In his address Mr. Warner said that four years ago at the St. Louis convention the Democrats ignored the silver question. At the Chicago convention a plat form was adopted by the Republicans which was construed as a declaration in favor of the restoration of silver as a money metal. Mr. Harrison was elected president. The congress elected the same year, instead of restoring silver to its constitutional place, passed the act of 1890. This was never accepted as a settlement by silver men anywhere. The congress elected in 1890, it was believed, would take a step in advance.

The Ballot Not the Only Relief.

The senate has proved itself to be a better representative of the people than the house in this question. Both parties had determined that the silver issue should be eliminated in the coming presidential campaign. Relief could not be had through political action, and political action primarily is in the hands of the people and must be controlled at the ballot box on election day. The silver states were deeply interested in the question, but they were not the only states in favor of bimetallism. The cotton states, the corn states and that growing state the Dakotas. Where through the depreciation of silver millions have been lost, the cost of the depreciation of agricultural products is to be counted by hundreds of millions. The speaker believed that the demonetization of silver in 1873 must forever be stamped as the crime of the Nineteenth century.

The arguments of the silver men have never been answered. The gold men, however, had the press of the country at their back. Both conventions about to assemble should be called upon to come out squarely on the silver question. The people of this country should be called upon to defeat the party that was against the free coinage of silver.

Mr. Warner believed with Mr. Hamilton that we should not allow our money system to be dictated to by foreign powers or put under control of foreign rulers. He believed it was important that the United States should assert her monetary independence. Hon. T. B. Morris, of Indiana, was elected temporary chairman; Lee Crandall, of Washington, secretary, and Henry Jones, of Georgia, assistant secretary.

Against an International Conference.

On taking the chair as temporary presiding officer, Mr. Morris said that there was no danger of excessive coinage under free coinage, for the law of supply and demand will regulate the volume of our metallic currency and adjust it to the wants of trade. There would be just as much coined as there is demand for and no more. He did not favor an international monetary conference because England and Germany would insist on maintaining the gold standard for the reason that they are the two greatest creditor nations of the world and hold American bonds. It was the unwritten law of this nation that we shall not form any alliance with foreign nations, and we should not now depart from it and enter into a monetary union of any kind with any European government. He endorsed the ideal of an Americus, and said that we should adopt and maintain a distinct American money system.

The Silver Bill Taken Up.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Encouraged by the vote by which the senate refused to refer his silver resolutions, Mr. Morgan invited Mr. Stewart to move to proceed to the consideration of his free coinage bill. This motion in a senate barely two-thirds full (some senators avoiding a vote and others being paired) was carried—9 Republicans, 17 Democrats and 2 Farmers' Alliance senators voted in its favor. Mr. Hill was in the senate before and after the taking of the vote, but not during the roll call. Mr. Gorman was absent and not paired. Mr. Carlisle was paired with Mr. Gorman. The senate has now apparently entered upon a limitless debate of silver free coinage.

During the debate Mr. Morgan said that there was a prominent gentleman before the country much revered for his manly integrity and knowledge. Yet the Democratic party, because they loved the people more than they did him, would put him in his political grave rather than give him the opportunity to join hands with Senator Stewman in giving a deathblow to silver. The Democrats of this country, if Grover Cleveland were put at the head of the ticket, and Mr. Sherman on the other, they would not know which to prefer.

Some man would rise up who would repeat all the popular will of this question and who would not return both these gentlemen in spite of all they could do. He (Mr. Morgan) was wedded to the Democratic party as few had been. He would not go up with almost anything rather than be driven out of its ranks, but there would be thousands driven out of the Democratic party if the senate should show that it was opposed to the free coinage of silver.

Mr. Stewart's Bill.

Mr. Stewart's free coinage bill provides that the basis unit in the United States shall be a dollar of 412½ grains of silver or 25 9-10 grains of standard gold, and that any owner of gold or silver may deposit it in mass of not less than $10 to any United States mint to be coined into standard dollars, without charge, and that the treasury shall be authorized to issue gold and silver certificates therefor.

Our Big Monitor in Distress.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The navy department received a telegram from the commander of the monitor Miantonomoh, en route to Annapolis, stating that she had put into Delaware bay in distress. Her turrets were leaking. She will have to swing her turret across before she can continue.

Italy's New Cabinet Must Go.

ROME, May 27.—The chamber passed a vote of confidence to the Giolitta ministry but by so small a majority that the cabinet is regarded as weak.

DROVE THE DEVIL OUT OF HIM.

Remarkable Story of Father Amrehn, a Carmelite Monk.

HUDSON, May 27.—The Carmelite ministry of the interior has begun investigating the case of a ten-year-old boy named Zilk who is said to have been assaulted by Father Amrehn, of the Carmelite cloister in Wurzling. Father Amrehn claims that he drove the devil out of young Zilk. Father Amrehn says that the boy was possessed of the devil because of the religious opposing creeds—his father being a Catholic and his mother a Protestant. The case was aggravated by the fact that the marriage ceremony was performed by a Protestant clergyman. The boy went from bad to worse until he was finally sent to the Carmelite cloister. The exorcism was conducted by Father Amrehn, who says he addressed to the devil the question, "Have you left this child's body?" The devil replied that he had.

"Have you left this child's body never to return?" Again, Father Amrehn says, came the answer, "I have."

"In the name of the Trinity, I adjure you, have you left this child's body?" The answer being again in the affirmative, Father Amrehn asked, "Where are you now?" The answer was, "In hell." The boy has recovered completely since the ceremony, Father Amrehn says, and is now pious and practicable.

The investigation has been started on account of reports that young Zilk was beaten in connection with the process of exorcism and the government fears that similar cases might be resorted to in future attempts to exorcise evil spirits, were no effort made to discontinuance such practices. Father Zilk is a sallow in personal circumstances. He is perfectly satisfied with the process of exorcism and its results, but regrets the publicity given to his son's case.

FASHIONS

A New Parasol.

GRACEFULLY TRIMMED.

A lovely new sunshade is shown in the accompanying illustration. It is made of chiffon, shot with delicate shades of pale heliotrope and turquoise blue, and trimmed in a very graceful fashion, with an applique of fine black lace, which is most artistically arranged.

THE PRESIDENT LIKES THE PLAN.

Warm Words of Praise for the Columbian School Celebration.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—President Harrison has given his support to the national Columbian public school celebration. Among other words of commendation, he said:

"I am much pleased with the plan for the universal observance of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America by demonstrations in the public schools Oct. 12. Properly conducted such exercises will be instructive to the pupils and will excite in every city and village in the land an interest in the great anniversary. I am interested in all that points to pupil school and I like to see the flag over the school.

"Moreover, I believe the observance of these national anniversaries and the birthdays of great Americans by the pupils in our schools is patriotic work. The schools are the places where citizenship ought to be taught. They need to think that all that which has been done to teach the "three R's," as we called it out west, but they see it differently now, and it's time. The school is the place for education in intelligent patriotism and citizenship."

The Gun Warrants Case.

NEW HAVEN, May 27.—At the trial of the gun warrants case the defense rested. In the defense rested its case after experts had testified that the marks on the 126 Bridgeport ballots were caused by a defect in the rifle. On the rebuttal the plaintiffs tried to show that Republican and Prohibition ballots should have been rejected because they had blanks under the names of judge of probate. This was objected to, but Judge Hall overruled the objection.

Look Out for Her. G. L. S-w-n.

SING SING, N. Y., May 27.—A swindler who signs himself Rev. G. A. Rowe victimized a number of citizens here by collecting subscriptions for a fictitious publication called The Morning Light.

Proclaimed by the President.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Formal proclamation was made by President Harrison of the establishment of reciprocal trade relations between the United States and Australia-Hungary.

Anna Dickinson Defeated.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Judge Ingraham, of the supreme court, dismissed Anna Dickinson's suit against the Republican national committee on the ground that her contract was illegal.

Jester Could Not Do It.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 27.—Louis Jester, ex-champion lightweight of Ohio, attempted to knock out Harry Hayden in four rounds last night, but failed.

Editor Price for President.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—Byron J. Price, of The Star and Times, Houston, Tex., was unanimously elected president of the National Editorial association.

Eloped with Three Women.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 27.—Edmund Cardner, an ex-lacrosse and alleged pugilist, has eloped with three women. Cardner leaves a wife behind him.

Lord Salisbury's Close Call.

LONDON, May 27.—Lord Salisbury narrowly escaped injury in a carriage collision here.

THE METHODISTS WORK

What the Great Conference Just Closed Has Done.

REV. DR. KRIGGS DEFENDS HIMSELF.

He Says the Appeal Should Not Come Before the Presbyterian General Assembly at Portland, but the Assembly Decides That His Trial Shall Proceed.

OMAHA, May 27.—The general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church has come to an end after a session of twenty-six days. The most important question considered during this session was the report of the constitutional committee on the revision of the constitution and discipline. After four days this matter was indefinitely postponed, but nothing will be done toward revising the laws of the church before the next general conference in 1896. The next important question settled was equal representation of lay and ministerial delegates. It now requires a two-thirds vote of the annual conferences to carry into effect the action of this body.

Victory for the Women.

The next important step was the woman's question, which after a hard fight resulted in a slight victory for the ladies. Dr. Hamilton in the Missouri was lost by women but of the wisdom of womanity. By a joint plenitentiary catch, as it were, he offered a resolution which required that in order to constitutionally settle the matter a proposition be submitted to the annual conferences, whereby the words "who shall be men only" shall follow the words "lay delegates" wherever they appear in the plan of lay delegates.

In order to interpret the words in that manner three-fourths of the annual conferences must so vote, and if they so vote, then two-thirds of the next general conference must concur in this interpretation. It will thus be seen that the women, who control a majority of the conferences, will win the day in the constitutional amendment, although they will not be able to be seated until eight years hence.

Another important piece of legislation was the attempt to remove the time limit on the location of preachers. The refusal to increase the number of bishops or to locate a colored bishop for the South are other features of importance. The proposed change in the discipline relating to amusements died. Despite the assertion of the bishops that the church has no place in politics, the conference adopted the report of the committee on intemperance, which pledged support to all organizations banded together to suppress the liquor traffic, which was implied to mean an indorsement of the Prohibition party.

Later on a resolution declaring that the conference did not consider the adoption of the report to bind it to any political party passed without dissent. The church pledged on record as favoring closing the World's fair Sundays.

A commission to meet the Methodist Episcopal Church South to negotiate an organization of the two was appointed. The Epworth League was made a constitutional part of the church and is now the only recognized society of young people in the church. The petition of the colored people for a bishop was denied. The commission on boundaries relocated the boundaries of the general conference districts, making them geographically square, removing the gerrymander of years ago.

Dr. Briggs Defends Himself.

PORTLAND, Or., May 27.—The feature of the general Presbyterian conference was Professor Briggs' own defense in his trial for heresy. Dr. Briggs argued that there was no reason for entertaining the appeal, and that there was unspeakable injustice in why it should not be entertained. If his opponents' case was a good one, he said, they should go on with the trial, and contended that grave injustice was done to the lower body by this action. Dr. Briggs next showed that the entertainment of the appeal would be to his disadvantage, as he would give a judgment while no charges were pending against him. He had not been shown what there were errors in his address. Arguing that the case be tried at that at which the members of the prosecuting committee sat, he said that he was responsible for the present interference. If they were desirous of a speedy settlement they might have acquiesced in the action of the Presbytery dismissing the case. Dr. Briggs said he stood solidly with his Presbytery behind him, and he believed that his synod would also sustain him. To entertain the appeal now would deprive him of his rights. Still another point was that 116 ministers and elders had signed a complaint against a decision of the Presbytery and in behalf of Dr. Briggs. On account of these points he protested against any action that might deprive them of their rights. In closing he pleaded for justice, and asked the assembly to refer the case to the synod of New York.

The house laid on the table the minority report of the judicial committee, recommending that the appeal be not entertained and the case be referred to the New York synod. The vote was 288 in the affirmative and 123 in the negative, and by a large vote the appeal was entertained and the trial stopped.

There is a unconfirmed rumor here that no matter what disposition is made of the case, it is Dr. Briggs' intention to go over to the Church of England within six months.

Dr. Parkhurst Snubbed.

NEW YORK, May 27.—A monster mass meeting at Cooper Union, last evening, enthusiastically indorsed Dr. Parkhurst in his crusade against vice.

The resolutions, after cordially indorsing the actions of Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, pledged the hearty sympathy and support of those assembled in the great work undertaken by Dr. Parkhurst and his society for the prevention of vice and crime and for the purification of the city. The city officials, and particularly the police department, are roundly scored for what is termed "the present system of official protection of vice and crime."

Congress Congratulated.

PITTSBURG, May 27.—The United Presbyterians, in assembly at Pittsburg, congratulated congress upon the position taken by many representatives in opposition to the opening of the World's fair on Sunday.

A Spanish Famine Sounded.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 27.—Mayor Lebedeff, said to have been privy to the adulteration of flour for the famine sufferers and to have enriched himself with hundreds of thousands, has resigned. His conduct will be investigated by the czar.

Fell to His Death.

BUFFALO, May 27.—William O'Laughlin, of Elmira, fell from a shaft at the Wyoming elevator and was killed.

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His Note of Defiance to His Opponents.

REPORT THAT BLAINE WILL ACCEPT

It Is Declared That He Is Angry with the President and That He Will Take the Nomination If It Is Offered to Him at Minneapolis.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The World has the following Washington special: "I do not believe that individual disappointments will control the convention at Minneapolis." The speaker was President Harrison and he addressed his remarks to a correspondent of The World. He continued: "I am too well acquainted with the meaning of the office of president of the United States not to understand the importance of the work to be done at Minneapolis. For myself I am not, to use a homely expression, a young robin with a widely open mouth ready to catch everything that comes.

"I have spent more than three very active years in the discharge of my public duties, during which period of time I have acted conscientiously and solely out of regard for my conception of the exigencies of the public service.

Disappointments Cause Discontent.

"I have made appointments as nearly as I could in accordance with my views of what was fitting. Of course, there have been disappointments. The task of filling public offices is so arduous that it can really be understood in entirety by only the one on whom the responsibility rests. Disappointments sometimes cause discontent, and discontent may manifest itself openly."

It was at this point that President Harrison uttered the epigrammatic sentence that leads this dispatch. "I do not believe that individual disappointments will control the convention at Minneapolis."

"Were I disposed," continued the president, "to explain how many of these disappointments and the subsequent discontent have occurred, the narrative would be interesting. Of course I deeply regret that individual disappointments have occurred, but suppose that such are inevitable. I do not hesitate to say that certain things have happened that I feel deeply, especially when any one has belittled some of the great public measures that have been carried out or tried to place the credit upon others."

"The Office Should Seek the Man."

"Mr. President, in view of the recent publications, do you now announce your candidacy for re-election?"

The president replied with emphasis: "I have never announced myself a candidate and I do not now. I did not in 1888 on the occasion of the Chicago convention. I make no such announcement. The convention at Minneapolis will assemble and take its own action. I am aware that I have been criticised for not calling on my friends and others for their support, but I have been disinclined to do so, and my feelings have undergone no change.

"If the people, having in consideration the manner in which I have conducted the presidency, desire me, I presume they will signify their wishes. Meanwhile I shall not proclaim my candidacy. There is an aphorism, you know," said the president, smiling, "that the office should seek the man, and not the man the office."

Report That Blaine Will Accept.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The Herald says: "James G. Blaine will accept the Republican nomination for president if it is offered to him. He has said so to some of his most intimate friends. Further than that, he has given to understand that he will not write any more letters declining to be a candidate or throwing any further obstacles in the way of his friends. If they want to secure his nomination they can do so and he will take it.

"There is the highest authority for all of these statements. They come to The Herald from a source that is very close to Mr. Blaine himself, and essentially they were confirmed by party leaders who have made it their business in the last few days to find out Mr. Blaine's mind. According to the story told to The Herald Mr. Blaine and President Harrison are not on good terms, and Mr. Blaine feels that he is under no obligations to further the president's political ambitions. This has all come about in the last few months.

"Mr. Harrison has no facility in making friends. He has not taken any pains to conciliate Mr. Blaine, that is well known. In the last few months the president has made it a special point to undo his secretary of state and defeat his projects. Mr. Blaine has resented this attitude, and between it and the countless importunities of the Republican leaders he has got to a point where he feels that if the Republican party demands his nomination he would not be justified in declining.

"About two months ago, after his famous letter to Clarkson was published, Mr. Blaine was in consultation with his physician in Baltimore and asked: 'Doctor, what do you think would be the effect upon me if I should go through a campaign as a candidate for president? Would it be dangerous?'

"'Dangerous!' the doctor is said to have replied. 'It would be the best thing that could happen to you. It would save your life.' The alleged obstacle of ill health may, therefore, be supposed to be put out of the way."

Harrison in to Stay.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—General John C. New left for Minneapolis to open up the Harrison headquarters. "President Harrison," he said last night, "is in the race to stay, and I believe he will win.

"I believe there are a few people who oppose Harrison because they favor some one else, but the majority are only hostile to the president for personal reasons and will do all they can to reverse his renomination.

"Machine work will not fill the bill in this emergency. It must be handmade—and that by the hand of the thinking, honest, earnest body of the party—and its natural and logical work will be the renomination of President Harrison."

An Administration Bombshell.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Mr. Harrison's friends exploded what they consider a bombshell. It was in the nature of a letter written by Mr. Blaine on Dec. 2, 1880—his letter to President Garfield, accepting the portfolio of secretary of state. In that letter Mr. Blaine said, in effect, that, having accepted a cabinet position, he was in duty bound to be true to his chief, and make the administration of the chief executive so successful that a second term would be the logic of events.

Watterson a Delegate.

LOUISVILLE, May 27.—The Kentucky Democratic delegation is uninstructed. Although Henry Watterson was elected delegate at large there was a hard fight for the other three places. General John B. Castleman of Louisville, James A. McKenzie of Christian county, and W. C. Owens of Scott county. The Cleveland men have much to rejoice over. Three of the four delegates from Louisville from the state at large are warm supporters of the ex-president.

Alger In for States.

DETROIT, May 27.—General Alger says that Mr. Blaine is the choice of the party. As to his own position he says: "I have never been nor am I now in any intrigue in relation to the Republican nomination. I am not against any particular candidate. Mr. Blaine can poll more votes than any other man in the party. I take it for granted that that is a sentiment across why the party looks toward him at this time."

Colored Democrats Meet.

ALBANY, May 27.—The New York State Cleveland League of Colored Democrats met in this city. Charles B. Lansing, of Brooklyn, was chosen chairman. He eulogized Cleveland and Hill, and both names were received with applause. The platform adopted pledges allegiance to the nominees of the Chicago convention.

A Rumor About Hill.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—There was a consultation between Senator Hill, General Slocum and Representative Coombs, of Brooklyn, and it is rumored that Senator Hill is going to withdraw in favor of General Slocum.

Tennessee Instructs for Cleveland.

NASHVILLE, May 27.—The Democratic state convention is for Cleveland. It adopted a resolution indorsing his administration and instructing the delegates to vote for him as a unit.

Nearly All for Cleveland.

YANKTON, S. D., May 27.—Nearly all of the eight delegates to the national Democratic convention, selected by the South Dakota state convention, are for Cleveland.

SHOT DOWN IN A DINING ROOM.

President Montgomery, of the German National Bank, Killed at Lincoln.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 27.—Charles E. Montgomery, president of the German National bank, was shot and killed by William H. Irwin, a prominent business man, while he was eating his breakfast at the Lincoln hotel. The first intimation the guests had of the affair was when they heard the report of a pistol shot in the dining room and the exclamation "Die, you villain!" uttered in shrill voice.

After he was turned over to the authorities Irwin made a statement, in which he charged Montgomery with seducing Mrs. Irwin and her daughter. Irwin is a member of the Utah territorial legislature and was formerly a partner of Montgomery. He claimed that Montgomery ruined his wife and daughter in Chicago at the Hotel Cards, and showed alleged confessions to substantiate the fact.

The Fair Must Close Sundays.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The dinary consideration of the sundry civil bill was resumed in the house and amendments were adopted in committee of the whole prohibiting the opening on Sunday of the gorgeous exhibit at the World's exposition. Notice was given by Mr. Lynch, of Wisconsin, that a separate vote would be demanded on the amendment in the house. Mr. Atkinson, of Pennsylvania, offered a proposition that no intoxicating liquors shall at any time be sold in any government building. This was carried—yeas, 94; nays, 75. Debate ensued over an amendment, which was adopted, prohibiting any person holding a government office receiving compensation for discharging the duties of any other office and limiting the fees of the clerks of the district or circuit courts to $3,000 per year; of commissioners to $1,500 and providing that the district attorney shall retain more than $6,000 per year for his compensation and expenses. An amendment by Mr. Cummings, of New York, was adopted providing that the act should not apply to the clerks or deputy clerks of the district court or circuit court of the southern district of New York. This precipitated a political discussion regarding elections in New York state, in which John I. Davenport was arraigned by Mr. Cummings. Messrs. Pitch, Warner and Payne, of New York, defended Mr. Davenport.

For Newark's Great Regatta.

NEWARK, N. J., May 27.—The Decoration Day regatta promises to be one of the most interesting ever held on the Passaic. The senior eight crew of the Cornell university will row against the champion New York Athletic club crew. Fifty-three crews are entered for the various events. Three famous scullers will row in the senior singles—Gaffney, the champion, from Lawrence, Mass.; Fred Hawkins, Manhattan Athletic club, and Hedley, of the Vesper Boat club, of Philadelphia.

Did Mrs. Tarble Poison Him?

CORTLAND, N. Y., May 27.—Duke Borthwick, son of Sheriff Borthwick, was poisoned, it is believed, by Mrs. May Tarble, who does not live with her husband and of whom Borthwick appears to have lived. Borthwick says the girl offered him whisky which had a bitter taste. The doctor ascribed the bitter taste to morphine.

Want the Fair Open Sundays.

PITTSBURG, May 27.—The American Federation of Labor has come out in favor of the opening of the World's fair on Sunday. Samuel Gompers, the president of the federation, says Sunday is the only day on which a large majority of workingmen can visit the fair.

For the Hudson River Tunnel.

ALBANY, May 27.—The land board received and adopted the report of the special committee on the application of the New Jersey Terminal railroad for land under the Hudson river. The New Jersey Terminal company is to pay $250 for the grant.

Shot by a School Teacher.

LEBANON O., May 27.—C. E. Shull, a teacher in the public schools, shot and probably fatally wounded Joseph Lackey, a laborer, here. The teacher punished Lackey's son for alleged misconduct. Lackey struck Shull and the latter shot him.

Ore Mines to Close.

READING, Pa., May 27.—Notice has been given by the Pennsylvania company that its ore mines at Boyertown, which are among the largest in eastern Pennsylvania, will close on Monday for three months.

From Norway to Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 27.—The Norgeland, the first steamship to make the trip from Norway to Chicago, has arrived. Thousands of people gathered along the docks to welcome the foreign craft.

A Railroad Honor Denied.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Philadelphia and Reading officials deny that their road has obtained control of the New York, Susquehanna and Western.

A Question.

"What do you do when a woman asks you to guess her age?"

"I guess my answer to myself, knock off 20 per cent, and generally come near making myself ashamed."—Harper's Bazar.

Quite Far Enough.

"Mr. Circular, I think this has gone quite far enough!"

"Yes, Evelina," replied the young man, "I think it has, unless you would like to have me see if I could get it second twice."—Boston Transcript.

Want Governor's Petition to Resign.

TOWANDENDA, Pa., May 27.—A mass meeting of the citizens of Tombocken was held at which resolutions requesting Governor Pattison to resign for failing to take prompt action in the matter of the Reading combine were adopted.

McKinley Bill Retaliation.

LONDON, May 27.—The Belfast chamber of commerce have resolved, in view of the restrictions placed upon international trade by the McKinley bill, not to take steps toward making an exhibit at the Chicago fair.

The Stonington Lease Ratified.

NEW HAVEN, May 27.—Stockholders of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad ratified the lease of the Stonington line. By this action the capital stock of the consolidated road is increased $3,000,000.

Consul Gee Drops Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—Colonel F. A. Bee, who has been for many years consul for the Chinese government at San Francisco, dropped dead on the street here.

Coal Goes Up.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The western coal sale agents have advanced the prices on egg, stove and chestnut coal twenty-five cents per ton.

Coddling for Grand Commander.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—James H. Codding is the new R. E. grand commander of the Pennsylvania Knights Templars.

Struck and Killed by Lightning.

ST. MARY'S, Ont., May 27.—Roger Hedley, a well known citizen, was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

To Restore St. Peter's.

ROME, May 27.—The pope has approved the plan for the restoration of St. Peter's at an expense of 500,000 lire.

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Leave Plainfield at 6 15, 8 05, 9 45, a. m., 1 35, 4 30, 5 40, 6 50, 8 00, 9 30, 10 40 p. m. Sunday at 9 45 a. m., 8 00, 9 30, 10 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND BOUND BROOK.

Leave Plainfield at 7 35, 9 45, a. m., 1 35, 4 30, 6 50 p. m. Sunday at 9 45 a. m., 6 50 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

8 15 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. 9 45 a. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. 1 35 p. m. for Bound Brook, High Bridge and Flemington. 4 30 p. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. 6 50 p. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge and Flemington. 8 00 p. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. 9 30 p. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. 10 40 p. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. Sunday at 9 45 a. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. 6 50 p. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. 8 00 p. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. 9 30 p. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk. 10 40 p. m. for Bound Brook, Somerville, High Bridge, Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk.

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A Tale of the Libby Tunnel Escape. The Remaining Prisoners "Reposted" in a Manner That Would Have Done Credit to Ward Politicians

"Of all my war experiences," said the old colonel, as he sat down his glass and settled back in his chair, "I think my imprisonment was the worst, but even that had some bright lights to contrast with its many black shadows. One of the brightest of the former was the immediate sequel to the escape from the famous tunnel out of Libby. Let me see; yes, that was in early February, 1864.

"No, I must resist the temptation to describe the tunnel and the escape, for to do so would take all night. I had no hand in the digging nor did I escape; not that I was not more than eager to do both, but an old and still open wound incapacitated me for such service.

"It was a night of intense anxiety to the hundreds who knew that they must remain back as well as to the other hundreds who were eager to crawl out through that subterranean passage to freedom.

"During the long hours of that cold, black night I stood as a horrid whisker of the upper east room watching my comrades as they came up from the hole behind the protecting fence and made their way toward the canal, where a lamp then exposed them to the view of the drowsy guards turned.

"I was still standing there when daylight came, and the tramping of the guards coming up to count the prisoners, as was their early morning custom, aroused me to a sense of my situation.

"It may be well to explain here that the method of roll call adopted by Turner, the commandant of Libby, was to drive all the prisoners into the upper east room, or upper Confederate room, as it was most often called, because the officers confined there were captured in Virginia. Through a door, barred up on all other sides, they were counted into the upper middle or upper Chickamauga room, after which and till 9 o'clock at night they had the free-

"TURNER'S CLERK KEPT THE TALLY OF THE MEN."

dom of the two upper floors of the wretched old building.

"When free, the 1,000 men usually crowded in the side rooms in which they slept and lived, and so you can form some idea of how densely we were packed into that one room, when hurried in at the point of the bayonet for roll call.

"At the door, through which we passed, stood 'Little Rose,' Turner's clerk, who kept the tally of the men as they came through, and subsequently reported the number present or 'unaccounted for' to the commandant.

"Two new gaslicome skylights through the roof over the upper west and upper east rooms, which were used by the men who had charge of the tunnel, to let in the daylight from the ridgepole every day, but which did not greatly annoy us, as it was out of sight.

"Of course in order to give our comrades who had escaped the night before a good start, we were eager to throw the prison officials off the scent; but how to do so was a question that puzzled us greatly. And then we labored under the disadvantage of not being able to tell how many got out, nor had we time to arrange a plan that had in it the promise of success, so we determined to wait for Little Rose' report.

"In counting out the prisoners Rose kept the familiar form of tally, making four strokes and crossing with another stroke for every five. But this morning, when he came to report, his first 5s got very mixed and his hair stood on end, for they were short by twenty-two—that is, they indicated 110 Yankees 'missing and unaccounted for.'

"In the volcanic excitement of the moment, Rose shot out an oath and shouted: 'Gen-rult Andrew Jackson! A hundred and ten Yankees short!' This gave the key-note which was subsequently followed up in a most remarkable way.

"It would seem that Rose hastened down to Turner and told him that there were 110 prisoners missing. Turner seized the tally sheet and hurriedly glanced it over. He saw, or imagined he saw, the source of the error. 'Why,' he exclaimed, 'you've simply lost the slip or forgot to tally twenty two times. Can't you see that the missing element is divisible by five?'

"Rose saw it as well as Turner, but they did not rest satisfied with his explanation. Another count was decided on, and once more the men were driven into the upper Potomac room.

"By this time we had decided on our plan. In our rags and pallor any two of the prisoners of about the same age might have passed for twins, so that there was but little chance of their being detected in the bold scheme for repeating that was adopted. One hundred and ten men, after being counted, were to hurry into the upper west room, climb up to the roof, crawl along, drop into the Potomac room and be counted over again till the missing number was made up.

"Unfortunately for the perfect success of this stratagem the counting began before we had time to complete the detail of our men, but I know there was a strong determination on the part of every man able to climb to make good the deficiency.

"Well, the count went on. It was the longest count ever made up to date in old Libby. The fact is the boys were overdoing it, for when Rose came to make up his tally next time, instead of having 110 men short there were just 137 men too many.

"If the prison had been suddenly emptied Turner could not have been more astounded. For the first time I saw an unusual light in his flshy gray eyes. It had been his habit to search every prisoner as he came in, and as he was quite familiar in the assertion 'By —! 110 Yankees might get out without my knowing it, but you don't catch me in anything of the sorts of the kind!'

"To make sure, extra guards were called in; two men were detailed to tally, and Turner himself remained at the doorway to make sure that the work was well done.

"By this time the spirit of the occasion dawned the boys, and they bravied themselves for the final scene, which promised to be a climax in its way—and they succeeded.

"The third count showed 241 Yankees too many, and Turner and his clerk were much chagrined at the result. Other means to ascertain the truth must be at once adopted. More officers came up, bringing with them more guards.

"The prisoners were driven down to the ground floor, and counted up the steps one at a time.

"Turner and all his friends were keeping tally. The last man was counted. The tallies were added up and compared. They agreed with each other, so they did with the first tally made by Rose. One hundred and ten men had left Libby for liberty and Richmond, for 'God's land,' as we called the north."

A Black Man's Generosity.

A southern lady, whose family was impoverished by the war, and who, through noble effort has now wealth since then, tells the following story:

"I was living in Charleston with my two children when General Hardee was forced to evacuate, and you may well believe the richest of us was poor indeed. The Federal troops entered at once, and if it had not been for this we would have been in a state of absolute starvation.

"One day as I was passing along the street I saw an old black man standing in a doorway begging, with his hat in his hand. Stopping, I recognized him as the faithful servant of a friend of mine, who had known since my childhood. Touched by the sight, I searched in my purse and finding a small silver coin, which I had carried since the breaking out of the war, I bent over and dropped it into his hat.

"The old man looked quickly up, and said tremulously, 'God bless you, Miss Em'ly, an treed all dem yer Jews.'

"About a week after this, while I was at work trying to mend the children's clothes, I looked out the window and saw old Uncle Phil hobbling up the yard. He came and stood before me in silence with his hat in one hand and something rolled up in a faded bandanna in the other.

"'Good day, Uncle Phil,' I said; 'how are you?'

"'I ain't so very peart, Miss Em'ly,' he groaned.

"'Then go back to the kitchen; as long as there is anything I can do for you Uncle Phil!'

"'Thanks, Miss Em'ly; yaas, dar is,' he said.

"'What is it?'

"Before replying he knelt down at my feet and began to untie the many knots in the bandanna. I watched him carefully, while not seeming to do so, till he had brought to light a lot of fractional currency, greenbacks and other money, the

result of his begging. Pointing to the pile he said:

"'Miss Em'ly, a w'ite voice comated dat yer money would be safe wid you, and he done tole me dat it all comes to twenty eight dollar and fifteen cent. De fifteen cent I got me fo', but I don't keer fo' de rest.'

"'Why not, Uncle Phil?' I asked.

"'Kase, missy, I'd a heap sight rudder get back it twel de yaas glim bettah yer'self dan I would fo' you. I has ackumulge an gib lots mush from de sojers, an ef so be yer'd take it, I'd feel a heap sight mosh easier, missy.'

"The old man's thoughtfulness touched my heart, and I am not ashamed to say there were tears in my voice as I gave him my hand. I told him, as best men, that when had been very poor, but that now our wants were supplied, and that I did not think there was any danger of the future.

"'A, missy,' he replied, 'I has Uncle Phil dat, and it was my privilege to see that the old man was decently buried.'

An Ingenious Music Lesson.

It is doubtful if the bagpipes is a musical instrument to any one not a Highland Scotchman, but Donald Fraser, a Scotch piper by a teacher of the bagpipes which I reproduce, for the benefit of instructors who may lack the tact to make technical matters clear to the pupil.

"Hi'm, Donald," said the teacher of the bagpipes to his scholar, "take yer pipes, mon, and gie us a blaw. Not sae wee wee blaw, Donald; that is nae music, Donald, without sense! You may blow on to eternity without making a tune o' it, if I do not tell you how the queer things on that bit o' paper will help."

"You see that fellow with the round, open face (pointing to a semibreve between the two lines of a bar); he moves slow, Donald; that is how he goes. Now, if you put a leg to him, you make a crotchet of him, and he'll move twice as fast. If you blast his face till he looks like a naygur, like this one, he'll run four times faster than the fellow with the white face.

"And what think you, Donald, if after the face is made black as ink can make it, so's to bar the mistake of thinkin he's another color, if, and his knee or his leg or his hand be will hop you still eight times faster than the white fellow I showed you at first.

"Hop, whenever you blow yer pipes, Donald, mr mon, remember this and ye'll be' larnt a tune fine lesson; the tightest those fellow's legs are tied the faster they run, and the quicker they move to dance."

"Good music is an a' in the blowin, for if that was so, every lawyer in court and every deonisis in the parliament would be a tune and sensible man, but you and me know they are neither."

ALFRED R. CALHOUN.

A Courier on the Tramp.

Many years ago, in one of the cantons of Switzerland, a murderer was sentenced to death, and as the law would not allow a man of his own the authorities communicated with the executioner of the adjoining state, and asked him how much he charged. He replied that the usual fee for execution of the culprit was 200 florins, which the magistrates considered too high, and offered to pay him 200 francs instead. This offer was finally refused by the hangman.

A sitting of the magistrates was held at which the following resolution was passed: "We will give the man 100 francs and order him at liberty so that he may go and hang himself where he likes."—Vademecum Funebre.

BOWLINE KNOTS.

Every Boy Should Know How to Tie Them.

From Harper's Young People we take these illustrations and descriptions of how bowline knots are made. For the

BOWLINE KNOT. OR A KNOT. RUNNING BOWLINE.

first one, a bowline knot. Take the end (2) of the rope in the right hand, and the standing part (3) in the left hand; lay the end over the standing part and turn the left wrist over and under the end and above the loop and bring the end down through the loop again as shown. A bowline of this kind, sometimes called a single bowline, is employed in a variety of ways. Seamen sit in the bight (3) of this rope to be hoisted aloft aboard ship. In certain circumstances, and two jawing hawsers are often made fast to one another by two bowlines, the bight of one being passed through the bight of the other.

Bowline on a Bight.—Double the rope, and take the double end (1) in the right hand, the standing part (2) of the rope in left hand; lay the end over the standing part, and by turning the left wrist form a loop (3), having the end (right) now well up enough of the end (1) to dip under the bight (4), bringing the end toward the bight, then passing it up to the left over the loop and hauling taut. This knot is employed in the same way as explained for the single bowline, and it may also be stated that it affords much amusement as a puzzle, for if the standing part (2) is held and the knot pressed by the untied, only those familiar with the way in which it is made will be apt to discover the secret of dipping the end (1) back and under to the knot by handing it in a reverse manner to that described for its manufacture.

Running Bowline.—The only difference between this knot and the one described under the head of "Bowline," is that the end (1) of the rope is taken around the standing part (3), and then a single bowline (2) is tied on its own part. As will be understood by reference to the diagram, this forms a slipknot or loop, and in fact it is employed for the same purpose as the latter. When a shark is hooked by sailors the great fish is hauled up until his head is out of water, then a running bow-line is made and the side-fishing set allowed to fall down over the fins, when it is hauled taut and the strain taken off the hook and line, so that the danger of the fish escaping may be greatly lessened, for the line is apt to break from the thrashing of the creature or the hook pull out.

A Y-ung Diplomat.

This is not so bad for a four-year-old: "You do not remember where you saw me last, Robert?" said one of his mother's friends to the child. "Yes, I do," he replied, evidently thinking this an opportune time for diplomacy. "Well, if you know, you can tell me where it was," continued the lady intelligently. Robert looked around, and then, with a sly look at his mother, said, "I saw you where I was a good child." "That child will make a diplomat," said a gentleman who was present.

A Pig and Dog Related.

A Washington man has a bright youngster who is very fond of pets. He was given a pig by his father in a very trifling, though unconscious manner. His father was talking to a friend in a very trifling, though unconscious manner. His father was talking to a friend in his office. "Don't do that," said he, "or we'll have to kill your little pig." The warning seemed to be lost, for the trifling was repeated. "Do you know what a pig is?" was the inquiry, put in a solemn manner. "A pig is a dog's little hog." The lesson in etiquette was suspended.—Washington Star.

From Day to Day.

Like a tide our work should rise—
Each later wave the best;
To-day is a king's command,
To-day is the special test.

—John Boyle O'Reilly.

On What Day Were You Born?

Monday's child is full of grace,
Tuesday's child is full of woes,
Wednesday's child will need the grief,
Thursday's child is good and bold,
Friday's child with kindness true,
Saturday's child must breathe to live,
But the child that is born on the Sabbath day,
Is born on Sunday, so they say.

—Truth.

LORD MACAULEY AS A BOY.

His Precocity Gave a Correct Indication of His Later Powers.

The prince of historians was indeed a prodigy, of whom these years of age he asked a lady who called at his father's house, to walk in and he would give her a glass of old sprrits. She declined, but he persisted and told that Robinson Crusoe often took some. A servant spilled some hot coffee over his legs and, when the lady hostess asked him how he felt, four-year-old Macauley replied: "Thank you, madam, the agony has abated." He had a plot of ground marked out with shells and these the lady threw away as rubbish. "Cannot you," he said to her, "let me have those shells?" "Cannot you," she replied, "let me have those shells?" "Cannot you," he said, "remember his neighbor's landmark." When seven years old he commenced the modest task of writing a compendium of universal history, and modestly drew up a capital outline for the gigantic projection. He did write a theological tract at this time. His poem upon the death of Martyn, the Hindoo missionary, is a most mature production for a boy of eleven.

He was a fitting father to the man Macauley, of whom Lord Palmerston said: "I should not care if I only felt as positive of anything as Tom Macauley is of everything."—N. Y. Ledger.

Darwin's Mother's Prediction.

Darwin, in the short autobiography given in his "Life and Letters," says: "I had a strong taste for long, solitary walks, as a very young boy. My father once said to me, 'You care for nothing but shooting, dogs and rat-catching; you will be a disgrace to yourself and to your family.'"

Say "I thank you"—not "thanks"—when you wish to be polite.

This Date in History—May 27.

1703—Petersburg, Russia, founded.
1813—Fort George, Canada, captured.
1844—Samuel F. B. Morse sent the first telegraphic message from Washington to Baltimore.
1857—Cornelius Vanderbilt, founder, died.
1861—Fort Fillmore, New Mexico, surrendered to the Confederates.
1862—Battle of Hanover Court House, Va.
1864—Battle of Resaca, Ga.
1868—Andrew Johnson acquitted on impeachment charges.
1870—Henry Bessemer, inventor of the Bessemer steel process, died.
1871—Tammany Hall, Democratic organization, died; born 1811.
1873—Battle of Round Rock, Texas.
1874—Battle of Hatchie's Run, Miss.
1876—Battle of Franklin, Tenn.
1878—Battle of Hanover Court House, Va.
1879—Ulysses S. Grant arrived at Yokohama, Japan, on his return around the world.
1880—Confederate veterans began to assemble at Vicksburg, Miss., to attend the reunion of the Army of the Gulf under General Banks.

A Theatrical Story.

A little town in Virginia is full of deadheads and paupers. One night last season Manager ——— of Staunton appeared before the "Real Big" audience and announced that the "Real Big" would have no auditorium comprising a select few. I happened to be on the door between the second and third acts, and I heard many comments from the gallery full of tasers.

"Boo-hoo—I wants my money—boo-hoo-many back," he sobbed.

"What's the matter, my little man?" I asked.

"Don't you like the show?"

"Yes, sir; I—boo-hoo—like the show—boo-hoo—all right, but I am afraid to—boo-hoo—ask my—boo-hoo—boy by myself."—Dramatic Mirror.

All Is Not Gold, Etc.

He was a New York boy, accustomed to the best things going, and for a week he had been in a little town in the wilderness where the fare at the hotel was vile beyond description. He had by no means lived in front of the tavern, silently cursing the condition of things and nursing a dyspeptic pain, when a tramp came by.

"Say, mister," said the pedestrian in the sorrowful sitter, "can you give me a little assistance?"

"What do you want?"

"Whatever you will, sir," whined the tramp. "I've been in this town for three days and haven't eaten a bite of anything."

The sorrowful sitter got up and looked him over.

"Fortunate man," he said in an serious tone, and slowly walked into the house.—Detroit Free Press.

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The eminent young soloist, Will C. Barnes, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Grand Concert Band of Brooklyn, Instrumentalists, and Mr. H. L. Hanscomb, of Philadelphia, character delineator, known as the Boy Wonder.

Tickets may be obtained of Committee of the Post and at the entrance on the night of entertainment. Reserved seats, 50 cents. Doors open at 7; entertainment at 8. Ladies and Friends.

New York Herald says: "Mr. William Joseph Daly is a humorist in every sense of the word."

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DECORATION DAY,

Monday, May 30th.

Special excursion tickets will be sold from Plainfield good to go on all trains May 29th, 30th and 30th, and to return May 30th or 31st.

Trains leave Plainfield at 7.10, 9.42 a. m.; 1.59, 3.29 p. m.; Sundays 8.05 a. m. Fare for the round trip, adults $1.25; children, 50c.

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BREVITIES

—Decoration Day Monday: No paper.

—Doane & Van Arsdale will not open their store Monday. They will fix you out this morning for that day.

—There will be a "Festival of Roses" under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society in Vincent Chapel, June 16 and 17.

—The ordinance of baptism will be administered in the First Baptist church to-morrow, at the close of the morning sermon.

—The delivery department of the Public Library will be closed on Decoration Day. To-morrow's issue and art gallery open at the usual hour.

—On account of a large reception to be given at the Seminary on June 16th, a doll show for that date has been arranged to take place on the 15th.

—Winfield Scott Post entertainment at Reform Hall, Monday night. Among the other features of the evening's entertainment is Mr. William Joseph Daly, the humorist.

—Plainfield Bicycle Club 10 mile championship road race from corner of Front and Richmond streets, five miles out Springfield road and return, is taking place to-day.

—Wetampica Lodge, No. 3,401, Knights of Honor, will hold a special meeting in their rooms, Stillman Building, this evening, to make preparations to attend the funeral of Grand Dictator Small, which takes place to-morrow at Jersey City.

—The ladies will find Van Emburgh & White's "sell" to-day, intervening pending, as they offer exceeding good value throughout every department of their busy store. They call particular attention to their wash goods department, where they are displaying a line of goods suitable for warm weather, very cheap.

—The Plainfield Reform Club, having decided to discontinue their Sunday evening meetings for the Summer, during that time will co-operate with the W. T. A. S. at its Sunday afternoon services, and earnestly solicit its many friends to join in making these meetings more successful than ever.

By order of the EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

—The King's Messengers will hold a National Home Mission meeting in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church, Sunday evening, May 31st, at eight o'clock. Mrs. Miller of the Women's Executive Committee of Home Missions and a teacher among the Freedmen, will give an interesting talk of her work. A social invitation is extended to all. Admission free.

—Engineer Charles Houston, better known as "Old Reliable", will pass through here to-morrow with the new compound locomotive, "292," direct from the shop of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, a duplicate of "293," which has given perfect satisfaction on all points to the officials of the Central Railroad, for which they have been ordered. The above engine will run in opposition to the Pennsylvania Railroad's new compound, 1502. It was built on the Vauclain system.

Homing Pigeon Fanciers.

The first race of the New Jersey Central section of the Homing Pigeon Fanciers, under the Federation rule for record, is taking place to-day from Monmouth to this city and Newark, a distance of over 100 miles.

SOMETHING UNIQUE.

THE MAUDE A. BOWERS' ENTERTAINMENT LAST EVENING.

Readings and Greek Groupings in which Some of Plainfield's Loyal-Most Young Ladies Take Part.—A Very Successful Affair.

The numerous friends of Miss Maude Agnes Bowers, who assembled at the Casino last evening, were very much pleased with the entertainment Miss Bowers had prepared for them.

The first part of the programme consisted only of readings by Miss Bowers and Miss Marchand, a piano solo by Miss Helen Hasbrouck, and two quartettes by Messrs. E. Parker, J. Chetwood Elliott, William S. Bigelow and Archibald W. Mackintosh.

These were all very warmly applauded and Miss Bowers and Miss Marchand were recipients of several handsome bouquets from admiring friends.

Part second was very beautiful. It consisted of Greek Groups tableaux effects by nine young ladies dressed in Greek costumes. They were made very effective by the use of calcium lights and were well received by the audience.

The tableaux "Night and the Fate," "Orpheus Group" and "Death of Virginia" were particularly fine.

Miss Bowers and her assistants deserve much credit for their work and also for the quick manner in arranging their positions for each new tableau.

Those who assisted Miss Bowers and Miss Marchand were Mrs. Lewis G. Tompkins, the Misses Gertrude Howard, Alice Simpson, Annie Murphy, Caroline M. Bostwick, Annie Corliss and Addie Jackson, besides the quartette, Messrs. E. E. Parker, J. C. Elliott, W. S. Bigelow and A. W. Mackintosh.

WINFIELD SCOTT POST.

The Arrangements Completed for Monday—Line of March.

General order No. 5 is as follows:

Matters and questions of order again forcibly remind us of the above dates and duties we are call upon to perform.

The post will assemble at headquarters Sunday evening, May 29th, at seven o'clock prompt, for the purpose of attending Divine service at Second church. Seventh street, upon the invitation of Rev. E. M. Bodman. Comrades will appear in full dress uniform, with badge and gloves.

In compliance with the action of the Memorial Board, Comrade John W. Codrington is hereby appointed Marshal. He will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

Our comrades' graves will be decorated by details. Comrades residing in this city will assemble in Post rooms at 9 a. m., where conveyances will be in waiting for their details to the various cemeteries in our city limits.

Comrades, residents of Scotch Plains, will decorate the graves of comrades in the Baptist cemeteries at that place, and comrades, residents of Westfield, under the direction of Comrade Fisk, of the Memorial detail, will decorate comrades' graves in the Presbyterian cemetery and the Soldiers' Plot at Fairview.

At 1 o'clock p. m., Post will re-assemble at headquarters and under escort of Clark's Cadets and Veteran Zouaves, positions who may accept our invitation will pass over a short line of march to Music Hall, where the Memorial Service will be held.

Comrades will appear fully uniformed, with Memorial badges, and carry canes. Those ununiformed will appear in dark clothing.

Comrades: That Post 73 ranks at the head of the Department of New Jersey, our last annual inspection fully proves, and if your desires are still further to advance it, comply with this order in all its details.

By Order,
Official. GEO. H. MOORE, Wm. C. SMITH,
Adjutant. Post Commander.

The line of march of Post 73 and escort will be as follows: Form at 1.30 p. m., (Memorial Day) on Front street, right resting on Somerset street, move to Somerset to Emily to Grove to Front to Central avenue to Fifth street to Park avenue to North avenue to Pence street to Front to Music Hall.

It is the desire of the detail that officers having flags raise them at half mast.

Messrs. Terrill & Cole will care for all flower donations made to the Post.

The usual Memorial services will be held in Music Hall at one o'clock. The Post, under escort of Lodi's Cadets and Veteran Zouaves, will assemble at Post rooms and march to the hall.

Boxes will be reserved in Music Hall, at the Memorial Day services for the city and borough officials.

A memorial entertainment will be held at Reform Hall, Monday, in aid of Memorial Fund. For particulars see advertisement.

Major Anderson Post.

All comrades and ex-soldiers are invited to join with Major Anderson Post, No. 103, G. A. R., and attend a memorial sermon to be delivered by the Rev. Dr. Richards, at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church to-morrow evening at 7.30 o'clock. Post will meet at seven o'clock at their rooms and march in a body to the church.

Memorial services will be held at the Salvation Army Hall, Monday evening, and all are invited to attend. There will be both vocal and instrumental music and an oration by the Rev. Comrade Wm. H. Sherzer, chaplain, General Tyndale Post 180, Department of Pennsylvania.

Base Ball News.

Crescents vs. Westfield A. C. at Westfield and Plainfield vs. West Ends at Somerville to-day. Plainfield Bicycle Club vs. Elizabeth Field Club at Crescent League grounds this afternoon.

The Weather.

Warmer and clear.

DECORATION DAY ON THE PLACE.

It's tomorrow—sort o' tomorrow—it's a Sunday day to-day,
It 'pears like—more's any day I nearly ever see;
Till with the stars and stripes above, a-dancin' in the air,
On every soldier's grave I'd love to lay a lily there.

They say, though, Decoration Days is gleam
Most everywhere,
usually by oil-
cloth flags
waved;
But the sad mark
of a lower want
—the seldom git
to see
In plains' fact we're
alike home
to Hoosierdom
Decoration Day.

They say the old
boys marches
through the
streets, and
some grand
A-oration
let 'er rip
they've plenty
on the head
of the
applause
to keep
them
cheerful
All merrily under shelter of the old red, white and blue.

With round roast—everybody in the
And everything o' grub to make just fairly loaded
Oh, how the boys know it, from their camp
Don't they all their comrades coming just the
old day sure to visit?

Oh, can't they hear the tramp and the music
Ain't they see their
under heaven they are fold-
ing
Ain't they by
their
And the flag he died
for salute, and
a-ripple in the
breeze
Above his grave—and over that—the robin in the trees!

It 'pears like—more's any day I nearly ever see—
Till with the stars and stripes above, a-dancin' in the air,
On every soldier's grave I'd love to lay a lily there.

—James Whitcomb Riley in Indianapolis Journal.

PERSONAL.

Miss Emily Weaver, of Chicago, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Maxson, of West Fourth street.

Mr. John Shepherd of North Plainfield will spend Decoration Day with friends in Orange, N. J.

(Continued.)

Do not forget to go to the First Baptist church on Tuesday evening, May 31st, at eight o'clock, and hear the good words and wholesome counsel of this noble and heroic woman of the age, Mrs. Mary Clement Leavitt, of Boston. She started on her mission when over fifty years of age, to go around the world, to organize W. C. T. U. Unions, with her ticket to Omaha, and only thirty-five cents in her purse, and only God, and the knee to. Friends were made at every stopping place and money given her. She stood before kings and queens and they gave her money to carry on her work. Being minister of several languages, she had access to various European nations and frequently spoke to audiences of two and three thousand people. She spoke in Tokio where 800 ladies assembled to hear her. On one occasion in Japan she addressed 1,000 people without an interpreter. The result of a single conversation with those in authority secured political temperance instruction to the children of that whole nation. Admission free.

What is Going on Monday.

Base ball: Crescents vs. Ridgewoods, ten o'clock and Crescents vs. Flemings, 3.45 p. m. this city. Plainfield Bicycle Club vs. Montclair A. C., at the latter place.

Winfield Scott Post will march to the various cemeteries and decorate graves of ex-soldiers and ex-sailors.

Memorial service at Music Hall Monday afternoon.

Major Anderson Post will hold Memorial Day services at Salvation Hall at eight o'clock.

Club championship hill climbing contest up the famous Eagle Rock Hill, Orange.

Club run from Club House through Springfield to Millburn, thence to Orange to witness or participate in hill climbing contest.

Winfield Scott Post entertainment at Reform Hall, eight o'clock evening.

Members of the Crescent League Wheelmen are requested to report at the club house, in full uniform, at seven o'clock, to take part in a club run to Springfield.

Monday's Tennis Tournament.

All the crack tennis players of the Hillside Tennis Club will participate in the tournament on the coming holiday and a large gathering will no doubt witness the games which will commence at 10 a. m. The handsome silver loving cup which is offered as a prize by the club has been much admired. It is from the Gorham Co., and a trophy well worth winning.

The grounds of the club have been much beautified this Spring. The new courts are about completed and promise to be exceptionally fine.

MARRIAGES

CHASE—TEN BROECK.—At the home of the bride's parents, Rutherford Park, N. J., on May 26, by the Rev. Dr. Charles McEwen, of New York, Miss Mary Ten Broeck to Mr. Edward Chase. Miss Ten Broeck is the daughter of Francis Chase, of Plainfield, N. J.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

(Notice of religious services are published under this head free of charge, but if the notice is not sent in by 12 o'clock Friday it may be too late to insert in the same day.)

The meeting at the Mt. Pleasant school house will be held as usual to-morrow evening.

The workers' training classes will meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow at 8.15 p. m.

Mr. Lukasser will lead the gospel service at No. 6 East Front street Sunday, at 3 p. m.

Mission Avenue Chapel.—Sunday-school at three p. m. Preaching at eight p. m. by Rev. W. H. Sherzer.

Church of the Holy Innocents (Episcopal).—Morning service and sermon at 10.30 a. m. Evening service at 8.15 p. m. Seats free.

Devotional service at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Every Sunday at 8.15 p. m., and at 4 p. m.

Mr. Charles MacIntosh will speak at Westminster Presbyterian chapel on temperance topics at 4 p. m. A good meeting is expected.

The Scandinavian Bible class will meet as usual to-morrow at 2.45 p. m. in the Crescent avenue church. A full attendance is desired.

Gospel temperance meetings of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at Reform Hall at nine a. m., and 2.15 p. m. All are invited.

Park Place Methodist Episcopal church.—Rev. Dr. Cooper will preach at 10.30 a. m. Rev. Dr. Cadman will deliver an address to the Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Rev. Dr. Cooper will preach at 8 p. m.

Services at the Second Presbyterian church will be as follows: Morning service and sermon at 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school at 2.45 p. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. Rev. Dr. Richards will preach at all services.

Services at St. Joseph's church to-morrow will be as follows: Mass at 10.30 a. m. Vespers at 3 p. m. Mass at 8 a. m. and at three p. m., and vespers at eight p. m. are the services on Sunday next.

To-morrow services will be held in the Germania church at 10.30 a. m. and eight p. m. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. Rev. Dr. Goodrich pastor. Morning service at 10.30 a. m. Memorial Day sermon by the pastor. Sunday-school at 2.45 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed. Evening service at eight o'clock. All are invited.

The church of the Holy Cross, the Rev. T. Lyons Murphy rector. Celebration of Holy Communion at eight o'clock a. m. Sunday-school at 2.45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Seven-song service at 4 p. m.

All Souls' church, Park avenue. Visitation services at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2.45 p. m. Rector, Rev. Clark the pastor will preach. All the seats are free and the public are cordially invited.

Methodist Episcopal church. The pastor, Rev. Chas. E. Mitchell will preach at 10.30 a. m. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. Epworth League at seven p. m. Preaching at 7.45 p. m. by the pastor. Subject: "The time is Not Come."

Services at the church of the Heavenly Rest, corner of eleven o'clock, the Rev. William Prescott Lewis of Bristol, Pa., will preach and administer the holy communion. There will be a baptism at four o'clock p. m. Seats free.

In the Trinity Reformed church tomorrow the pastor, the Rev. Cornelius Brooks will preach at 10.30 a. m. 7.45 p. m. The subject in the morning will be "The Little Gospel." Evening subject: "The Lost Piece." Sabbath-school will meet at 2.30 p. m.

Services at St. Mary's church. First mass at 7.30 a. m. Second mass at 8.30. Third mass at 10.30 a. m. Vespers at 3 p. m. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. and sermon at 3.30 p. m. Rosary and benediction at eight o'clock p. m. During May services will be held on Monday, at Friday evenings at eight o'clock.

Grace church, Rev. E. H. Rodman, Rector, May 29th, Sunday after Ascension Day. Early celebration of holy communion at 7.30 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 10.30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7.45 p. m. Daily evening prayer at five p. m.

Wm. Howard Hoople of New York and James Johnson, part of the Florence Mission have again been secured to address the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Monday evening. The meeting will be held in the Association rooms at 8.15 o'clock. Subject: "Self Denial." They will make a visit.

Church of Our Saviour, Rathbone road, Rev. G. H. Bodman, Rector. Ascension day services as follows: Holy communion at 7.30 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer at 7.30 p. m. Evening prayer at 4.30 p. m. The Free stages leave E. R. station on north side of the track at 10.45 a. m. for the church at 10.55. Return on the completion of the service.

First Baptist church.—9.30 a. m. special prayer meeting. 10.30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. preaching by the Rev. Dr. D. J. Lamont, pastor. 12 m. Sunday-school. 6.30 p. m. Young People's meeting. Weekly appointments at eight p. m. Monday, Prayer meeting. Tuesday, Lecture by Dr. Lamont. Wednesday, Prayer meeting. Thursday, Choir practice. Friday, prayer meeting of the Young People's Society. Ushers, Strangers and all others cordially welcomed.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

The Annual Convention at Elizabeth.

The annual convention of the Union County Christian Endeavor Union began in the Second Presbyterian Church at Elizabeth yesterday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, and there is every indication of its being one of the most notable gatherings of Christian Endeavorers held in this section of the State.

The executive committee has had the co-operation of the societies of the Elizabeth Union, and the arrangements have been wisely planned and carried out. The delegates entertained by the various societies of the town delegated and the Society of the Second Presbyterian Church cheerfully offered their services.

The convention opened with prise and prayer. The Christian Endeavor edition of No. 19 Consecration Hymns was used, and the singing is led by Mr. John W. Dunlop, who was chairman of the music committee of the Mills convention.

The responsive Scripture reading was followed by words of welcome by Rev. E. R. Craven, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and a response by President George W. Cross, after which the convention opened a brief business session.

The balance of the programme for the afternoon and evening sessions was as follows:

3.45—Free Parliament, subject, "How to Develop the Junior Society," led by Mrs. Lucy Rider Meyer, of Boston, Mass., Secretary of Training for Christian Endeavor Work.

4.30—Address, subject, "Our Duty to Our Pastors," by Rev. Dr. Cadman, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

5.00—Address, subject, "What a Christian Endeavor Society Can Do for Missions, and How to Interest Young People in Missions," by Rev. Dr. Pierson, Secretary of Foreign Missions.

6.00—Adjournment.

7.45—Organ voluntary and song.

8.00—Address, subject, "The Banner of the Cross," by Rev. Dr. Phillips, of New York City.

8.45—Consecration service, subject, "Abiding in Christ," leader, Miss Alice H. Belcher of Elizabeth.

On of the standing headcuts of the convention will be the presentation of a banner to the society having the largest delegation present.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, Alwyn White, Jr., Rahway; vice presidents, Joseph G. Coleman; Elizabeth; W. W. Graves, Springfield; Miss Florence Hall, Plainfield; secretary, Miss Ella G. Benedict, Plainfield; treasurer, Lillian Long, Union. From 500 to 1000 delegates were present at the closing service.

Cents-Word Column.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A SWEDE wants situation as coachman. Has been in this country two years, is a good driver and gardener. Address "Swede," care of EVENING NEWS. 29 2

HELP WANTED.

A STRONG girl wanted for general housework Sundays off. Address L. V., care of EVENING NEWS. 29-2

A GIRL for general housework. Apply at 21 Somerset street. 29-2

A SERVANT girl wanted at No. 35 Dunellen street. 27-3

A STRONG girl wanted for general housework. Apply at once. Address "L. V.," care of EVENING NEWS. 26 2

IF you have a want of a situation they look here for your advertisement.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in a family of two persons. Good wages. Apply at 1 plain croft. Address Box 284, Westfield, N. J. 27 4

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A LARGE airy room with board at 74 Broadway, also table board. 27-2

ROOMS and board, 21 West Second street.

WANTED—Two young men to board in private family. Convenient to the factory. Address 112 West Fourth street. 28

FOR RENT.

A ROOM furnished house with improvements to let. 11 minutes to station. Apply to Evan Jones, Plainfield.

A NEW and delightful eight-room house to rent, with all conveniences. Corner Watchung avenue and Madison avenue. Address 21 Richmond Street, care of EVENING NEWS. 25-2

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TO LET—Four or five pleasant rooms. 77 West Second street.

TO LET—On Front street, five furnished rooms with bath and all conveniences. Will rent for a year or longer, as a private family. Address "F.," care News. 20 3

FOR SALE.

A HORSE power. Two well-general rooms. Will sell for $2.50. Address "H.," care of Evening News. 29 2*

$190—Five upright pianos for sale. In perfect order. Cheap for cash or on easy terms. Call at once. 10 East Front street. 29 2

A GOOD heavy carriage and harness for sale cheap, at 1303 West Front street. 24 5

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Suburban News.

The Middlesex County Bowling Green Club play on Rahway's court to-day.

The Christian Endeavor Society entertained many friends at the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening.

Friendship Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., No. 31, will hold regular meeting, at New Market, on Monday evening, when the matter of increasing their benefit will be discussed. The above Council, together with those in the County of Somerset, are making preparations to celebrate the Fourth of July in a fitting manner.

Tamanend Lodge, No. 3,722, of New Market, at their meeting on Thursday evening adopted appropriate resolutions of condolence on the death of George W. Small, Grand Dictator of the State. This Lodge was organized on the 6th, with 35 members, and has increased already to 56. It has on the table the proposition of Prof. Roberts, the Dunellen school teacher, to organize one in Dunellen and New Market. Committees of the Knights of Honor added equally divided among the lodge mentioned and Wetampica, of Plainfield.

The widow Bertman is still suffering from a long illness and wishes to thank those who have called for the kind attentions in seeing to her wants and those of her children. This is a deserving case and charitable people who have the wherewith should look into the case.

The Dunellen people have the safety craze. A club has been organized and the boys and girls are doing more than wheeling. The boys have put up horse and buggy for sporting purposes and taken to the wheel.

We have a charming spinster in our town who will be lucky some day, provided of course there is no slip between the cup and the lip.

The Dunellen Bowling Green Club did some fine bowling on Thursday.

"The Visitor."

"The Visitor," Rev. Charles S. Mitchell's bright little paper, appears to-day in a new head-dress.

It shows the Methodist church and two pagods, but quite one of the most interesting, and, namely, Vincent Rocky.

Among other things, it says as follows:

Dr. Yerkes preached very ably and acceptably to our people last Sabbath morning.

Dr. Carroll will give an address concerning the General Conference on the evening of June 13, in the Church.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. French are back from their visit to Texas, and both of them are much improved in health.

Mr. Chetwood will preach the evening service at Park place chapel, Sunday, June 12. He is a fine speaker, and doubtless have a large congregation.

June 19 will be "Children's Day." Each of the Sunday schools will have appropriate exercises on the afternoon of that above day.

Among the Wheelmen.

The Elizabeth Wheelmen will have a club run on Decoration Day, leaving the club house at nine o'clock a. m. sharp for Rahway, where they will take a road race. They will return to this city and the wheelmen will ride to Rahway to take part in the U. C. A. meet.

Another century race next month. This time from Newark to Philadelphia. It will occur on June 11th, and will be under the auspices of the Quaker City Association, of Philadelphia. The Elizabeth wheelmen have several men entered, and it is expected that fostered time and more favorable results for the wheelmen riders will be had under the better condition of the roads now in the greenest run from Philadelphia to Newark.

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$3 Welt Shoe,

Park, New York and Globe Tops. Widths B, C, D & E.

Best in the World for the Money.

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P. S.—Time to buy Russet Shoes.

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Wash Dress Fabrics.

Our assortment is considered the finest ever displayed in town. Those who favor Scotch Ginghams will find them here. Lowest as well as the highest grades. Also Percales, Satines, Chambrays, Lawns, Dimities, Batistes, Organdies, Nainsooks, Swisses, Bordered Muslins, Cambrics at 10c., former price 12½c.

For Twenty-eight Cents

We will sell 36 inch cream Scotch Ginghams, usually sold at 40c.

Spring Coats.

We are anxious to show you our stock this week. Prices are low. Styles are correct. Every garment is cut direct to regular prices.

For Dress Goods

We are offering an extra good Ribbed Vest, dress at 25c.

Cheviot Cloth

is a very fine Scotch Cheviot, in desirable shades, 36 inches wide, at 25c. per yard. Former price 37½c.

Trunk Sleeves

Are very handy to have when you want to put on a dress suddenly. We have a very large stock to all sizes and they cost but little.

For Five Cents

We will sell 36 inches fine cloth bindings, former price 10c.

Corsets, Handkerchiefs and Trimmings

in new designs and at very reasonable prices will be found in our stock. Call and see them.

For Nineteen Cents

You may choose from a large assortment of Ladies' Vests, in white and ecru, former price 25c. Also a large assortment of Children's Vests at same price.

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Moderate Prices.

Have some fish for breakfast.

UNLIKE common oatmeal which is starchy and indigestible H-O will not irritate the most sensitive constitution.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

STORM AND FIRE.

Terrible Loss of Life and Property in the West.

Wellington, Kan., May 28. (Special.)—A storm of wind followed by a cyclone burst upon this town last night. Houses by the score were blown down and the death list in the city and surrounding country will, it is feared, be brought up to a hundred. To add to the dreadful state of affairs fire broke out among the ruins.

The cemetery loss will amount to millions. Over twenty bodies have been found.

First Electric Light.

The first electric light was used in Lawrence Park, Bridgeton, and Asbury now electric lights in this country were on May 24th, 1882. The first electric light in Plainfield was on March 25, 1886. The first one in Somerville, N. J., was on November 28, 1888. The first one in Bound Brook was lighted by the Bound Brook Electric Light Company of San Francisco, in 1889.

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MUSIC HALL!

Thursday, June 2,

The young, beautiful and accomplished Soprano, Miss Gertrude Corbett Coleman, in the poetically new, original and novel version of Mrs. Wood's great dramatic story,

The New East Lynne,

Or, The Elopement. Introducing the wonderful railroad scene. The Paris and London express. Two trains in full motion.

Seats on sale at Central Pharmacy.

STRAW : HATS!

We have received a good assortment for Men and Boys.

Hallock & Davis,

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Don't Forget we keep

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EDITORIAL NOTES

The Boys Who Never Came Back.

In New England the annual fast day, that which "Old Pills," as one of their descendants irreverently calls them, designed to be spent in humiliation and prayer, without much eating, has become one of the merriest holidays of all the year. Baseball and good dinners are a distinguishing feature. The day is given to recreation and pleasure.

So Decoration Day, May 30, twenty-five years ago the saddest, solemnest of all the year, is being transformed. It is at the season when all outdoor sports are at their best. Splendid athletes in running, walking, rowing and cycling get the day off for their practice. Walking clubs start in for health bringing pedestrian trips. In the evening there is good cheer, followed by amusements and social pleasures. Little is left of the old time May 30, when, clad in their mourning robes—more than half the women in the land wore mourning then—ladies went sadly to the open churches, where sacred memorial services were held. At the close, grave processions kept step with the sound of funeral marches to the cemeteries, and flowers were sadly placed upon the green beds of the fallen in battle.

Little of it remains to the eye of the present generation, and it is well, for the sadness of those days was almost overwhelming. But in the hearts of those who remember that old time, there are vacant niches which cannot be filled. The youths of this generation are gallant and handsome, none goodlier to look on. Yet those who remember carry hidden away in their hearts the pictures of those who were braver and goodlier still. If these had lived to fulfill their lives they would have been statesmen, orators and poets. Fame would have cast her wreath upon their brows, history would have chronicled the good they wrought to mankind. However generous, strong, beautiful and gifted the boys of today are, these boys who never came back were more gifted and beautiful still.

Mostly in the hearts of tender, unforgetful women live those radiant heroes. Gentle, gray haired matrons, once the lively, rosy sweethearts of those who marched gayly out, gun on shoulder, and never returned, sit in the twilight and think—they cannot help it to this day—of how different life might have been. Perhaps in time they wedded others, and are mothers of lads as comely as those who went away, yet, true wives though they be, in their souls is one shrine to which none may enter—the shrine that is sacred to the soldier who never came back.

Others, too, fathers, children, teachers and friends who are old enough to recall war times, have recollections of gallant lives cut off in their flower. Such recollections make the heart always tenderer, purer and more unworldly. And the saddest fact of this grand new time which is on us is that each year there are fewer who remember personally the dead, graves sacred offerings used to be brought each Decoration Day—

Laurels to deck the Blue,
Willows to cover the Gray.

We regret to learn from a late dispatch that in a tornado which passed over a western town fifteen persons were demolished and two houses had bones broken.

MEMORIAL DAY

O Springtime sweet! your loveliest bud and blossom
Shall o'er our sleeping heroes shed perfume;
A nation's grateful heart and warm affection
Shall twine the wreath to deck her patriots' tomb.

And they shall come—those gallant soldier brothers,
To those dear mounds, with slow and measured tread,
And see again the fort, the bivouac, the battle,
Which they had shared with their beloved dead.

With loving hands they'll place affection's garland
Upon those honored beds, where God's sweet peace
Rests, and remains, till the last trump of morn
Shall to the sleeping soldier give release.

And they shall come, the widow and the orphan,
In faith and hope to plant "forgetmenot."
Proud of their martyr for his God and country,
While tears of love bedew the hallowed spot.

Sleep on, ye glory crowned! Your loving debtors
Enjoy those blessings which your blood hath won;
Freedom and peace, the nation's preservation,
Is held most sacred by each sire and son.

Memorial Day! O be thou ever honored,
When all with grateful love shall tribute pay
To our dead heroes, now their work is ended!
O grateful nation, keep Memorial Day!
—Mrs. William Fawcett in Chicago Advance.

HALF A HUNDRED DEAD.

Terrible Havoc of a Tornado in Kansas.

WELLINGTON AT THE WIND'S MERCY

The Principal Portion of the Town Devastated by the Storm—Several of the Wrecked Buildings Take Fire and Many People Are Roasted in the Debris.

WELLINGTON, Kan., May 28.—Wellington was struck by a terrible cyclone last evening and the entire northern portion of the city was destroyed. About fifty people were killed and 125 injured. Among the dead are Mrs. Wilmi Seaber, Kittie Strahn, X. Silva, Walter Forsyth and Ida Jones. The Wellington hotel and the Phillips House, the two largest hotels in the city, were completely wrecked and the ruins of the Phillips took fire. Many of the guests were doubtless burned to death. A few minutes after 9 o'clock the cyclone struck the city, coming from the southwest. There were no premonitory signs. Washington avenue, the principal business street, is lined on both sides for blocks with ruins.

Fire Adds to the Horror.

To add to the horror fire broke out among the debris of Colonel Robinson's block and a woman, Mrs. Susan Asher, is supposed to have perished in the flames, and The Monitor-Press and Voice Printing office has a tumbled heap of bricks and mortar.

Just across the street a laborer named Fanning was killed, and other bodies are supposed to be in the ruins there. Hundreds of dwellings are either destroyed or more or less damaged. The town is in darkness, broken mains having made it necessary to shut off the gas to prevent fire, flames bodies have been taken out of the Phillips House ruins. Two members of the Salvation Army are expected to die from injuries received.

At Sigsbe Smith's rooming house persons are more or less injured. The Hon. James Lawrence, candidate for attorney general, had an arm broken.

The streets are littered with tin roofing, cloth awnings, broken glass and timbers. Everybody is out helping to clear away the wreckage. The work is done by the light of lanterns.

The Standard and Mail offices are wrecked. The Opera House and dozens of the best business buildings are roofless, and school buildings and churches are destroyed.

Two Sisters Die Together.

Mrs. Seaben and Mrs. Strahn, sisters, were killed by the collapse of the Seaben & Kirk Carriage factory, and their bodies are in the burning ruins of that structure. Ida Jones was in a dining room in the Phillips House and was instantly killed. Grand Army hall is converted into a hospital and hundreds were employed in the work of carrying the dead and injured to places of safety.

The property loss is estimated at $500,000. Two hundred brick and wooden buildings were destroyed.

The Salvation Army was holding a meeting in barracks. The frail building was blown away and its inmates hurled in every direction. Two privates in the army were killed up dying and others are dangerously injured.

Wellington is the county seat of Sumner county, thirty miles south by west of Wichita. It was one of the growing towns of the state, and in the last ten years its population had more than doubled. According to the last state census it was 4,801. The town is the junction of the Santa Fe and the Chicago and Rock Island railroads. Wellington was one of the towns in Kansas which suffered by the tornado of April 1.

Democrats Offer Rebuttal Testimony.

NEW HAVEN, May 28.—The Democrats put in a great quantity of rebuttal testimony at the trial of the Pinkus-Walsh suit. Their energies were directed toward invalidating Republican and Prohibition ballots. Witnesses from New Haven county testified that in the Prohibition ballots that there was a blank under "judge of probate." The Bridgeport ballots were also referred to, and the plaintiff's counsel claimed to have three irregularities in the Prohibition and Labor vote.

Is the National Company a Trust?

CHICAGO, May 28.—The executive boards of the Farmers' Mutual Benefit association, Farmers' Alliance and Patrons of Husbandry are here investigating the charges that the National Union company is controlled by the corn trust. The National Union was organized by the farmers' organizations to do away with middlemen.

Portugal's New Cabinet.

LISBON, May 28.—It is announced that the cabinet has been reconstructed as follows: Finance, Senhor Ferreira; justice, Senhor Vasconcellos; war, Senhor Furtado; foreign affairs, Bishop Bethasbia; public works, Senhor Victor; marine, Senhor Amaral.

Chicago Cannot Have Von Holst.

BERLIN, May 28.—Hermann Edward von Holst, professor at the University of Freiburg and author of the "Constitutional History of the United States," has decided not to accept the offer from the Chicago university.

A Yale Instructor Resigns.

NEW HAVEN, May 28.—Eugene Berggren, instructor in French at Yale university, has resigned to accept the position of lecturer on the French language and literature in the Chicago university.

Governor Pack's Pauper Brother-in-law.

DETROIT, May 28.—David D. Woodruff, aged sixty, brother-in-law of Governor Peck, of Wisconsin, died at Stark's hospital in Grand Rapids a pauper. Drink made him what he was.

To Investigate Marshal Jacobus.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Attorney General Miller has directed that an investigation be instituted into the alleged assault by Marshal Jacobus on Mr. Burton in New York a week ago.

Democrats Pelaude Dana It.

PARIS, May 28.—Friends of Mr. Edward Parker Deacon deny the truth of the report that he has appealed to President Carnot for a pardon on July 14.

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DEATH OF GENERAL STREIGHT.

He Planned the Famous Escape from Libby Prison.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 28.—General A. D. Streight died at his country home two miles east of this city. Abel D. Streight was born in Wheeler, N. Y., June 17, 1828. He recruited the Fifty-first regiment of Indiana volunteers, and he was commissioned colonel of the regiment in 1861. The command became prisoners of war, and the men were sent to Richmond, Va., and committed to Libby prison. Colonel Streight was put in irons and placed in a dungeon, where he was forced to subsist off cornbread and water for thirty days for attempting to escape.

GENERAL A. D. STREIGHT.

Shortly after his time was up in the dungeon he planned the famous scheme of escape by which 108 officers secured their freedom. After a brief rest Colonel Streight returned to the service and took command of an Indiana brigade. After the battle of Nashville he was made brigadier general by President Lincoln. General Streight remained in the army until the close of the war, when he returned to Indianapolis and engaged in business. General Streight was a Republican, and was a candidate for governor in 1876, but was defeated by Albert G. Porter, now minister to Rome.

FLOWERS FOR DR. BRIGGS.

Prosecuting Commissioner Displeased by an Incident at Portland.

PORTLAND, Or., May 28.—At the prayer meeting of the Presbyterian assembly a beautiful floral pillar was placed upon the table occupied by Dr. Briggs with a card bearing the name of the florist from whom it was sent. It was about five feet in height, composed entirely of red roses and surmounted by a dove with its head turned toward New York. Some of the commissioners were much displeased with this spectacular demonstration.

Judge Struvell, on behalf of Dr. Briggs, said that while Dr. Briggs was prepared to defend the action of the New York presbytery he consented, in the interest of the church, to confess, pro forma, the ground of appeal sustained by the prosecuting committee, with the understanding that he did not waive any right thereby. Two or three similar actions were made, that of Judge Taylor, of Indiana, being accepted as follows:

Resolved, That there being no exception or objection thereto by either party, the grounds of appeal and the specifications thereunder be sustained pro forma without prejudice of the rights of either of the parties hereto, and that the judgment of the presbytery of New York be reversed and the case be remanded to the presbytery of New York for trial de novo.

The committee of prosecution declined to stop the case, throwing the responsibility upon the assembly.

The President Off for Rochester.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—President Harrison left Washington this morning at 7 o'clock, via the Pennsylvania railroad, for Rochester, N. Y., where he will deliver an address on Decoration Day. It is probable that the president will deliver a short address in Elmira. The train is due at Rochester at 7 o'clock this evening. Sunday will be spent there, and the presidential party will leave for Washington Monday night. The party consists of Secretary Noble, Congressmen Greenleaf, Blount, Outhwaite, Lockwood, Hooker, Henderson, Raines and H. B. Taylor, of Ohio; General and Mrs. Schofield and Private Secretary Halford.

They Lionized the Editor.

NASHUA, N. H., May 28.—The imprisonment of Editor A. E. Moseley, of the Nashua Guardian, by Chief Justice Yelverton for refusing to disclose the authorship of an anonymous article in the newspaper, caused no much excitement here that the governor, Sir Ambrose Shea, released Mr. Moseley after an imprisonment of only thirty hours. When he came out of the jail Mr. Moseley was lionized by an immense crowd of sympathizers.

New Haven Web Company in Trouble.

NEW HAVEN, May 28.—The property of the New Haven Web company, located in Centerville, was attached for $18,000 in a civil suit brought by the government to recover $12,000 in penalties for alleged violations of the contract labor law. The complaint alleges that the company imported under contract twelve French Canadians to work in their factory.

Minister Giolitti Resigns.

ROME, May 28.—Signor Giolitti, the new prime minister, announced to the chamber of deputies that the members of the cabinet had tendered their resignations to King Humbert, but his majesty had refused to accept them. The Giolitti ministry was only formed May 15, and its practical overthrow has therefore been a matter of only a few days.

To Fight with Broadswords.

NEW HAVEN, May 28.—Brian R. Lynn, of this city, and Major J. B. McGinty, of New York, have signed articles for a broadsword contest on June 13, the men to fight mounted. The stakes will be $500 a side.

She Accuses a Constable.

WOODSTOCK, N. J., May 28.—Mrs. Josephine Coller has obtained a warrant for the arrest of Constable Charles Schmidt, of Carlstadt, whom she charges with having attempted to assault her on May 23.

Thousands of Acres Under Water.

ALBANY, May 28.—The opening of the sluices at Lake Pleasant and Lake Placid caused a flood, and thousands of acres of timber, grain, corn and potatoes along the Sacandaga river are under water.

To See Hallinger Die.

JERSEY CITY, May 28.—Sheriff McPhillips, of Hudson county, has sent out the notices to the jurymen selected to witness the execution of Edward W. Hallinger, the negro wife murderer.

Tschigorin Challenges Schiitz.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 28.—The famous Russian chess expert, M. Tschigorin, has challenged Schiitz, of New York, for another match, to be played by cable, for $1,000 a side.

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LYNCH LAW DENOUNCED

The President's Views Concerning Recent Outrages.

THE CAPITAL'S SILVER CONVENTION

Senators Teller and Jones, Representative Bland and Many Other Speakers Address the White Metal Men at Washington—President Warner Re-elected.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—During the sessions of the Virginia Baptist convention in this city recently a committee called upon the president and presented a memorial asking him to take such action as he might deem necessary to suppress, by special message, the subject of outrages in certain localities. The president has answered the committee as follows:

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
WASHINGTON, May 21, 1892.

Rev. H. H. Mitchell and others:

GENTLEMEN—You have called upon me on the 18th day of May, just prior to my departure with Mrs. Harrison, I suppose, to spend the Sabbath day, upon a matter which the subject of the memorial prior, you submitted, and promised to respond in writing at the earliest practicable moment. The memorial, with the public addresses and official papers must be aware of the fact that I have felt the responsibility of the duty which has been devolved upon me. I have endeavored to hold up the law as the one single inflexible rule of action for all citizens, and I have appealed against race discriminations as to civil rights and immunities. I have said that the whole force of all orderly men of all colors should unite to discourage and suppress lawlessness.

Lynching Denounced.

Lynchings are a reproach to any community; they lessen the authority of our institutions for the punishment of crime; they brutalize the people and they are in defiance of the law. I have not time to explain to you the distinctions of the federal power further than to say that the federal authority is not to be exercised in a large measure without the power to interfere for the prevention or punishment of crime. I am sure you will not expect me to be named that the Department of Justice will be no more than it can of federal jurisdiction without your New York. Some of the commissioners are powerless to punish crime. I will give the matter your consideration, and if I can suggest any plan, and you may be assured that my voice and help will be given to every effort to arouse the public conscience to the necessity of the most efficient efforts to re-establish the supremacy of the courts and put down crime, the only proper method of dealing with the worst element of crime and the only security of those who are falsely accused. With great respect very truly yours,

BENJAMIN HARRISON.

The Silver Conference.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—At the silver conference E. D. Stark, of Ohio, assistant secretary of the convention, said that the government on the part of the administration for an international monetary conference was simply a subterfuge to oppose the silver movement. He advised the silver men to unite and openly fight the unlimited coinage of silver.

There were several other brief speeches, including one by Senator Teller, of Colorado, who said he was glad to see this organization, because it was for the purpose of establishing a bimetallic league. Judge James Shields, of Connecticut, also proposed that bimetallic conference was only a mode of helping the gold men for four more years. The resolutions adopted were the following:

Resolved, That the depression of the standard relief from the evils of continued falling prices is possible; and,

Resolved, That the restoration of the bimetallic standard with the coinage of both metals on equal terms lies at the foundation of all economic measures.

Resolved, That the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the present ratio that of gold on the ratio fixed and established by law is the paramount issue before the American people today and shall continue until won, and in answer to the demand for honest money, declares that the debtor will have discharged his full duty to the creditor when he pays him such money as was a full legal tender at the time the debt was contracted; that we will not support for legislative or executive office any candidate who is not thoroughly committed to this platform and declaration to the full restoration of the bimetallic system of money, as provided by the legislation demonetizing silver in 1873, that the democratic party will join with any organization of other nations in the restoration of silver to its proper monetary position, but we demand that the United States shall act first. The late perpetrated upon the producing and industrial classes without regard to the action of other nations.

Jones and Bland Speak.

Senator Jones, of Nevada, made a brief address, saying the question of free bimetallic coinage, he said, was one of the most important which had agitated the people since the beginning of civilization. He predicted the victory would be won at the next session of the labors of the convention. There was a time when he found it difficult to get enough votes to get up the silver bill in congress, and more it was the opponents who were compelled to resort to dilatory tactics and parliamentary cheating to prevent them from passing the coinage bill and sending it to the president.

Representative Bland, of Missouri, alluded to the attempts which had been made in the house to pass the silver bill, and said that he had noticed that the day preceding and the day of the vote that the lobbies of the house were crowded more than he had ever seen them in his twenty years' service in congress. "And there had been some tall lobbying in that time," he added. The bill was defeated by a few votes, and the silver men who see way to reach it owing to the filibustering possibilities allowed under parliamentary rules. He had no doubt that a free coinage bill would be passed by the present congress.

Officers of the bimetallic league were elected by acclamation as follows: President, J. Z. Warner, Ohio; secretary, J. P. Washington; secretary, Lee Crandall, Washington.

Quiet Silver Day in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Only a very brief discussion was had on the silver bill in the senate. Mr. Sherman, who wished to take the floor in opposition to the bill, stated that he was not ready to go on now, as he had not yet received some information he had asked for from the treasury. The silver men manifested a disposition to press a vote as speedily as possible, but agreed that the bill be informally laid aside till Tuesday. This was done after Mr. Stewart had amended the bill by striking out the appropriation so as to avoid the danger (in the event of its passing the senate) of its being remitted to the house calendar.

The Anticaption Bill Shelved.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The sundry civil bill was before the house all day. The appropriation of $625,000 for the Philadelphia mint building was retained in the bill. It then proceeded with the consideration of the pleuro-pneumonia appropriation bill, the motion of Mr. Hatch to take up the anticaption bill being defeated by a tie vote.

Kicked His Child to Death.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., May 28.—Patrolman Turner, convicted of manslaughter for kicking his child to death, was sentenced to eleven years in Auburn prison.

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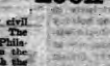

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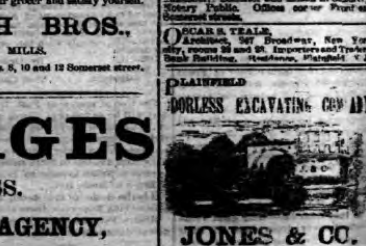

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—The next convention of the National Editorial association will probably be held in Chicago in May next. After the election of Byron J. Price, of Harlem, Wis., as president, the remaining officers were chosen as follows: Walter Williams, of Columbia, Mo., first vice president; F. J. Knapp, of Auburn, N. Y., second vice president; James E. Dubois, of Ashville, Miss., third vice president. The present corresponding secretary, treasurer and recording secretary—J. M. Page, A. H. Lewry and William Kennedy—were re-elected.

Newton Exonerated His Jury.

DES MOINES, May 28.—In the federal court a jury acquitted John C. Newton, ex-auditor of the Des Moines and Kansas City railroad, of conspiracy to defraud the government. Newton immediately boarded the jury at the Savoy hotel. In the morning Judge Woolson, who presided at the trial, broadly intimating that if he had anticipated such conduct he would have set the verdict aside. He then dishonorably discharged the entire jury.

A Counterfeiter's Desperate Leap.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 28.—James Walker, charged with counterfeiting, while being brought to this city for trial, jumped from the train as it was going at forty miles an hour. He was badly injured. The sheriff had another prisoner, George Slaughter, who caught Walker after the train had been stopped.

The Reserved Seats Sank.

HARTFORD, May 28.—During the performance of Forepaugh's circus the reserved seat section began to sink, the ground having been soaked by the storm. The circus employees noticed the danger and before any panic could ensue had cleared the seats. No one was hurt.

To Put Iron Ore on the Free List.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Mr. Stevens, of Massachusetts, from the committee on ways and means, reported to the house a bill to place iron ore and scrap iron on the free list and to reduce duties on manufactures of iron and other metals.

Seventeen Slavers Must Hang.

BERLIN, May 28.—A dispatch from Zanzibar says that Judge Sonnenschein has sentenced seventeen Arab slave traders to be hanged for leading a slave market at Lindi, within the German East African protectorate.

A Housebreaker at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—Albert Hoffman, of 1,900 Tree street, was arraigned before Magistrate Pole charged with manufacturing dynamite bombs to destroy the property of the Lippincott Manufacturing company.

The Woman That Betrayed Crandall.

BUFFALO, May 28.—The woman who gave the information which led to Bryan Crandall's arrest, and who is entitled to the $5,000 reward, is Mrs. M. Rowland, of Los Angeles.

Attorney Read Dead.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., May 28.—Mr. Heron A. Read, a member of the Orange county bar, was found dead in the Hotel Rockwell, Monticello. Neuralgia of the heart killed him.

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Sleep on, O dreamer of today,
And fight once more thy battles won.
Thy brothers rest in green-sown graves;
Thy work and theirs has been well done.

But we, who, waking, now look back
And link our memories with the past
By strewing flowers upon the graves
Of them whose fame shall ever last—

We know that down the ages long
And life's ceaseless march still sprite take,
But in our hearts, in blood, is writ
The sacrifice our heroes made.

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THE WIDOW'S BOYS.

A MEMORIAL DAY STORY.

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IN THE Kentucky side of the Ohio river, a little above Maysville, is a farm known as the well known as the "Stewart place." For forty years this fine farm has been managed by the "Widow Stewart," who in this year of grace 1892 is still as active woman, though in her seventy-sixth year. Mrs. Stewart—her maiden name was Manning—was born in Ohio, as her husband had been in Kentucky, but only the width of the river separated their birthplaces, which were plainly visible the one from the other, yet her neighbors, after marriage, spoke of her as a "northern woman" and of her husband as a "southern man."

In 1850 Mrs. Stewart was left a widow with two boys, the one, Frank, eleven and a half years old, the other, George, just ten. Still young and energetic, Mrs. Stewart sold up the friends who called to condole with her on her bereavement.

"My husband left me above want; henceforth my life object shall be to train up my sons that they may be worthy their fathers," and religiously and heroically she kept that resolution.

Although there was eighteen months' difference in the years of the boys, they looked so much alike that strangers believed they were twins, and the brothers had the same affection for each other that children of the same birth.

Frank and George Stewart went to the same school, played the same games, read the same books, slept in the same bed and had the same aspirations, till at length they came to resemble each other as much as do the reflections of the stars in the brooks. Still the mother's latest friends saw a difference in the undercurrent of the Stewart boys' characters.

Frank was quite steady, self contained and slow to anger, and while yet a child he showed a knowledge of the future's needs and a desire to help his mother that every one considered remarkable in one of his years. George was manifestly quicker and brighter, stronger in his prejudices and more outspoken and impulsive in the manifestation of his likes, but even those who noticed these differences regarded them as trivial compared with the many and stronger points of resemblance.

Soon after her husband's death Mrs. Stewart rented the orphaned daughter of a distant uncle of his. Dora Stewart was looked upon by the boys as a stray, until in the spring of 1859, when, at the age of fourteen, she became a most interesting girl of eighteen, she began to attract the attention of the gallant youths along the river.

Mrs. Stewart had ever treated Dora as a daughter, and the girl repaid her with a devoted daughter's love; but a time came when the mother's motherly instinct told her a secret, and the widow, with a great anxiety in her heart, saw that both her sons had fallen in love with the same fair object.

With characteristic ardor, George showed his devotion, and even spoke to his mother about proposing to Dora, but as she knew the secret of Frank, her firstborn, she prevailed on him to wait for a year or two, or until his foster sister had had time to see something of the world and to compare with mature judgment the fascinations of her own heart.

"There'll be trouble between them two boys some day on account of that girl," is what the older and more observant neighbors said, but the trouble came in another way.

Frank voted for Douglas—it was his first vote—in 1860, and if George had had the same right he would have exercised it in the same way.

Then came secession and the battles in 1861, and on the north bank of the Ohio men could be seen drilling, while every home steamer sped up or down the river crowded with blue clad men. The conservatives of Kentucky strove in vain to put the governor's veto on seceding or fall in with this idea, was secretly helping the cause of the Confederacy; and the young men, disgusted with the cowardly attitude of the state, shouldered their rifles and rode south to join Zollicoffer and Johnston, or made their way across the Ohio and took position in the Union army, actuated through the valor of their forefathers.

Frank Stewart and his brother, after the first sad understanding, did not talk much about the war. The one in his quiet earnestness, and the other in his passionate ardor, stood on opposite sides of the ever widening chasm, confined to her fireside, and reddened still more by the heroic devotion of each to his side.

One beautiful moonlit night, as Frank was walking slowly and thoughtfully home from the village, where he had been to learn the particulars of the crossing of the Union troops into Kentucky under Rousseau and

THE ROMANTIAN DREW REIN BESIDE HIM.

Nelson, themselves sons of "the dark and bloody ground," he heard the galloping of an approaching horse and caught the glint of the horse and a uniform. It was Frank.

The horseman, diver rein beside him. It was George.

"The time is here, Frank," said George hastily, as he sprang to the ground with the rifle at his back and held his hands on his brother's shoulders.

Frank did not ask for an explanation. He knew that the needed hour had come and that his brother, whom he loved better than he did his own life, was about to take sides with the cause that he hated.

"I have you told mother?" asked Frank.

"Yes. Got pity her, brother, for she needs his comfort tonight; but I felt that I must see you before I go, for you know I know how you feel, Frank, and I respect you, but you are steadier than I am or ever can be, and you will care for her and the place till the war is over or you learn that I am not to come back. And Dora—I have long kept the secret to myself, but I felt tonight that I could not leave without bringing my heart to her and telling her that I have longed loved her, but not as a brother."

"And what did she say, George?" asked Frank.

"She answered only with tears and supplications for me to remain—to remain and be as happy as of old, but I feel that I cannot. But for my sake, for her sake, Frank, I know you will care for her. And now, may God have you ever in his keeping!"

George Stewart threw his arms about his brother's neck, kissed him, then swung into the saddle and galloped away in the direction of the south.

The pounding of the iron hoofs struck on Frank's heart and on his ears. There is agony till they died out in the faint echo from the distant hills, then he went home, feeling that again the shadow of death had fallen on its portals.

With a full appreciation of the futility of his efforts, Frank tried to cheer his mother and Dora, and with more energy and care, if that were possible, he gave himself up to the duties of the farm.

Now and then, through the underground mail, a letter full of love came through from George, and replies were sent through the same medium. An inquiry, in the summer of 1862, there came a day when the Confederate cavalry were swooping north to the Ohio, making fugitives or recruits of all the men capable of bearing arms along their line of march.

"Mother," said Frank, as one evening he sat between her and Dora with the sighs from that commander a splendid view of the broad river, "I have always said that I would never leave you and Dora till the Confederates forced me to fly, and that then I would take service with the Union. John Morgan's troopers are only five hours away. Tomorrow morning they will water their horses down there. Our neighbors know my feelings. You will be safer if I am away, so I will go, leaving you to God."

Mrs. Stewart was not unprepared for this, yet her heart was pierced as with a dagger and she bowed her head on her hands.

A sense of loyalty to his brother had kept Frank from telling Dora of his love, and up to this moment her protestations had been unavailing, but now she tried to rise and reach out to him her restraining arms, but tottered in the effort, and with a cry of agony on her white lips fell at his feet like one dead.

The next day Morgan's gray horsemen were down by the river, and Frank Stewart was mustered into the service of the Union.

And now, no matter which side lost or won, there was no rejoicing in the hearts of those two women.

They dwelt apart from the world, but felts only intensified their interest in the terrible contest. The Union people were still rejoicing over the victory at Mississippi Bridge, when one day a message came to Mrs. Stewart from Rousville. It said:

"Your son George, who fell into our hands desperately wounded before Chattanooga, is here and wants to see you. Come."

The widow and Dora knew what that meant. They hurried to Louisville, received passes and took the cars for Nashville.

They found the hospital, and the doctor who had sent the message led them to a cot on which lay a man bronzed and bearded. The hue of death was on his cheek and the quick rise and fall of the broad breast told thus the end was near.

And George Stewart heard moaning and felt the touch of his lips on his cold cheeks, and opening his glazing eyes he saw kneeling, on either side of the cot, his mother and Dora.

"God bless you for coming!" he gasped.

He was dead within the hour, and his last words were:

"Tell brother I love him—and bless him with my dying breath!"

The body of George Stewart was taken home, and Union and Confederate neighbors, all whispering praises of his character, him up to the crest of the slope and laid him beside his father on an open section that looked down on the queenly Ohio and commanded a view of the purple hills to the south.

Again, after long months of anxiety, September, 1864, came round, and the land was thrilled with the news that, after three fighting, Sherman had taken Atlanta. Frank Stewart was in the battle. What of him?

Two weeks after that a steamer stopped at the landing. Six men in blue stepped off with a long black box on their shoulders, and twenty more in blue walked be-

"GOD BLESS YOU FOR COMING," HE GASPED.

hind with arms reversed, and they marched up to the widow's house with the body of her first born, Frank.

And the northern Confederate and Union, gathered again, and they buried the Union soldier beside his Confederate brother, for now any difference in the graves of "the widow's boys."

Vine and wild flower have long since hidden war's red scars on the hills and in the valleys, and the cruel bitterness has passed, as is passing all the hearts of brothers who met in strife.

The south has a special day for the decoration of its own patriot dead, but another day is devoted to strewing flowers over the mounds beneath which repose the men who gave up their lives that the country might live.

But two women, the one old and bowed and the other middle aged and with a sweet face framed in silvery hair, keep their own memorial with their tears, on the graves of the brothers, whose perpetual requiem the river sings, nor knows aught of difference in the sleepers.

ALFRED R. CALHOUN.

Another Wreath and Flag Wanted.

Mrs. Mary Callahan, widow of Andrew Callahan, who died Sept. 20, at the residence of her son Robert, 71 Wyandotte street, Philadelphia, aged eighty-six, was the mother of seven sons, all of whom were in the war of the rebellion, and five of them survive her. Two of her sons were killed and two wounded in battle. The sons served as follows: John, One Hundred and Twenty-Pennsylvania regiment; William, Sixty-eighth Pennsylvania; Andrew, Twelfth Pennsylvania; Robert, Twenty-ninth Pennsylvania; Andrew, One Hundred and Eighty-third Pennsylvania; James, in the Seventy-second New York, and Stewart in the United States navy. All are now dead but Robert, with whom his mother lived for twenty years.

Shocked.

Schoolgirl—Please, teacher, Willie Wilkins kissed me at recess today.

Teacher—Why, Willie, I didn't know you kissed girls.

Willie—Yes'm, I didn't know you kissed!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Improved Rapidly.

Willie—Did the doctor do anything to hasten your recovery?

Wallace—Oh, yes; he told me he was going to charge me five dollars a visit.—Brooklyn Life.

The Army Mule as Hand.

An aged darky was leading an old mule dilapidated enough, and Filbert street finally in innumerable flags and flowers, and was asked by the negro what was the cause of it.

"Well, Boss, dis yere mule am eight or ten years old. He was one ob de common mules in de Army ob de Potomack. Has kind ob got his back up much justice to-day, so as mebbe he'd 'member dat Memorial Day I allers plants a few flowers all ober him. It kinder shows up things for de many genius he filled wid hab to scatter 'round. Whoa! Sam Jones! Whoa! dar!" and jerking at the old mule he went his way.—Selected.

Waiting for the Bugle.

We wait for the bugle, the night dews are cold,
The limbs of the soldiers feel jaded and old,
The field of our life-work is windy and bare,
There is mud in our joints, there is frost in our hair.

The future is veiled and its fortunes unknown
As we lie with hushed breath till the bugle is blown.

At the sound of the bugle each comrade shall spring
Like a horse released from the strain of the string.

The courage, the impulse of youth shall come back
To banish the chill of the dreary bivouac,
And sorrows and losses and cares fade away
When the bugle is giving signal proclaims the new day.

Though the blossoms of age may put lies in our hair
And no fiber of steel in our sinews remains
Though the comrades of yesterday's march are not here
And the sunlight seems pale and the branches are sere
Though the sound of our clashing dies down in a moan,
We shall find our lost youth when the bugle is blown.

—T. W. Higginson.

Young Old Vets.

The average age of veterans is 51½ years, but that isn't old when veterans of ninety are not uncommon. There is General George Greene, a boy of eighty-two, who commanded a brigade on that field at the age of sixty-one.

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MEMORIAL DAY.

THE VETERANS HONOR THE MEMORY OF THEIR DEAD COMRADES.

Special Services Sunday Night at the Crescent Avenue and Grace Churches—And on Monday at the Graves and Public Halls.

Memorial Day, 1892, was observed yesterday with unabated zeal.

The day proved to be delightful although in the morning the sky was cloudy and a shower of rain looked unpromising.

Winfield Scott Post, No. 75, met at their rooms Sunday evening at seven o'clock and marched in a body to Grace Episcopal church, where the Rev. Dean Rodman preached a Memorial sermon. The music, which was excellent, was under the direction of Mrs. Wm. A. Freeman. Master Jack Bartendale sang an excellent solo.

A collection was taken in order to help defray the expenses of decorating the graves.

Yesterday morning, details from this Post visited the various cemeteries in this city and Scotch Plains, where the graves of their fallen comrades were decorated with flowers.

In the afternoon the Plainfield Cornet Band marched to the Crescent Rink and escorted Leal's Cadets to the G. A. R. rooms.

At one-thirty the line formed on Front street with the right resting on Somerset street.

The line of march was as follows:

Somerset to Emily to Grove to Front to Central avenue to Fifth street to Park avenue to North avenue to Peace street to Front to Muhl hall.

The various companies and societies in line were as follows:

Grand Marshal,
Memorial Detail.
Leal's Cadets, Maj. Leal commanding.
Winfield Scott Post No. 75, G. A. R.

In the line of march which concluded at Music Hall, the Post and their escorts entered the Hall which was packed with people to help them honor the day.

After a short speech of welcome from Commander Wm. Smith, the Adjutant, George W. Moore, read the general orders from headquarters to observe Memorial Day. Upon conclusion of this duty the curtain went up, displaying nearly a hundred boys and girls in holiday attire, each having the national colors. They were arranged tier upon tier, and as they sang in chorus,

"Graves of the Heroes,"

Graves alike holy," made a scene most beautiful and impressive.

The music, which was excellent, was under the direction of Mr. Miner, assisted by Prof. Carpenter on the organ and Miss Springer on the piano.

The memorial ritual was then read, and after a short prayer by the chaplain, the children sang, "One Flag, One Country, Still."

This was followed by Comrade Bronson, Past Department Chaplain, who delivered an eloquent memorial address.

His remarks were followed by singing by the children and 44 girls representing the various States passed the rostrum each one laying a bouquet on the monument.

This was followed by the tableaux representing "Peace" which was beautifully rendered, the band's selection being "Nearer My God to Thee."

The audience which must have numbered nearly 1000 people, enjoyed the exercises very much and is entitled to much credit on the Memorial Detail.

In the evening a good sized audience was present at Reform Hall at the entertainment for the benefit of the Memorial fund.

Mr. Wm. Joseph Daley was especially excellent in humorous recitations and his comic songs, "It Came Off" and "Haul Me Back Again," brought down the house.

Major Anderson Post, No. 103, met at their rooms Sunday evening and marched in a body to the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church where the Rev. Dr. Richards preached a memorial sermon. Last evening an entertainment was given at Salvation Army Hall.

The vocal music was by Mrs. Asa Collier, soprano; Miss Julia G. Ketchum, alto; Mr. Elmer R. Runyon, tenor, Mr. Robert Gordon, basso and Miss Jessie M. Diter, accompanist. The instrumental music by Dr. Jos. F. Berg, E Flat Cornet; Miss Sue. Berg, B. Flat Cornet; Miss Berg, accompanist. The orator of the day, Rev. Comrade Wm. H. Sherman, Chaplain Gen. Tyndale Post No. 104, Dept. of Penn., G. A. R., who delivered a very fine address. The entertainment throughout was very interesting and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Wm. Harmon, formerly of this city, but now of Bridgeport, Conn., spent yesterday with friends in this city.

The ex-President of the Plainfield Board of Education, Hon. Jacob Birkner, for health now rides a bicycle, and seems to enjoy the exercise better than driving the splendid team of bays with which he formerly took frequent spins on the beautiful Plainfield drives.

Fire Last Night.

The house of John Wolfe, situated near Shelles' sawmill back of Washington Valley, caught fire from explosion of a lamp last evening at eight o'clock.

The inmates escaped with their lives, but saved nothing from the house. The household property was insured for $300. The house was owned by F. J. Dorenus of Prospect place, North Plainfield, and was insured for $800.

TO END HIS MISERY.

CALVIN M. VAN AUKEN CUTS HIS THROAT FROM EAR TO EAR.

Insomnia and Muscular Rheumatism Derived from La Grippe Lead to the Act—The Awful Sight Beheld by His Daughter.

A terrible tragedy occurred on Westervelt avenue, this city, at 4.30 o'clock, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Calvin M. Van Auken, who resides on Westervelt avenue, was lying on a sofa in the front room, while his daughter was sitting reading near him.

In reply to a call from her mother she left him and went upstairs.

In a few moments the girl returned to the first floor and, not finding her father where she had left him, made a hasty search through the house.

In the kitchen she found him lying face downward on the floor in a pool of blood, and in lifting his head, to, to her horrible surprise, it nearly became severed from his body.

He had cut his throat from ear to ear with a razor, and death must have been instantaneous.

Mr. Van Auken was a commercial traveler for a New York house, and had resided in this city about a year, moving here from Elizabeth. He also had relatives in Westfield.

He was troubled with insomnia and for nearly a month had been unable to sleep.

He had had two attacks of la grippe, one last November and the other in April. This brought on muscular rheumatism for which he has suffered untold misery ever since. He became despondent over his long-continued illness, and several times remarked that he would be better dead than lingering in such continual suffering.

It was his general despondency and occasional remarks which made his devoted wife and family take such close notice of their daughter constantly watched him, from fear that he might do himself harm.

They had taken him out in the morning for a drive, and it was thought he was benefitted by it. So fast he seemed of late to be recovering and in much better health than he had been for months.

The suicide was undoubtedly premeditated.

County Physician Wescott viewed the remains yesterday. Upon learning the facts he deemed an inquest unnecessary and granted a permit for burial.

Mr. Van Auken was a member of Presbyterian church of Elizabeth. He was the sole support of the family, which consisted of his wife and 15-year-old daughter. He was 45 years of age.

Interment will be from the house of Mrs. Van Auken's father, Mr. Francis Baker, at Westfield, to-morrow.

THE ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

The Report About the Delay—Consent not reported Withheld.

All does not appear to be serene with the proposed horizontal roller electric railway on West Front street. It will be remembered that Council gave permission for a trial line on that street provided the projectors could get the consent of a sufficient number of the abutting owners.

The rails have laid piled along the gutters on both sides of the street for some time, until inquiries are now being made as to the cause of the delay.

A citizen who appeared to know said yesterday to a News reporter: "Well, the merchants have concluded from the number of rails that it was the intention to lay a double line of track, and that this would take up all the street so that people in carriages would not use it for shopping, thus killing business. And it has occurred that this will be the case even with a single line of track on so comparatively narrow a street.

"The result is the same opposition as was defeated when it was proposed to put the line on Park avenue. The Park avenue merchants realized that it would kill the trade from the carriage people, which the merchants considered too valuable to be jeopardized, and killed the road to save themselves.

"Now, the Front street merchants are looking at the matter the same way and withholding their consents, and this it is supposed is the reason why the work is not going ahead. It has been suggested that it would do better to run it through Second street."

We supposed the delay was on account of the illness of the contractor.

BREVITIES

—Workmen are busy laying the water pipes on Front street between Park avenue and Broadway.

—The Independent Drum and Fife Corps of this city were out in the new uniforms yesterday and went to Dunellen. The looked and played well.

—"East Lynne" is to be given in Music Hall Thursday evening. It is an old play, but the programme says that the version to be presented is "new, original and novel."

—The corner stone of the new Masonic Hospital was laid at Elizabeth yesterday. A large number of Plainfield Masons were present. Gov. Abbett and others made addresses.

—It is estimated that fully 3,000 Plainfield people spent yesterday out-of-town, and that there were fully as many visitors here. Doubtless all who decided to observe the day properly are benefitted by the change, and those who did not observe such a day becomingly deserve the consequences which surely follow.

LAWN TENNIS.

FIRST ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP GAME AT THE HILLSIDE COURTS.

Mr. R. A. Beebe Wins in a Final Round with His Brother, Mr. H. W. Beebe, Amid Intense Excitement—The Scores.

Prettier tennis playing has never been seen in Plainfield than was witnessed at the first annual championship tournament of the Hillside Tennis Club held yesterday, in which the winners were H. W. Beebe, E. L. Wales, Jr., Sherry West, James P. Murray, H. Huntington, R. A. Beebe, and H. Patten in the first round, H. W. Beebe, Sherry West, H. Huntington, and R. A. Beebe in the second, H. W. Beebe, and R. A. Beebe in the third and R. A. Beebe in the fourth and final round.

About 9.30 the lovers of the game began to congregate about the courts and by an hour later fully 100 persons were in attendance.

Play was continued during the morning until one o'clock and was again resumed at 2.30. The scene about the courts during the afternoon was quite brilliant. Plainfield society was well represented, many stylish equipages crowding the roadway about the courts.

The many ladies present were attired in becoming Spring gowns and added greatly to the picturesqueness of the scene.

Much interest was taken in the playing during the day and toward the close, as the competition narrowed down to the Beebe brothers, the interest was intense. Their playing was extremely good at times brilliant, each batter scoring a set. Amid much applause the final set was won by Mr. R. A. Beebe to whom the silver cup, the championship trophy, was presented.

Mr. Beebe will have to keep in excellent playing during this season as there will probable be many contestants for the prize next year.

Among those present in carriages and on the grounds were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Brooks, Miss White, Mr. Chas. Beebe, Mr. Ed. Wales, Mrs. Walt. Mr. and Mrs. Huntington, Mr. C. L. Goodrich, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Patton, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus D. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ivins, Mr. and Mrs. Irving H. Brown, Mr. Dexter O. Randolph, Miss Bessie Turray, Mr. C. W. Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Martin, Miss Emma Fox, the Misses Davis, Miss Huntington, Miss Wale, Miss Sweeney Hart, Messrs. Cox, the Misses Miller, Miss Ethel Bowers, Miss Marchand, Miss Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Wadsworth, Mrs. Isaac Miller, Miss Cortlen, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Herring Pollion, Mr. and Mrs. W. Palmer Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Brown, Miss Lawrence, Mr. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Mellick, Mr. J. Dunham Wright, Mr. Geo. Mosely, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, the Misses Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Walsh, Miss Grace Howard, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Drayton, Mr. Asa Wadsworth, the Misses Hunter, Captain Rowland Cox, Miss Hawley, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wales, Miss Hays, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hood Wright and others.

RESULT OF GAMES.

First round—H. W. Beebe beat Irvin H. Brown, 6-0, 6-1.

E. L. Wales, Jr., beat H. W. Stover by default.

Sherry West beat G. P. Mellick, 6-4, 6-0.

James P. Murray beat Dexter O. Brinfany, 6-0, 6-2.

H. Huntington beat G. H. Squires, 6-3, 6-1.

R. A. Beebe beat C. L. Goodrich, 6-4, 6-4.

H. Patten beat J. H. P. Wharton, by default.

Second round—H. W. Beebe beat E. L. Wals, Jr., 6-0, 6-4.

Sherry West won set by default.

H. Huntington beat James P. Murray, 11-9, 6-4.

R. A. Beebe beat H. A. Patten, 6-1, 6-1.

Third round—H. W. Beebe beat Sherry West, 6-4, 6-4.

R. A. Beebe beat H. Huntington, 6-1, 6-1.

Final round—R. A. Beebe beat H. W. Beebe, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

A number of other club members were prevented from taking part because of previous engagements out of town.

Weather Indications.

Generally fair; stationary temperature; winds becoming southeasterly.

For Wednesday, increasing cloudiness and rain; slightly warmer.

For Thursday, rain; warmer.

—Justice Sperry celebrated Decoration Day by marrying a couple from Fredonia, N. Y., at his residence. No. 6 Grandview avenue, North Plainfield.

—The Hotel Albion had sixty guests at dinner yesterday. Among the number were some of the Jersey City wheelmen and a driving party of twelve from Woodbridge. The Hotel Grenada also did an enormous business.

DRUGS play but a small part in the world where the people

Have H-O for breakfast.

BASE BALL.

CRESCENTS WIN THREE STRAIGHT GAMES.

O'Neill Knocked Out of the Box at Westfield—Turner's Home Run—Decoration Day Games—The Scores—Other Games—How the Club's Stand.

HOW THE CLUB'S STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	Average.
Plainfield Crescents	3	0	1000
Plainfield Athletic	2	1	666
Westfield Athletic Club	1	2	333
Somerville West Ends	0	3	000

Next games—Saturday, June 4th, Elizabeth vs. Crescents, at Plainfield; Somerville vs. Westfield, at Westfield.

LEAGUE GAMES.

A large delegation from this city went down to Westfield Saturday afternoon to witness the League game between the W. A. C. and the Crescents.

Up to the time the Plainfield Club went to the bat in the third inning every thing looked very dubious for that team.

In the first inning the Westfields made four runs, two of which were earned, while the Crescents went out in one, two three order.

In the second the Westfield boys retired with a cipher to their credit, while the Crescent City boys made two unearned runs.

In the memorable third, Howe, Hammill, Reilly and Dives all crossed the home plate, making the score eight to two in favor of the W. A. Cs.

Then the fun commenced. Hofford secured a single, Keeler a double, Murphy a single, Turner a home run over right field fence, Leidy a three bagger and Beebe a single, every run scoring, making heaven easy at the end of the inning.

O'Keil was knocked entirely out of the box and Hammill, the Crescent's old pitcher, substituted.

That change did not stop the slaughter, as the Crescents made seven runs more before the curtain went down.

Sneeden was wild but was supported in great shape by the Plainfield boys. When in the fourth he planted his cap on the ground and remarked that the balance of the game would be ciphers for the W. A. Cs., he spoke the truth, as they never crossed the rubber after the third inning.

Umpire Bortiman was a little off in some of his decisions but altogether decided very fairly.

Turner's home run in the third was the principal feature of the game. The grand stand and "bleachers" went wild for fully five minutes.

Murphy made a beautiful two bagger in the seventh, but was called out at the home plate by a close decision.

The Westfield ball ground is very poor, being situated on the side of a hill and ratzled the boys exceedingly. The follow is the score:

CRESCENTS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hofford, c.	6	1	2	5	1	0
Keeler, s.s.	6	2	1	0	1	0
Murphy, l.f.	5	1	2	1	0	0
Turner, 2b.	5	2	2	2	2	0
Daley, 3b.	5	2	1	1	0	1
Leidy, c.f.	5	2	3	1	0	0
Bonner, r.f.	5	2	1	1	0	0
Jones, 1b.	5	2	2	10	0	0
Beebe, p.	5	0	1	1	2	0
Total	45	15	17	27	14	1

WESTFIELDS.

McIndoe, l.f.	5	1	1	0	0	0
Lever, c.f.	5	1	0	3	0	0
Howe, 2b.	5	2	2	1	1	0
Howe, s.s.	5	2	2	1	0	0
Hammill, r.f.,p.	5	1	0	0	0	0
Reilly, 1b.	5	1	0	0	0	0
Dives, 1b.	5	1	0	12	0	1
Warner, 3b.	5	0	0	2	3	0
O'Neil, p., r.f.	4	0	0	3	2	0
Total	44	9	7	24	6	1

Earned Runs—Crescents, 9; Westfields, 3. Two base hits—Keeler, Murphy, Leidy and Jones. Three base hits—Leidy. Home run, Turner. Double plays—Keeler, Turner and Jones. Hit by pitched ball, Turner; struck out, by O'Neil, 4; by Beebe, 2. Bases on balls—by O'Neil, 2; by Hammill, 2. Time of game, two hours and ten minutes. Umpire, Mr. Bortiman.

Crescents	0	2	6	0	1	3	1	2	—15
	0	2	1	0	1	3	2	1	—9
Westfield	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

EXHIBITION GAMES.

The games Decoration Day proved to be regular walkovers, both the Ridgewoods and Flushings being out classed.

In the morning's game the Crescents defeated Keeler in to pitch and he did well, striking out nine batters.

The game was one-sided and uninteresting, the visitors making 11 errors, while one was credited to the home team.

The following is the score:

CRESCENTS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hofford, c.	5	1	1	10	2	0
Keeler, p.	5	3	2	0	3	0
Murphy, l.f.	5	2	2	2	0	0
Turner, 2b.	5	2	3	2	4	0
Daley, 3b.	5	2	1	1	0	0
Leidy, c.f.	5	2	2	1	0	0
Bonner, r.f.	5	1	2	1	1	0
Jones, 1b.	4	1	2	9	0	0
Murphy, r.f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Total	43	15	15	27	9	0

RIDGEWOODS.

Hoben, c.	4	0	1	4	2	0
Berry, p.	4	0	1	4	3	0
Martin, 3b.	4	0	0	1	4	0
Lansdown, 1b.	4	0	0	10	0	0
Berry, s.s.	4	0	0	0	1	0
Abbe, l.f.	4	0	1	0	1	0
Wilson, c.f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
O'Neil, r.f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Leopold, r.f.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Total	3	1	3	27	11	0

Earned runs—Crescents, 3; Ridgewoods, 1. Two base hits—Turner, Daley, Leidy and Bonner. Three base hits—Keeler, Murphy (Crescents), Wilson (Ridgewoods). Passed balls—Hoben, 5. Struck out by Keeler, 9; by Kenneth, 3. Base on balls by Turner, 1; by Keeler, 1. Left on bases—Crescents, 4; Ridgewoods, 3. Time of game one hour and thirty-five minutes. Umpire, Mr. Bortiman.

Crescents	2	1	3	0	2	0	0	2	—12	
	2	2	4	5	0	0	2	3	—18	
Ridgewoods	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1	
	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1	

In the afternoon the crack Flushings met the home team and is resulted in a repetition of the morning's game. The visitors did not score until the ninth inning, when the home team took pity on them, and allowed them to score five runs on four errors by the Crescents.

This was done at the request of the Flushing's manager.

Turner made a pretty one-handed catch in the third inning, Murphy two good running catches, Bonner a nice catch in the fifth and Hofford two beautiful foul plays, both of which seemed almost impossible to reach.

The following was the score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Crescents	2	1	3	0	2	0	0	2	—12
	2	0	1	3	0	0	2	1	—9
Flushings	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

The Plainfield Bicycle Club visited Montclair yesterday and played two games with the Athletic Club of that city.

The scores were as follows:

MORNING GAME.

Montclair A. C.	4
Plainfield Bi C.	4

AFTERNOON GAME.

Montclair A. C.	5
Plainfield Bi C.	1

Two men at the game who had been drinking beer on the ground. The beer became excited and quarrelsome, after the game.

From words the men came to blows, on the field outside of the grounds. They were separated, and the marshal supposed the matter had quieted down, but went away. When he had gone, however, the men got into Linke's saloon and tried to make trouble there.

In trying to eject them some fifteen or twenty men became involved, and it seemed for awhile as if a small-sized riot was in progress.

All the employes were got together to eject those causing the trouble, and finally the marshal again appeared upon the scene. He was unable to make any arrests, though he probably knows what results will be issued on complaints of those who were assaulted, so as to teach them that they cannot disturb the public peace with impunity.

This should be done, especially regarding one of the parties, who has made himself very obnoxious by his frequent and quarrelsome sprees.

AMONG THE WHEELMEN.

The Club Race Saturday.—Hill Climbing Contest Decoration Day.

Much interest was taken in the Plainfield Bicycle Club race which took place Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. The race was five miles out the Springfield road and return for club championship and medals. All contestants started from scratch and finished as follows:

Geo. Mahon, A. E. Hinrichs, E. V. French, Chas. Maltby, F. L. Metcalf, Wm. Algren, Jos. Pike and N. Titsworth.

Hinrichs was only two seconds behind Mahon who made the excellent time of 9m. 58s.

The hill climbing contest took place Monday morning at Eagle Rock Hill near Orange.

Capt. F. L. C. Martin was the only member of the club to reach the summit.

The road was very heavy, which no doubt caused the failure of the contestants to reach the top.

A Titsworth being the nearest competitor to reach the summit won the race, Capt. Martin was also donator.

None of the Plainfield boys received places in the Irvington-Millburn race.

F. L. Metcalf rode five miles with a punctured tire, and had it not been for this accident would probably have been in the finish with the leaders.

An unfortunate incident occurred at the turning point near Locust Grove Nursery. The officer who should have been at that point to see that all rode the full distance, misunderstood his directions and went to a point beyond, not, however, far enough away to prevent his seeing the men make the turn.

He noticed that the first six men turned before reaching him and at once realizing his mistake ordered his assistant to ride to that point and instruct the others to make the same turn, but before he arrived the last two men reached the point and turned. They were about to turn there when a bystander informed them that the officer was further up the road.

Strange as it may seem, though they now knew the proper turning point, they proceeded to where he stood and rode the turn there.

By this delay they rode about one fourth of a mile too far.

They were at the starting point half a mile behind the leaders and finish four minutes and 45 seconds behind the winner.

Killed at Elizabeth.

George Chamberlain of this city, a brakeman on the St. Lewis express of the Pennsylvania R. R., was most accidently killed at Elizabeth yesterday afternoon.

The train had passed the main depot and he was on the lower step of the car waving his hand to an acquaintance, when he struck his head against a fence that projected out on the track.

Death was almost instantaneous of his skull was fractured and he was picked up insensible.

Chamberlain was thirty-five years of age and an unmarried man.

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE.

TERRIBLE FIRES IN EUROPE.

Many Lives Lost in Transylvania.

BUDAPEST, May 31—(Special.)—A large number of fires have occurred in Hungary. At Gyergyo Szent-Miklos, a town in Transylvania, 700 houses have been burned and many of the occupants lost their lives in the flames.

PARIS, May 31.—The premises owned by the Omnibus Company on the Quai Bourbon caught fire to-day, and the rolling sheds and stores were destroyed. The damage amounts to 1,500,000 francs.

MOSCOW, May 31.—Sixty houses on three small streets in the centre of this city have been destroyed by fire.

FATAL WRECK IN INDIANA.

A Passenger Train Goes Through a Bridge.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 31st.—(Special.)—It is reported here that a Lake Erie passenger train went through a bridge near Fisher station, a few miles north of this city, this morning.

A number of people are reported killed.

EUROPEANS HAVE LEFT CASHMERE.

Over Two Thousand Deaths in Three Weeks.

CALCUTTA, May 31, (Special.)—Since May 7 there have been 2,600 deaths from cholera at Seringagur, in the Vale of Cashmere.

All the Europeans in the place became alarmed some time ago at the fearful ravages of the disease and left the city.

Court Tolstoi Ill.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 31st. (Special)—Court Tolstoi, the well-known writer and philanthropist, is seriously ill.

ST. GEORGE CLUB DEFEATED.

The Berkeley Oval Cricket Club Team Wins from the Home Club.

The Berkeley Oval Cricket Team visited this city yesterday and played their initial game with the St. George Club of this city.

Through Mr. M. H. Cobb's excellent playing the visitors won.

The following is the score:

BERKELEY.

M. B. Cobb b. Hendry	32
P. Hall b. Hendry	1
W. Gumby, c. Warton, b. Gunsedell	2
J. C. McLaud, b. Gunsedell	0
F. T. Reilly, b. Hendry	0
H. Biddle, b. Hendry, b. Warton	1
H. A. Biddle, b. Wharton	3
G. Miles, run out	0
Marshall, not out	5
G. R. Cooper, b. Hendry	0
J. Munro, b. Hendry	4
Byes	4
Leg byes	1
Wides	0
No balls	2
Total	71

PLAINFIELD.

F. Wharton, b. Cobb	0
J. Cobb, b. Martin	2
C. Cobb, run b. w. b. Marlean	13
H. Wharton, b. Cobb	4
H. Warton, b. Martin	0
W. Hendry, c. Munro, b. Martin	0
S. Higham, b. Cobb	12
C. Hall, b. Cooper, c. & Reilly, b. Cobb	2
J. Stansfield, b. Cobb	2
H. Gow, b. Cobb	1
H. Turner, not out	0
Byes	2
Leg byes	1
Total	40

Emerson Returns.

Upon receipt of a telegram from Howard Emerson dated Philadelphia, on Sunday last his two brothers went to that city and returned with him.

He is very ill and his lawyer says that there is no doubt but what his mind is wandering.

He is under the care of a physician.

13c. Buys a New Broom at V. and W.'s

Wash Dress Fabrics.

Our assortment is considered the finest ever displayed in town. There are Irish Lawns at 13c., Chalise at 15c., Gingham at 15 and 18c., Batistes at 19 and 25c. for the best cool, finish Batiste ever shown. Many novelties.

For Twenty-eight Cents

We will put 24 dozen extra fine Crepe Cornets and Lonsdale Cambrics for Handkerchief Trimming.

Spring Coats.

We are anxious to close out our stock this coming week and to do it we have reduced every garment to a ridiculously low price.

For Twelve Cents

We are selling an extra good Ribbed Vest, cheap at 15c.

Chevelle Cloth

is a very fine corded French Dress material, that is specially adapted for afternoon wear. They come in all the new summer colorings and you will certainly like them. Price 15c.

Fourth Section.

Are very handy to have when you want to set out an extra plant. Every one has them, we have them in all the sizes. Many used this.

For Five Cents Each

We will sell 100 dozen fine thin brushes, formerly sold at 25 cents.

Dress Trimmings, Embroideries and Threads.

In this department we are offering some extra fine bargains, and it will repay you when in the store to look at the display.

For Nineteen Cents

You buy Cornish Point all complete. This is a regular 25c. quality. Many other bargains in this department. Don't buy before them any piece over sold at the same price.

Van Emburgh & White.

MR. ROBERT LUCKEY,

Firm of OF PLAINFIELD.

RICE, DUVAL & LUCKEY,

Importers and Tailors,

231 Broadway, New York.

Exclusively Fine Class Tailoring.

Moderate Prices.

MUSIC HALL!

Thursday, June 2,

The young, beautiful and accomplished emotional actress, Miss Gertrude Coakley, in the world-wide new, original and novel version of Mrs. Wood's great dramatic story, The

New East Lynne,

Or, The Elopement. Introducing the wonderful railroad scene. The Paris and London express. Two trains in of cars collision.

Seats on sale at Central Pharmacy.

Cents-a-Word Column.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A SWEDE wants situation as coachman. Has been in this country two years, is a competent driver and understands horses. Address "Swede," care of EVENING NEWS. 29 2

HELP WANTED.

A YOUNG white woman in family of two for general housework. Must be good plain cook. Call all the week. 129 2nd street. 161*

A STRONG girl wanted for general housework. Holidays off. Address L. V., care of EVENING NEWS. 30 2

A GIRL for general housework. Apply at No 18 Craig place. 30 2

If there is anyone in need of a situation they need here for your advertisement.

WANTED—A young girl as good plain cook and undergeneral washing. Call 72 West Seventh street.

WANTED—Within two weeks, a competent woman for general housework. Reference required. Apply at 55 Westervelt avenue.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Must be good washer and ironer and plain cook. Address Box 234, Westfield, N. J. 27 4

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Strings of gold beads, clasp marked from "Grand Mums." Suitable reward paid if left at this office, or at 46 Myrtle avenue, North Plainfield. 31 2

BOARDERS WANTED.

ROOMS and board, 31 West Second street. 28 6

FOR RENT.

A NEW and delightful eight-room house to RENT, with bath, water, hydrant, large cellar, hardwood floors. Unexcelled neighborhood and location. Address "Richmond House," care of EVENING NEWS. 25-3w

SQUARE piano to let. Terms $3 per month. 68 Grandview avenue. 5 1*2

TO LET—Four nice rooms with water, hydrant and cellar. Inquire, Address, Rooms, care of EVENING NEWS. 4 tf

TO LET—Four or five pleasant rooms. 77 West Second street.

TO LET—On Front street, five unfurnished rooms, with or without board. Also furnished rooms, with or without board, in a private family. Address "Y.," care NEWS. 29 2

FOR SALE.

A VICTORIA for sale; in first-class order; 3 springs, snaker. Apply at 129 2nd st.

A BRICK house. Ten well-papered rooms. Will sell for $5,200. Address "S," care of EVENING NEWS. 29 6

$50 BUYS second-hand natural wood survey at Rymrott's, 21 Somerset street. 31-3

BARGAINS in whips, sheets, lap robes, 99 cts. etc., at L. M. Prescott's.

FOR SALE—200-egg Eureka incubator; cost $70; will sell for $25. Inquire 149 West Front street.

$190—Fine upright piano for sale. In perfect order; warranted as new. Apply at No. 7 H. Buckley, 15 East Front street. Cornered 5 2tf2

SECOND-HAND surrey; in perfect order; a bargain. L. M. Prescott.

THE way to let the people know you have something for sale is to put that fact right under this head.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FIRST-CLASS laundry work, done at home. Prices reasonable. One trial will convince. Mrs. A. F. Wilson, colored, 26 Fourth street.

OLD-FASHIONED furniture in good order, bought and sold. Call Furniture store, 11 Somerset street. 3-30tf

SECURE your tickets for the Columbian Fair. For particulars apply at Neafie's. 5 29tf

EDITORIAL NOTES

Let everybody echo the New York Herald's thanksgiving song. "Thank the Lord we are fast becoming an outdoor people."

The Christian Union is in favor of closing the World's fair as a fair on Sunday, and then leaving the grounds, the museums and art galleries open. It would have admission to the grounds free, with a small admission fee to the museums and art galleries.

M. Paul Deschanel, the industrial commissioner from France to the United States, is enthusiastic in his admiration for Mr. Blaine, because Blaine has "finesse." "In finesse," says M. Deschanel, "Mr. Blaine is the diametric opposite of the old European notion of American political men."

With a clear conscience and a light heart George, the republican king of Greece, left his realm after the Greek elections to attend the golden wedding of his royal father and mother at Copenhagen. The elections demonstrated the extraordinary hold the king has on the affections of his people. Delyannis, the minister whose cabinet King George had dismissed, used every means in his power to arouse the people into voting for Delyannis partisans for parliament, but his endeavors fell flat, as those of any demagogue always do sooner or later. The voters stood by King George with enthusiasm and sustained the policy of M. Tricoupis, the former minister, who will now again direct affairs. As soon as the result of the elections became known on the Athens Bourse advanced the price of Greek securities advanced nine points. Greece apparently grazed the edge of a revolution, as the fight of Delyannis was against the constitutional right of the king to use his royal prerogative to dissolve a cabinet that had become obnoxious to him. M. Tricoupis managed the finances of the Greek kingdom better than any one else has succeeded in doing.

For Our Agricultural Interests.

One of the most important congressional investigations ever made in America has been entered on by the United States senate committee on agriculture and forestry. It will be an inquiry into the long continued depression of agricultural prices in this country. Even the rise in wheat that was expected to take place in view of the famine in Europe did not do so. Cotton has been lower recently than ever before, while the breeders of food animals have been grievously disappointed in the season's results.

What is the reason? It is certain that the retail dealers in farm food products do not become rich any faster than they did formerly. It is also certain that consumers in cities pay for nearly everything as much as they ever did. The senate committee will examine into every cause that has a possible bearing on the present depression.

They will look into grain gambling and speculation in agricultural products of all kinds, ascertaining if perhaps this speculation keeps prices down. They will study methods and prices of transportation, cost of lands, machinery and tillage and the fees of middlemen. Diversified farming and the improvement of cultivation both as to increasing crops and diminishing their cost of production will come under the microscope, as will also irrigation as a factor in increasing crops. Both during the sessions of congress and during the recess this senate agricultural committee will patiently continue the endeavor to find out who it is that grows richer while the farmer grows poorer.

The Grip.

It is only now that physicians are able to begin to sum up the real consequences of that Russian influenza which has raged among us the past two winters. These results crop out in unexpected forms almost every day in some part of the country. Consumption, pneumonia, weakened eyesight and long continued nervous prostration are some of the more common consequences of the scourge.

But there are others even worse. Insanity from grip is unfortunately not at all uncommon. A physician said was accountable depression comes first to the weakened and nerveless body. It grows till the mental faculties give way. Sometimes the sufferer becomes permanently insane. In Pennsylvania two brothers from one family have been taken to the asylum, both dangerously insane from the effects of grip. No case of insanity from grip is sadder than that of a gentleman in New York who was suddenly attacked with grips few weeks before his wedding day. The violent attack passed and left him a lunatic, with apparently no hope of future recovery. Sometimes it is not madness, but suicide that follows the steps of the plague. One of the suicides lately was that of a highly respected police captain in Philadelphia. He was "an old soldier, brave as a lion," we are told, yet he could not fight off the depression that overwhelmed him following a seizure of grip.

It is the opinion of some physicians that the grip is a product of the famine districts of Russia, a terrible reminder to all the world of the filth, starvation, wretchedness and despair of hundreds of thousands of their fellow men.

CLEVELAND MEN MEET.

The Empire State's May Convention at Syracuse.

TO SEND A CONTESTING DELEGATION

The Anti-Midwinter Convention Democrats of New York Will Ask Chicago to Let Them In—President Hardtack's Supporters Confident at Washington.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 31.—The Democratic state convention met here at noon. Ex-Secretary Charles S. Fairchild called the delegates to order and named John D. Kerr as temporary chairman and R. G. Monroe as secretary of the convention. Both these officers were made permanent. The convention will name a complete set of delegates at large and sixty-eight delegates from the congressional districts to the national convention. The delegates at large will be Fred R. Coudert, of New York; Alexander E. Orr, of Brooklyn; Mayor Bishop, of Buffalo, and Mayor David A. Robinson, of Elmira. The resolution committee will report a platform, not differing very materially from the Saratoga platform, but containing strong clauses for tariff reform and sound currency. Special resolutions on the tariff question, affirming the production of a sound silver dollar, and a strong indorsement of the administration of Grover Cleveland will be offered and passed.

Hill Will Not Be Mentioned.

"Will Mr. Hill be mentioned?" was asked of Mr. Fairchild just before the convention met.

"No, I don't think that is the province of the convention," said he, smiling. "A contesting delegation will be sent to Chicago and will demand admission."

Daniel Magone said: "We are not in any sense a contesting delegation. In sending an uninstructed delegation to Chicago we claim that we represent the Democratic voters of the state of New York, and not of any man. The men who go to Chicago to speak for David B. Hill know that they do not represent the Democrats in the state of New York. They simply a class. They should be wiped out of the way for our delegation that represents all of the Democracy."

The total number of delegates from New York, Queens, Richmond and Westchester is 273. From Rochester and vicinity 500 arrived this morning. The Buffalo delegation numbers about 1,200.

The presence here of Samuel J. Randolley, railroad commissioner, and A. C. Eastace, of Elmira, one of Governor Hill's particular friends, at this time is the cause of considerable comment. Shortly after their arrival posters appeared in all of the hotels announcing that the following ex-bureau, who favored and were friends of Grover Cleveland were strenuously opposed to the sending of a contesting delegation to Chicago: Roswell P. Flower, James R. Manning, James W. Ridgway, Frank H. Rice, Norman H. Mack, D. Cady Herrick, Elliot Danforth, Donald McNaughton, William F. Purcell, Daniel Griffin, George P. Rosser, Jacob A. Cantor, William M. Brown and a number of others. This poster was the cause of much merriment and a great many practical jokes. At the Vanderbilt House one of them was inscribed thusly, "Rule? By order of D. B. Hill, dictator."

To Send a Contesting Delegation.

Ex-Mayor Grace said to a reporter that the opposition to a contesting delegation was very light. "We shall send a contesting delegation to Chicago," he said, "and ask for recognition. In that way only can we be signified."

Congressman S. Mack, of Buffalo, said: "I am in Syracuse to protest personally against the seating of a contesting delegation to Chicago. The wisest action the convention finally takes would be to adjourn sine die immediately on assembling. The trouble in New York state is already too well advertised to be of any benefit to Mr. Cleveland, Mr. Hill or any other candidate."

The Provisional Committee's Action.

The provisional committee went into session at 8 o'clock last night and had a lengthy discussion. The committee consists of John W. Wood, of Queens county; George F. Peabody, Edward M. Shepherd, Peter J. Brady and Moses Magy, of Kings; Hugh Kelly, Andrew Sloan, Edward R. Whitney, Charles S. Fairchild, William E. Curtis, R. G. Monroe, Wallace McFarlane, William Solomon and William B. Grace, of New York; George R. Crawford, of Westchester; M. N. Kane, of Orange; Guy C. Bayley, of Dutchess; John E. Bagley, of Greene; Norton Chase, of Albany; John Van Schaick, of Schoharie; J. T. Finch, of Warren; John B. Asin, of Montgomery; T. E. Kinney, of Oneida; W. E. Northrup, of Madison; Louis Dahl, of Chemung; W. A. Pancher, of Oswego; Edson Potter, of Yates; F. C. Peck, of Livingston. Hudson Ansley, of Cattaraugus; James Ross, of Chautauqua; S. S. Taylor, of Niagara, and Franklin D. Locke, of Erie.

The question of dispensing with the delegation to Chicago and merely sending a protesting delegation was raised, and Mr. Fairchild said that a protest would mean practically nothing. The convention should be thoroughly instructed for a new state convention. Such a representation could not fail to be received by the Chicago convention. Mr. Grace indorsed these remarks, and there was very little opposition to agreeing to the stand taken by Mr. Fairchild. There will be no instruction given to the delegates.

A singular fact is that no electors will be named by the convention, and this fact is looked upon by some people here as being significant of the idea that this convention has no idea that its delegation will be admitted to the Chicago convention.

New Smiles at the Blaine Boom.

CHICAGO, May 31.—John C. New, who is here, is inclined to smile at the suggestion that anybody but Harrison has the renomination of the party of the Republican nominee. "I can see no reason why the party should set aside a winner in order to throw open the whole field to the most powerful vote winners or have demonstrated that they cannot win. I think Mr. Harrison will be nominated for president on the first ballot and Mr. Morton for vice president on the first ballot for that office. There is no evidence to show that Mr. Blaine is a candidate, and there is positive proof that he does not desire the nomination. His letter to Mr. Clarkson was voluntary. Nobody asked him to write it forward the whole ground. In the face of it I cannot see how he can be a candidate.

"I think that Mr. Blaine will not be a candidate, and further, that he will not allow this impression to continue. I know that without President Harrison reciprocity would never have been of any practical value. More than that, the documents in the handwriting of the president himself will show exactly who guided all the negotiations regarding the Behring sea and Chilian affairs. But you must not understand that I am in any way an admirer of Mr. Blaine. They do not have to fear it is beyond the shadow of a doubt that he will be nominated on the first ballot. He can count the delegates now who will bring his name. The man who opposes him will have to count upon the fingers of one hand."

Favorite for Vice President.

CINCINNATI, May 31.—Governor Hill will sit here by his letter declaring that he will not a candidate. He will accept the nomination if it is tendered him with an show of unanimity, but he will not be formally presented to the convention at Minneapolis, though he will be balloted for, and if nominated will accept. This is to the information received by ex-Governor Foster and the other Blaine leaders in this section. The Blaine men will ignore the silence of Hill in declining to permit the use of his name, but will not cast their votes for him whether his name is formally presented to the convention or not. There is also another important movement under way—the nomination of ex-Governor Foraker for vice president. The scheme meets with Forster's approval.

Says Blaine Will Get It.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—While here ex-Senator Platt, of New York, had interviews with ex-Speaker Reed, Senator Hiscock and several others, and nearly every one with whom he conversed that Mr. Blaine was going to be nominated, and that his advice from all parts of the country indicated a constant falling off in President Harrison's strength. The sensational stories that are being printed regarding Mr. Blaine's ill health absolutely ignore the fact that the truth is that Mr. Blaine is in about the condition today that he was six months ago; no better and no worse. The statements of ex-Governor Foraker, Governor Merriam, Chauncey Clarkson, J. Sloat Fassett and other of equal prominence are to the effect that he will not decline the nomination if it is tendered by the Minneapolis convention.

Hilton Says the Fight Is Over.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The friends of President Harrison express more than usual confidence in speaking of the probabilities of the situation. Secretary Elkins left Washington for Elkins, W. Va., last night. Before leaving he said:

"There is no longer any necessity for fighting; the contest is settled. Therefore I feel free to devote my time to my own personal affairs and family. I will see them comfortably quartered at Elkins and then return to Washington."

The statement of the secretary of war is quoted in administration circles as generally descriptive of the feeling of confidence that is held. Ex-Senator Platt has returned to New York. Mr. Platt did not see Secretary Blaine during his brief stay.

Stalwarts Still Angry.

UTICA, N. Y., May 31.—The remark made by Assistant Treasurer Ellis H. Roberts that stalwartism had died out and would not be an important influence against Mr. Blaine if nominated, has stirred up a great deal of feeling here. Ex-Postmaster Judson T. Stevens said, "The feeling of the stalwarts is as strong against Mr. Blaine now as ever, and if he was nominated he would be opposed in the same way and by the same men as in 1884."

Hiscock Is Confident.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Senator Hiscock has returned from New York, and still puts his faith in President Harrison. "Mr. Harrison is going to be nominated and elected," he said. "Most of the New York delegation will be for Harrison. I have not polled them so as to tell you just how many, but most of them will be for the president."

THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY'S RIVAL.

Alleged Opposition of a Formidable Character Organized at Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 31.—According to well posted dealers in oils of Pennsylvania, Virginia and Ohio are not to remain the undisputed possession of the Standard Oil company. The existence of another company has been discovered by a number of Chicago capitalists, has just become known, and enough was learned to show that the plans of the new company are nearly matured and that the company purposes to be a formidable rival to the Standard. The financial backers of the new venture have much money in sight now at that command if necessary.

A pipe line will be constructed from the oil regions of West Virginia, Ohio and Pennsylvania to Chicago, and $2,500,000 will be expended for this purpose. It is the intention to connect with the seaboard at the principal oil producing regions. It is quiet-way the new company has already secured possession of several wells, whose flow is such as several thousand barrels daily. A number of the company's agents are in the oil regions which is yet undeveloped, but which is known to be rich in oil. The seaboard terminal will be at Baltimore.

Mr. Hamilton B. Corbin, of Pittsburg, has been in consultation with the Chicago parties advising its members in regard to pipe lines, oil territory, etc.

The Seashore Railroad Opened.

ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS DEPOT, N. J., May 31.—More than 10,000 people were present to witness the opening of the new Seashore railroad. The event was celebrated by a large procession. The board of trade and principal merchants of Red Bank, Long Branch, Asbury Park and Ocean Grove, and county officials at a banquet at the Grand View hotel. The Order of American Mechanics refused to participate in the parade because sixty Italians had been allowed to join with the paraders.

Briggs' Case Sent Back.

PORTLAND, Or., May 31.—The general assembly listened to a report of the special committee appointed to prepare a paper discussing the Briggs case, and adopted the decision of Saturday. This report was adopted, remanding the case back to New York for a new trial as soon as possible.

Doctists by the Hundreds.

PARIS, May 31.—There is a possibility of the Paris water supply falling out of use in the army and as many members of the antitoxtic party in consequence of a recent set of articles defamatory of and insulting to Dr. Koch, which have been published in La Libre Parole.

Twenty-one Were Burned to Death.

PARIS, May 31.—The fire at the flour mills of Moses Durbisy, at Corbeil, was much more disastrous than at first reported. It is now believed that twenty-one of the employes are buried beneath the ruins. Of the injured taken out three died on the way to the hospital.

Bodies Ready to the River.

POUGHKEEPSIE, May 31.—William Sheldon, son of a wealthy fruit grower of Highland, disappeared from home on May 15. Another body has been found in the Hudson river near the Highland landing.

Sleeper Jack Affair in Boston.

NEW YORK, May 31.—It is learned that Jack Allen and Mrs. Holden after leaving Montreal went direct to Boston.

PETER JACKSON VICTOR.

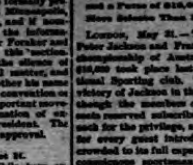
He Whips Frank Slavin in Ten Rounds.

THE WHITE PUGILIST KNOCKED OUT.

Australia's Dark Skinned Wonder Easily Wins the Championship of the Antipodes and a Purse of $10,000—Jackson Shows More Science Than Slavin.

LONDON, May 31.—The fight between Peter Jackson and Frank P. Slavin for the championship of Australasia, and a purse of $10,000 took place last evening at the National Sporting club. The result was the victory of Jackson in the tenth round. Although the members of the club who had secured reserved seats had to pay $25 each for the privilege, and paid $125 more for every guest introduced, the hall was crowded to its full capacity. Almost every conspicuous sportsman in the city was present, showing in his neighborhood the high character of the audience were in evening dress. R. F.

Angel, who refereed the Sullivan-Mitchell fight in Paris, was selected as the referee. Lord Lonsdale introduced the principals in a few speech, in which he said fair play would be the motto of both men. Slavin turned the scales at 182 pounds and Jackson at 168 lbs.



PETER JACKSON.

Slavin was seconded by Tom Burrows, of London; Tom Williams and thirteen brother Jack, Charley Mitchell, and was second by Harry Hurst for one of his seconds. He was not allowed to enter the club on account of his ungentlemanly conduct in the club house on the previous occasion. Jackson's seconds were "Pompey" Charles Davies, of Chicago; Joe Choynski, of San Francisco, and Harry Smith, of London.

The betting which had ruled at 7 to 4 in Slavin's favor, was reduced to 5 to 4 and eventually to 11 to 10 when the men entered the ring, which was twenty feet square inside of the regulation 24 foot ring. Jackson entered the ring first. He showed marked confidence. Slavin entered shortly afterward. The men at once shook hands and took their corners. Upon the call of time, at 11:15, both men walked briskly to the center of the ring. Jackson seemed to be fully two inches taller than Slavin. But little time was wasted in sparring.

The Fight by Rounds.

Round 1—Slavin led for Jackson's body. Jackson, however, avoided him. Slavin followed him around the ring. Jackson led for Slavin's jaw. This aroused Slavin's ire and he got home with his right on Jackson's body. Both men then clinched and fell to the floor. The round ended with little damage done on either side.

Round 2—Slavin showed anxious to get to work and led with his left for Jackson's face, but just missed. Jackson's long left was in evidence all the way. The block man drew a blow from Slavin's body, making a straight left for Slavin's head and nose. First blood for Jackson. Slavin's nose was bleeding freely. Jackson's left was constantly getting home on Slavin's face. Slavin's body blows would occasionally get home on the latter's ribs, but failed to take the heavy edge off of these blows.

Round 3—The men left their corners with alacrity, but did not feel the best, which was nothing in the club room, and landed brisk and frank on each other's bodies. Slavin did not meet the anger, however, and the latter settled back at him confidently. Some sharp fighting followed, in which Jackson showed his superiority. Time was called, the round ending in favor of the negro. Both men were slightly winded.

Round 4—At the beginning of this round slavin's bottom lip was cut and tried to lodge out with a straight left for Jackson's body. Jackson landed heavily on Slavin's face with his left and right, and Slavin with his right for Jackson in the same place. Slavin's face now assumed the hue of a boiled lobster. He was taunting all the while, but his anger only aggravated his debasement he was suffering. He sometimes reached for the negro, but his blows were weak.

Jackson Forces the Fighting.

Round 5—The white Australian seemed the worse for wear as he came to the scratch at the was to win as all the chicago must come soon. Jackson, who previously was partly on the aggressive, now became very aggressive and forced the fighting. He landed heavy lefters, one after the other, first on Slavin's face, and heavily rended his nose. Slavin, however, managed to stop his antagonist only to receive more punishment. The round ended in favor of Slavin.

Round 6—At this stage of the fight odds were offered freely on Jackson but met with no takers. From this on Slavin's fighting never seemed to be in doubt. Jackson did not throw away a chance, but kept delivering his left in Slavin's face. Slavin's nose was now in a terrible state. Slavin seemed very groggy and his blows were wildly aimed.

Round 7—Slavin appeared to be greatly refreshed and rallied in the fight. He fought with the intention of ending, but the result was disappointing blows delivered by the latter were having no effect.

Round 8—This round was pretty much the same as the seventh and both men appeared to be weak, especially Slavin.

Round 9—Jackson became incensed very slightly, while Jackson seemed to gain some heart. Jackson continued delivering his left in Slavin's face with telling effect.

Round 10—Jackson sent up his heavy punishment and delivered blow after blow upon the face of Slavin, who was fighting wildly and might heavily under Slavin's heart and followed this blow quickly with his left in Slavin's face. This nearly he received in the left eye. Finally Slavin dropped into his corner and did not respond to the call of time. Thereupon Referee Angle awarded the fight to Jackson.

Slavin was very badly punished. Jackson escaped unscathed, except for a light graze on the shoulder. Jackson fought the best of the mill throughout all his rounds. He showed better science and more endurance. He also proved that he was a hard hitter. The fight was a fair one throughout. Had Slavin retains his friends and backers, despite his defeat. The fight lasted thirty-eight and a half minutes.

Burns Whips Cal McCarthy.

CONEY ISLAND, L. I., May 31.—The fight between Cal McCarthy, of Jersey City, and Bobby Burns, of Providence, at the Coney Island Athletic club, was won by the Rhode Island boy. Burns hit McCarthy a powerful right hand left to the jaw in the second round and knocked him down. The effect of the blow was so great that the Jerseyman never recovered from it during the battle. Burns also had McCarthy down three times in the third round. In the fifth and sixth McCarthy did some clever leading on Burns' jaw. Once it looked as though McCarthy was playing Burns out, but in the eighth round Bobby smashed McCarthy on the jaw with his right, and McCarthy went down in a heap. When his seconds called on him to go up and fight, McCarthy brilliantly shook his head and said he couldn't do he lay there on the floor and at the ten seconds go by.

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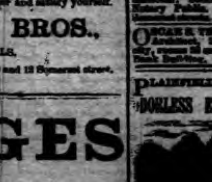

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THE FAIR SEX FEELS AGGRIEVED.

Spirited Protest from the Women's National League of America Against the Slight Put Upon the Women Who Turned Her Jewels for Columbus.

NEW YORK, May 31.—At a special meeting called at the headquarters of the Women's National Industrial League of America, of which Charlotte Smith is president, held in this city, resolutions were unanimously adopted declaring that a celebration of the finding of Christopher Columbus on our shores would be incomplete without due recognition of the co-equal of the discoverer of America, Isabella, queen of Spain.

The resolutions state that this is the year of "Isabella" as well as "Columbus," and history chronicles the fact that it was due to woman, the peerless Isabella, who gave her jewels to defray the expenses of the penniless Christopher Columbus that Columbus was able to start on his voyage of discovery to the Western Hemisphere.

Must Honor Isabella Too.

The resolutions declare that while women has crowned the fearless navigator, true manhood must not only honor, but pay homage and tribute to the name of Isabella of Castile.

The league protests in the name of the industrial women of the state of New York that no mention of the name of Queen Isabella of Spain has been made, and that no suitable sum of money has been appropriated for the proper celebration in honor of Isabella as well as Columbus. The league further says that woman has been ignored by lawmakers and the legislature.

The resolutions conclude as follows:

"We demand that women shall be represented at the Columbian celebration of the anniversary of the landing of Christopher Columbus in October, 1892, in New York, by duly paying homage and tribute to the original discoverer of America, Isabella of Castile. We protest, in the name of the women of the Empire state, against the ignoring of women on the board of one hundred prominent citizens of New York, who have been appointed to arrange for the celebration of that historical event by the mayor of New York, notwithstanding that the $60,000 appropriated came from the people of this state, irrespective of sex."

FATHER DENT BARRED OUT.

Franciscan Sisters Prevent Him from Serving Subpœnas.

NEW YORK, May 30.—Probably the busiest man in New York or Brooklyn is Rev. Francis Dent, formerly pastor of the Polish Catholic church in Buffalo, who has begun suit against Bishop Ryan, of that diocese, for $100,000 for alleged slander. Father Dent and his trusty lieutenant, Patrick Gallagher, of 149 West Sixty-second street, were engaged in serving subpœnas on unwilling witnesses in the persons of priests and sisters of the Franciscan order, of which he is a member.

They did not succeed in doing so at the home of the Franciscan sisters at 206 Sullivan street. The good women were more than a match for the troublesome ex-priest. All day their house was tightly closed from cellar to roof, and as the bell was rung by one of Father Dent's emissaries the door would remain shut, though communication could be carried on.

St. Anthony's parochial school, conducted by the sisters, is now closed in consequence of the siege.

The Franciscan monastery, 151 Thompson street, was also besieged. No one would answer the door bell. A detective stood on guard to prevent the fathers from being molested, but this did not prevent Father Dent from attempting to serve his summons.

The case will be opened in the supreme court, Brooklyn, and the plaintiff has promised to make some startling revelations in connection with the Franciscan order. The witnesses will consist of about eight priests and several nuns. A notable witness will be Archbishop Corrigan.

Baron Hirsch Very Ill.

PARIS, May 31.—Baron Hirsch is seriously ill in this city with influenza and congestion of the lungs. The gravest fears are expressed as to the result of his illness. The baron's death would have a serious effect upon his great enterprises, including the relief of the Russian Jews by their settlement in other countries. The baron has been much disappointed by the comparative failure of his attempt to establish an Argentine colony of Jews, as also by the unfavorable reception of indigent Hebrews in the United States.

Mash Drivers Attacked Him.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., May 31.—Jack Wade, a horse driver, was fatally clubbed in his back, and just around the corner W. M. Jones, general western manager of the Standwick Manufacturing company, was found mortally wounded. Jones says that as he was about to assist the hack Wade and two other toughs tried to rob him. He shot Wade and was wounded by one of the men

Death of Jules Lebaudy.

PARIS, May 31.—Jules Lebaudy, the French financier, is dead.

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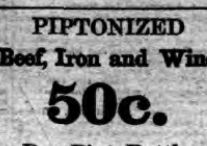

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SENSE IN EDUCATION.

MRS. CHAUNCEY DEPEW EXPLAINS HER IDEAS OF TEACHING.

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Three little people whose daily lives are excellent instances of sensible training are the son and two orphan nieces of Mrs. *Chauncey M. Depew*—Chauncey M. Depew, Jr., who is twelve years old; Anna Bradford Hegeman, who is in her fifteenth year, and Charlotte Niven Hegeman, who is named after her grandmother, Mrs. Depew's mother, and is not yet thirteen.

"I hardly know," said Mrs. Depew, with a smile, "what to tell you about the children's education, their lives are so perfectly simple. They all speak French and German fluently. Since their early childhood they have had a French governess and a German maid, and so have acquired both languages almost as naturally as mother tongues. Then, too, when Mr. Depew is not at home I always converse with them at table in one language or the other; one day in German and the next in French.

"I think it insures a more correct form of speech for a mother to share in her children's conversation in some such way. My mother and Mr. Depew always speak to them in English. We consider it very important that their own language shall not be neglected while acquiring foreign ones. In this way they have obtained a command of three languages quite naturally, with no study and little effort.

"They all three attend school now; my two nieces a school for girls and my son a boy's preparatory school. I do not believe in exclusively home education, but I do not think that it is possible to make the course of training as thorough as that of a good school, and I also think it well for them to go among other children. But I do not believe in sending children to school very early. Twelve years old is quite soon enough. They need that early time to *strengthen their bodies* before beginning to tax their brains, and then at that age they are better able to understand their lessons and to apply themselves.

"I am glad to see that the system of 'marks' is being so almost entirely done away with in schools. I think that it was bad for the children in many ways.

"I do not believe very much either in prizes or rewards. It is so much better for them to learn to do the work for the work's sake, because it is right; for love, and not through fear or emulation.

"They are quite musical and all take much pleasure in it, but I think that it is well, however, unless one has a decided talent, to devote too much time to music. It would be much better to give that time to some other talent that one might possess, and of so much more benefit.

"They all show decided talent for drawing, which they are cultivating. They also take dancing lessons. Dancing is such good exercise for all parts of the body and, too, it teaches them to walk and to carry themselves well. Light gymnastics are also excellent and they practice them for a certain time every day.

"They keep early and regular hours always. They go early in the morning, go to bed early at night.

"Dinner they have in the middle of the day and a light tea at night. They eat very few sweets—confectionery or anything of that sort. Their deserts consist of some simple pudding or cake. They eat all sorts of plain food—that is, roasts and chops and fillets for meat, and all kinds of vegetables, the greater variety the better. Then, when they come in from their walks, I always have a cup of broth ready for them, *hot beef or mutton broth*, particularly in the winter. It is good for them and they learn to enjoy it.

"Twice a day they take a brisk walk, not too long, for overexercise is quite as injurious as too little. Children are often allowed to overtire themselves and grow cross and fretful without being able to understand or explain the reason. In summer I live out of doors almost all the time, although *they study just a little*, even then, for I do not think it well for them to be entirely idle for so long a time.

"And just what is there still one simply very elaborate clothing seems out of place for children. I like to have all that they wear pretty, but plain, so that they can romp and play as children ought, without being hampered and without any thought or fear of rumpled finery.

"One accomplishment that I am anxious to have them all acquire is that of reading aloud well. I consider that a very necessary part of a good education, and also that they should learn to enunciate their words clearly and correctly.

"I do not allow them to read fairy stories. I do think that is well for them to do so. Instead I give them interesting and instructive books of *history to read*. There are such charming little stories for children written nowadays! They begin with historical stories written in words of one syllable, and already my son has a really wonderful knowledge of historical events for a boy of his age, but then he has a natural love for the subject. That makes a difference, I suppose. I also encourage them to play various games that combine that amuse and give them useful information at the same time—geographical puzzles, authors and other games of that sort.

"On Sundays their usual toys and games are put away. They have 'Grandma's Old Testament Game' and 'Grandma's New Testament Game' to play on rainy Sundays, when we cannot go to church, we read the services together.

"They have a large playroom, but it is not confined to it. They have their wish to be sent for, but run in and out of the rooms where we are at all hours of the day, and they always sit with us at the table. Up to the present time I have found it well to get to know them or to understand their characters, and that knowledge is so helpful, for it teaches one how best to guide and govern them. I believe in encouraging them to develop their individual ideas, and to cultivate a certain independence of character.

"I do not think that I started out with any particular theories of education; if I had they must necessarily have been much modified, for each child needs a special sort of training, adapted to its own particular nature and capacities. My boy I myself taught entirely until he was eight years old.

"One thing that I particularly insist on with all the children is that they should be polite to all the servants. It seems a little thing, but is one that really has much influence over a child's character and manners. Courtesy and consideration for others, no matter what their station in life is, are lessons that cannot be too early learned."—Fergus Falls Journal.

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MEMORIAL DAY.

Some even of the few national holidays of so young a country as ours have already begun to lose their interest for the young. Washington's birthday celebration has grown to be more and more perfunctory. But our latest holiday, known as Memorial or Decoration Day, promises to appeal more and more to our compatriots, to have a wider and deeper significance as the years go on. Until recently it was observed by the north and south in a sectional way, thus keeping up the old sentiments and feelings unkindled and strengthened by the civil war.

But so rapidly have prejudices and passion cooled that now the whole country can often join in paying tribute to the honored dead, so setting an example of mutual appreciation and magnanimity, hardly to have been surpassed. Soon, too, this holiday has been equaled in older governments. To forget in twenty years the old animosities that had been gathering and strengthening for seventy years is the best evidence often join in paying tribute to the honored of the stability and growth of a government founded by the institutions of a great democracy. Our victory over ourselves is far more glorious than any we have gained over our enemies.

The Old World abounded in predictions during our civil war that the republic could not think that it is well for them to do so. Instead I give them interesting and instructive books of *history to read*. There are such charming little stories for children written nowadays! They begin with historical stories written in words of one syllable, and already my son has a really wonderful knowledge of historical events for a boy of his age, but then he has a natural love for the subject. That makes a difference, I suppose. I also encourage them to play various games that combine that amuse and give them useful information at the same time—geographical puzzles, authors and other games of that sort.

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A Pet in Camp.

Here is a good illustration of the fact that the boys didn't get off their kindness in the line when they put on Uncle Sam's warlike blue:

Commencing toward the close of the war, while Union soldiers lay in camp on a hillside in Virginia, a pet dog, Vinnie, frequently heard the command "Forward, march!" from a sentinel started every loungers to his feet, and several of the more curious ran to the front line to find out what the trouble was. A minute later all knew that the sentinel had challenged a white kitten, and was crying: "Halt! who goes there?" Then, a moment later, the kitten, still holding a white kitten in her arms, came forward into the light of the fires, conducted by two soldiers who had told the sentinel to support her. Vinnie, for the time passed through the same ordeal.

The whole regiment gathered—including the sentinel himself—to look at the child and her pet, and every one had a different story it was; simply a paragraph, but there was matter enough in it for a full chapter. She lived here by with her father, who was sick and poor, and they were homeless, she said, and "Union folks." Her mother was dead, and her brother had been killed while fighting in the Federal army. She "wanted to give something," and when the Union soldiers came she hadn't anything better to get kitten and present it to the colonel.

The colonel took the little girl in his arms and kissed her, and the kitten too, and said he just felt as if he should cry for weakness. He accepted the kitten with thanks, and its innocent donor was gallantly waited on to her father's home, aided with general contributions.

The white kitten was adopted by the regiment, but considered the property and special pet of the colonel, and when she or was over he took it home with him. Like the white lamb that staid and fed with the victors after the battle of Antietam, then little creature during its short but stirring army life, was a daily inspiration to better feelings and thoughts in the presence of all the rough words living there of years ago, and all were the home-made paper caps of the cockade style. The scribe watched them until they stopped, when he approached the "Tommies" and asked: "What you been doing?"

"Pantin fowers oher a sugar's grabe."

"Your papa?"

"No! Dejim's sette tin sugars were no use, so his mamma said we could bury 'em, and we put a fowfe ober dere grabes. Fowsh, mash!" And the little future soldiers and vivandieres of the country marched on.—Selected.

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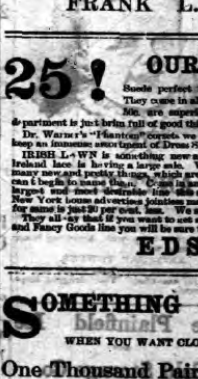

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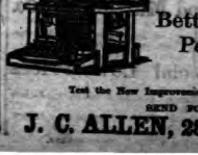

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A GENTLE MAN.

He Was Such a Weak and Humble Little Man That When He Came Into the Grocery Store to Make a Complaint the Clerk Was Disposed to Be Haughty and Imperious.

"May I inquire," he said, in a soft, small voice, "if any gentleman here sold my wife some butter yesterday?"

"I'm the man," responded a big, brawny fellow with an inch or two more chin on him than a clerk usually has need of in his business.

"Oh, yes, sir, you are," exclaimed the customer shrinkingly, "I meant no offense. The butter is all right, but I wanted to say that three colors of hair to one poll is somewhat incongruous. And I thought I might add also a request that if you could send up a brush and comb with the next sale we would be ever so much obliged. Of course, it was an oversight on your part, and I am not complaining, you understand—not complaining, merely suggesting."

The clerk's face was a study.

"And," went on the little man, "I don't think it is quite fair to put tacks at fifteen cents a pound in butter at forty cents, unless we can draw the tacks upon getting the butter on the table at home."

The clerk was grasping and the little man was going right along.

"Referring again to the last-mentioned parcel of butter, sir, I opened one to see that I find no starch because of the quantity on the hands. The incongruity of color was the only objection. In the old times we used to work butter with starch, but not a great deal of it, and your butter in that respect has rights my entire family is bound to respect. Our only regret is that you did not send up the starch."

By this time the clerk had fallen up against the counter, but the little man paid no heed.

"I might, possibly," he continued mildly and weakly, "touch upon its age, but I have some reason to suspect that this butter is not fresh from the cow. It has a cow taste from a cow, and that a cow is a female, and I have been taught from my youth up to abstain from any and all references to age in connection with a female kind, either remotely or contiguously. Therefore I shall not animadvert upon that subject, except to remark incidentally that the phrase 'hot off the cow' does not in the slightest degree apply to this case. I will you'd send up to the house a pound of soda, four bars of soap, a package of starch, a basket of apples and five pounds of sugar. My wife asked me to leave the order, and she said she'd come around herself and see about the butter. Good morning," and the little man walked meekly out.—Detroit Free Press.

A Hard-working Woman.

All day she hurried to get through,
That same as lots of wimmin do.
Remarked her husband, as he said,
"Me, ain't you goin to come to bed?"
And then she'd kinder give a kiss,
And say she couldn't—not for this.
And sorter sigh, and say that she
Was ready as she'd ever be.

Then she would hurry some more,
And so the years went one by one,
As somehow she was never done;
As when the angel said, as how
"Me" Gabriel, "there's no time now."
She sorter raised her eyes to look
A minute, as a stitch she took:
"All right, I'll be there as you says she,
"I'm ready as I'll every be."

—Albert R. Paine in Kansas City Journal.